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LEADERSHIP FOR A CHANGING PUBLIC PRIVATE HIGHER EDUCATION FUNDING LANDSCAPE

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GLOBAL MEETING OF ASSOCIATIONS >> 17-18 OCTOBER



Wednesday 18 October 2017

- 18:00-19:00 **Inaugural ceremony**
Pam Fredman, IAU President and Former Rector, Göteborg University, Sweden
Ebenezer Oduro Owusu, Vice-Chancellor, University of Ghana
- 18:15 - 19:00 **Leadership for a changing public-private higher education funding landscape**
Pedro Teixeira, Vice-Rector for Academic Affairs, University de Porto, Portugal
- 19:00 - 20:00 **Welcome reception**

Thursday 19 October 2017

- 8:00 - 9:00 **On-site Registration**
- 09:00 - 10:00 **Opening Ceremony**
Pam Fredman, IAU President and Former Rector, Göteborg University, Sweden
Ebenezer Oduro Owusu, Vice-Chancellor, University of Ghana
Kwesi Yankah, Minister of State for Tertiary Education, Ghana
Hillegje van't Land, Secretary General, International Association of Universities (IAU)
- 10:00 - 10:30 Break and group photo
- 10:30 - 11:30 **Plenary Session I: Roles and expectations for and of higher education leaders today**
Chair/ Moderator: Kwame Offei, Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Academic & Student Affairs), University of Ghana
Chair/ Moderator: Francis Dodoo, Pro-Vice-Chancellor (Research, Innovation and Development), University of Ghana
Marta Losada Falk, President, Antonio Nariño University (UAN), Bogotá, Colombia, and IAU Board member

Mahmoud Nili Ahmadabadi, President, University of Tehran, Iran, and IAU Board member
 John Owusu Gyapong, Vice-Chancellor, University of Health and Allied Sciences, HO, Ghana

11:30 - 13:00

I.a: Tensions between academic, economic and social missions of HE

Chair/ Moderator: Maria de Fátima Marinho, Vice-Rector for Cooperation and Culture, University of Porto, Portugal, and IAU Board member
 Roberto Escalante Semerena, Secretary-General, Association of Universities of Latin America and the Caribbean (UDUAL), Mexico and IAU Board member
 Fred Awaah, Director, Student Services of the Africa Regional Office of GUNi-Africa

I.b: Public or private HEI – different leadership expertise/capacities required?

Chair/ Moderator: Mohammed Salifu, Executive Secretary, National Council of Tertiary Education, Ghana
 Claire O'Malley, Vice Provost (Research and Knowledge Exchange), University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus, Malaysia
 Pierre André Pierre, President, Université Notre-Dame d'Haiti – UNDH, Haiti
 Kebede Kassa Tsegaye, Director, Research and Knowledge Management Office (RaKMO) , St. Mary's University Addis Ababa, Ethiopia

I.c: Impact on governance models of new HE funding realities

Chair/ Moderator: Andrew Deeks, President, University College Dublin, Ireland, and IAU Board member
 Anthony Kahindi Mutune, University Secretary, Strathmore University, Kenya
 Godehard Ruppert, President, University of Bamberg, Germany, and IAU Board member

13:00 - 14:00

Lunch and networking

14:00 - 15:30

II.a: Corruption in higher education

Chair/ Moderator: Elaine Meyer-Lee, President of the Board of Directors, NAFSA, USA
 Goolam Mohamedbhai, IAU Honorary President, Former Secretary General, Association of African Universities (AAU), Ghana
 Elena Denisova-Schmidt, Lecturer for Russian Culture and Society , University of St.Gallen, Switzerland (video presentation)
 Remus Pricopie, Rector, National University of Political Studies and Public Administration, Romania, and IAU Board member

II.b: Ethics in curriculum

Chair/ Moderator: Stephen Freedman, Provost, Fordham University, USA
 Catherine A. Odora Hoppers, DST/NRF South African Research Chair in Development Education & PASCAL International Observatory, University of South Africa, South Africa
 Fred Awaah, Director, Student Services of the Africa Regional Office of GUNi-Africa

II.c: Academic integrity in a competitive higher education landscape

Chair/ Moderator: Inga Zaleniene, Vice-Rector for Education and Research, Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuania, and IAU Board member
 Sam Blay, Deputy Principal (Academic) and Professor of Law, Sydney City School of Law, Australia

II.d: Value based leadership and mindset change as catalysts for building effective universities

Chair/ Moderator: Sijbolt Noorda, President, Magna Charta Observatory (MCO)
 David Lock, Secretary-General , Magna Charta Observatory

15:30 - 16:00

Break

16:00 - 17:00

About IAU

Hilligje van't Land, Secretary General, International Association of Universities (IAU)

17:00 - 18:00

Plenary Session II: Higher education and research: ethical challenges for a transforming world

Chair/ Moderator: Carmen Z. Lamagna, Vice-Chancellor, American International University - Bangladesh (AIUB), and IAU Board member

Sijbolt Noorda, President, Magna Charta Observatory (MCO)

Mahama Duweijua, Former Executive Secretary, National Council of Tertiary Education, Ghana

19:00

Conference dinner

Friday 20 October 2017

09:00 - 10:00

Plenary Session III: Institutional and societal expectations of higher education leadership

Chair/ Moderator: Remus Pricopie, Rector, National University of Political Studies and Public Administration, Romania, and IAU Board member

Eva Egron-Polak, Former Secretary General, International Association of Universities (IAU)

Kwame Boasiako Omane-Antwi, Vice Rector and Dean of the Faculty of Business Administration, , Pentecost University College (PUC), Ghana

Georges Malamoud, Advisor to the Rector , AUF – Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie

10:00 - 10:30

Break

10:30 - 12:00

III.a: Changing student demand and expectations – inclusive access, secure future, student-based learning

Chair/ Moderator: Helge Schwitters, President, European Students' Union (ESU)

Peter Kwasi Kodjie, Secretary General, All Africa Student Union (AASU)

Catherine M. Millett, Chair of the Executive Committee, Global Access to Post-secondary Education (GAPS), USA

Natalie Cruz, Instructor - Advising and Academic Development, Zayed University, United Arab Emirates

III.b: Impact of competition, rankings and other 'market' forces on the development of higher education institutions

Chair/ Moderator: Paul Tiyaambe Zeleza, Vice-Chancellor, United States International University-Africa, Nairobi, Kenya, and IAU Board member

Noorsaadah Abdul Rahman, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Research & Innovation), University of Malaya, Malaysia

Awel Uwihanganye, Lead on Concordia University's Africa Initiative, Concordia University, Canada

César Wazen, Director, scholarships and partnerships office, Qatar University, Qatar

III.c: Case studies session: 1. AGU - a hybrid model institution in Turkey 2. Managing the Paradox of Public- Private Funding, Bangladesh

Chair/ Moderator: Ranbir Singh, Vice-Chancellor, National Law University, Delhi, India

İhsan Sabuncuoğlu, Founding Rector , Abdullah Gul University, Turkey

Mohamed Emran Hossain, Director (Administration), Daffodil International University (DIU), Bangladesh

12:00 - 13:00

Conference closing

Ebenezer Oduro Owusu, Vice-Chancellor, University of Ghana

Pam Fredman, IAU President and Former Rector, Göteborg University, Sweden
Hillegje van't Land, Secretary General, International Association of Universities (IAU)