

## NEWS

### **Leadership development program**

IAUP is offering a new service to all members. The leadership development program will take place for the first time in July 2019 in Denmark.

An excellent opportunity for new presidents to discuss strategic topics with experienced presidents and specialists of various fields.

IAUP thanks president Fernando Leon Garcia for this extraordinary initiative.

For further details please get in contact with [leadershipprogram@iaup.org](mailto:leadershipprogram@iaup.org)

### **IAUP search tool to booster research cooperations between IAUP member universities**

We offer a small tool that gives you the chance to find potential partners worldwide within our IAUP family. If you are looking for a partner in a special field of research just enter the name of the topic area and you will get a list of potential partners all over the world, additional detailed information included. The tool is based on a valuable information via internet. So I encourage all our members who are interested to be found via this tool to provide qualified information on their own websites.

Search tool: [search.iaup.org](http://search.iaup.org) (use firefox and without www)

How to use this tool please see the short video (available until Dec. 19, 2018):

<https://wetransfer.com/downloads/0b0241a2fca32d61584ff30a3512462620181212150723/84a4676ae2b8790e75857adb1202d3b820181212150723/9a8e1f>

### **Board Decisions**

IAUP wants to inform its members about current board decisions:

#### IAUP membership duration proposal

A resolution proposal was introduced to abolish the 1-year membership, thereby leaving the 3-year membership as the only choice to retain the membership after each Triennial. This initiative is intended to provide greater stability and continuity to IAUP Membership. Membership is considered to start each fiscal year (1 July-30 June). The proposal was approved by the Board, starting July 2019 (FY2019-2020).

#### 2 memberships within 1 university: 1 vote per institution

The situation regarding multiple memberships within a single university was explained, and two different proposals to resolve the situation were introduced. The board voted for confirming one

single vote per member institution. This proposal confirms what is already policy at IAUP. That means two memberships per institution are possible but in case of formal decision e.g. general assembly just one single vote per member institution

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## RETROSPECTIVE

### IAUP semi-annual meeting Mendoza/Argentina

The event was held in Mendoza gathering representatives of universities from 10 different countries. During three days we had the chance to discuss many different matters concerning IAUP, the design of university policies, internationalization as well as the future of education.

The meeting was an extraordinary networking opportunity for UNCUYO, our wonderful host university, to explore new cooperation opportunities between our universities. IAUP and UNCUYO hope to continue working together in the future.



Please follow this link to access the photo gallery of the conference:  
<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1du9Z6O6-kHtAaGtVJCezvjJ27EWgzFAt>

## NEW MEMBERS

IAUP welcomes all new members

Institution	Institution Country	Institution World Region
Allameh Tabataba'i University	Iran, Islamic Republic of	Middle East & Central Asia
Central University of Technology, Free State	South Africa	South Africa
Chiba University of Commerce	Japan	Japan
CTBC Business School	Taiwan	East Asia
Durban University of Technology	South Africa	South Africa
Fundacao Cesgranrio	Brazil	South America
Harare Institute of Technology	Zimbabwe	South Africa
Kwantlen Polytechnic University	Canada	Canada
McMaster University	Canada	Canada
Naresuan University	Thailand	West-South Asia
University of Isfahan	Iran, Islamic Republic of	Middle East & Central Asia
Western Caspian University	Azerbaijan	Caucasus, CIS Countries



IAUP and further UPCOMING EVENTS – hope to see you there!

<https://www.iaup.org/events/>

### IAUP Regional Meeting – Feb 2019 – Iran/Isfahan

announcement information <https://www.iaup.org/Event/iaup-regional-meeting/>

You should come to Isfahan and see one of the most beautiful towns in the world to discuss strategic issues concerning higher education and development with a special focus on the situation of Islamic universities.

You will find detailed information on Iran meeting: <http://www.siti1.ir/en/iaupconference>

Don't miss the EARLY BIRD ticket and register soon.

**8th Cross-Cultural Business Conference 2019**

**University of Applied Sciences Upper Austria - School of Management in Steyr, Austria**

Please find the program and call for papers at <https://www.iaup.org/Event/8th-cross-cultural-business-conference-2019/>

**IAUP Semi Annual Meeting – May 23-16 2019 – China**

**SIAS International University**

Please find the draft program and promotion video on our IAUP website

<https://www.iaup.org/Event/1st-semi-annual-meeting-2019/>

Participate and join to congratulate Dr. Shawn Chen and celebrate the 20th Anniversary of SIAS International University.

**IAUP Semi Annual Meeting – Autumn 2019 – Vancouver/Canada**

**Kwantlen Polytechnic University**

Detailed information coming soon – stay tuned! <https://www.iaup.org/Event/2nd-semi-annual-meeting-2019/>