



CII and IAS Sessions at the APLU Annual Meeting

November 13-15, 2016

Austin, Texas

Saturday, November 12

CII Executive Committee Meeting

3:00-6:00 PM

Members of the CII are invited to attend the CII Executive Committee Meeting, per the CII Operating Rules, however, only members of the Executive Committee will be able to vote.

Sunday, November 13

Concurrent Session: A Call to Leadership Revisited: APLU's Role in Campus Internationalization Initiatives **8:30-10:00 AM**

In 2004 and 2007 NASULGC/APLU issued two seminal and sharply critical reports on international education entitled A Call to Leadership. For the past year, a 20-member task force of the Commission on International Initiatives (CII) has been examining the strengths and weaknesses of the earlier reports; most importantly, the task force has focused on the driving forces for internationalization and the factors for success at APLU institutions. This session will highlight the findings of the new report, A Call to Leadership Revisited. Acknowledging the work of many organizations and individuals who have developed the "comprehensive internationalization" concept, the CII emphasis is aimed specifically at APLU institutions and our internationalization strategies. The CTL Revisited study relies on interviews with key players from the original studies and with present institutional leaders, on a survey of over 100 APLU "senior international officers," and a compilation of "what if" scenarios for the future. This session will engage participants in a discussion on ways to promote the report and its recommendations to leadership in our APLU institutions.

Moderator: Tony Frank, Colorado State (invited)

Panelists: Jim Cooney, Colorado State University; Ahmad Ezzeddine, Wayne State University; Joanna Regulska, University of California, Davis

Concurrent Session: Hunger on Campus: Addressing Increasing Food Insecurity for Today's College Students *(In collaboration with the Council on Student Affairs)* **10:45 AM-12:00 PM**

As we succeed in increasing access to higher education, we must seek out ways to serve the differentiated needs of today's college students. With rising tuition costs and more historically non-traditional students pursuing higher education, this includes ensuring that all students have access to adequate and nutritious food. Food insecurity can be a barrier to students achieving academic success. The severity of this issues is emphasize by the recently released UC System report which found that amongst the 10 campuses surveyed nearly 20% of enrolled students have 'very low food security' and an additional 23% had 'low food security'. This session will focus on increasing the understanding of this crisis and will explore the innovative practices that some APLU member institutions are pioneering on their campuses to combat hunger and increase student success.

Moderator: Matthew Watkins, Texas Tribune

Panelists: Panelists: Sara Goldrick-Rab, Temple University; Clare Cady, College and University Food Bank Alliance/Oregon State University; Ruben Canedo, University of California Global Food Initiative

Commission on International Initiatives Lunch

12:15-1:45 PM

CII Members are invited to join in a Commission lunch, with special guest, Ambassador Ryan Crocker. Ambassador Crocker retired from the Foreign Service in April 2009 after a career of over 37 years but was recalled to active duty by President Obama to serve as US Ambassador to Afghanistan in 2011. He has served as US Ambassador six times: Afghanistan (2011-2012), Iraq (2007-2009), Pakistan (2004-2007), Syria (1998-2001), Kuwait (1994-1997), and Lebanon (1990-1993).

Awards Session: Institutional Strategies on Global Learning, Research and Engagement

3:30-4:45 PM

We live in a world where increasing numbers of people cross national borders and where our most complex challenges are global in nature, requiring international cooperation and collaboration to develop real solutions. These global trends have created a world in which interdisciplinary, cross-cultural, and cross-national learning, research, and engagement are basic requirements for excellence. Institutions that are able to prepare students-of-the-world and support global research and engagement will be the colleges and universities of the next century. Global diversity within our institutions is no longer just nice to have, but a scholarly and practical imperative. The APLU Institutional Award for Global Learning, Research, and Engagement recognizes public research universities and their leaders who excel in their efforts to drive an inclusive approach to their global engagement, research, and learning, and measure the impact of these efforts. In this session, the finalists from this year's inaugural competition will present the lessons they have learned and effective practices they have discovered through their efforts to drive an inclusive approach to comprehensive internationalization. This year's finalist institutions are Arizona State University, The Ohio State University, The University of California, San Diego, and The University of Minnesota.

Panelists: Meredith McQuaid, University of Minnesota; Alan Houston, University of California, San Diego; Gifty Ako-Adounvo; The Ohio State University; Sethuraman Panchanathan, Arizona State University

Monday, November 14

International Agriculture Section Business Meeting

8:30-10:00 AM

Annual Business Meeting of the International Agriculture Section (IAS). All IAS members, as well as those interested in international agricultural activities, are welcome to attend.

Chair: Tom Gill, University of Tennessee

Concurrent Session: Education Abroad Quality and Security—Learning Culture and Exercising Care

8:30-10:00 AM

As colleges and universities launch programs in the coming year, two of the most prominent tasks will be improvement of program quality and assuring student safety and security. With increasing emphasis on program learning outcomes, and career enhancement, greater focus on definition and assessment of quality is essential. The two challenges of quality and security, if properly framed, can be mutually reinforcing. Promoting deeper cultural understanding can set turmoil abroad in context and assist students and families in seeing the critical value of learning abroad for career and citizenship. In this session, three panelists will address these issues, discussing program goal setting and assessment, safety and security provisions, and exemplary program models emphasizing

cultural knowledge and career preparation.

Moderator: Margaret Heisel, Research Associate, Center for Studies in Higher Education, University of California, Berkeley

Panelists: Gordon Schaeffer, University of California Education Abroad Program; Darin Menlove,, University of California, Berkeley

Concurrent Session: Re-Examining Access and Success in a Globally Interconnected World

10:45 AM-12:00 PM

Important efforts are happening across our campuses to address issues of diversity, access and success. Simultaneously, our campuses are working hard to become “comprehensively international.” Yet some fear that while we work to improve student access to and success in higher education, we may be unintentionally reinforcing inequalities through our traditional approaches to campus internationalization. This session will bring these conversations together by asking whether it makes sense to have a goal of 100% of the student body having a “global education” and what it would take to get there, knowing that only a small number of students will cross international boundaries even if we were to triple student mobility numbers and acknowledging that study abroad does not necessarily foster “global learning.”

Moderator: Kevin Hovland, Deputy Executive Director for Academic Programs at NAFSA.

Speakers: Timo Rico, Center for Student Affairs Assessment, UC Davis; Sally Crimmins Villela, State University of New York (SUNY); Ralph Wilcox, University of South Florida; Dr. S. David Wu, George Mason University

Concurrent Session: Stepping Toward the Future: Faculty Development and Communication of Science for Global Research and Development (IAS Session)

10:45 AM-12:00 PM

In a competitive funding landscape and increased pressure in the academic community to generate external resources for research and development, colleges and universities must look to their faculty to generate funding networks to procure needed external investments in their research agendas. However, given the changing landscape in global research and development work, many early and mid-career faculty are not adept in communicating their science in compelling ways. Join this panel discussion to take an in-depth look at what three land-grant universities have experienced as they analyzed their faculty’s strength and weaknesses in new business development. Each of these campuses have implemented programs that enhance the skills of their faculty and what they are finding is a positive impact in faculty productivity and grant award success.

Moderator: Rick Nader, Mississippi State University

Panelists: Walter Bowen, University of Florida; Gretchen Neisler, Michigan State University; Alex Winter-Nelson, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

Collaborative Session: The Challenge of Change: Engaging Public Universities to Feed the World

1:45-3:00 PM *(In collaboration with the Commission on Food, Environment and Renewable Resources)*

Despite advances towards the goal of eradicating hunger worldwide, nearly 800 million people, 1 in 9, are food insecure. APLU has established a commission to examine challenges to food security and make recommendations on the research required by public research universities to meet global food needs by 2050. These issues are multidimensional, crossing disciplinary & national borders, and solving them requires systems to change. This collaborative will highlight the institutional transformation taking place on our member campus to address global issues related to food security and will provide a preview of the recommendations for the new administration identified by the Commission.

Moderator: Randy Woodson, North Carolina State University

Panelists: David C. Weindorf, Texas Tech University; Bud Duvall, University of Minnesota; Donald Warne, North Dakota State University

CII Business Meeting,

3:45-5:00 PM

Annual Meeting of the Commission on International Initiatives.

Chair: Tony Frank, Colorado State University

IACC Reception

5:15-6:30 PM

The International Advocacy Coordinating Committee (formerly IDACC) is the component of the Commission on International Initiatives (CII) which supports international programs advocacy through an annual membership-based assessment. This reception will provide an update on IACC's success in influencing authorization and appropriations legislation on international development, immigration reform, study abroad and international education, as well as look forward to next year's agenda. Feedback will be sought from IACC members on communications and future agenda. IACC members and non-members are welcome to attend.

Tuesday, November 15

TBD Breakfast Strategic Roundtable – University Senior Leadership and Internationalization

Collaborative Session: Cross-Border Collaborations in the North American Zone of Knowledge

8:15-9:30 AM *(In collaboration with the Commission on Innovation, Competitiveness, and Economic Prosperity and the Council on Engagement and Outreach)*

APLU has issued the North American Zone of Knowledge statement to encourage collaboration among our Canadian, Mexican, and U.S. members. This session is focused on brainstorming possible collaborations across North American borders, with particular attention to examples in community and economic development and environmental issues.

Speakers: Gilbert Salinas, Executive Vice President of the Brownsville Economic Development Council; Santa J. Ono President and Vice-Chancellor, University of British Columbia