Montague Demment, Vice President for International Programs, APLU

Dr. Montague W. Demment (Tag) is Vice President for International Programs at APLU, former Director of the Global Livestock Collaborative Research Support Program, a program funded by USAID that was focused on African agriculture, and professor emeritus of ecology at the University of California, Davis. In his position at APLU he leads APLU’s international programs, has been involved in advocacy for higher education support for Africa, been instrumental in the creation of APLU’s Africa U.S. Higher Education Initiative and organized the process by which the research community provided input to the USAID’s Feed the Future strategy. Dr. Demment conducts research on nutritional ecology of herbivores and nutrition of children in developing countries. He is past president of AIARD (Association for Agriculture and Rural Development) and chaired then NASULGC’s International Agriculture Coordinating Committee that advocates for international issues in agriculture. Demment served as a Peace Corps Volunteer in Ethiopia. Dr. Demment earned his BA from Harvard and his MS and PhD from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in Zoology and was an NIH postdoctoral fellow in animal nutrition at Cornell.

Waded Cruzado, President, Montana State University; Chair of the CII

Since January of 2010, Dr. Waded Cruzado has served as the 12th President of Montana State University, Montana’s largest institution recognized by the Carnegie Foundation as one of 108 universities for its “Very High Research Activity” and one of 66 institutions recognized by Carnegie as a “Community Engaged University.” As President of MSU, Cruzado has significantly reshaped the face and future of the state’s first land-grant institution. An articulate and inspirational speaker on the role of land-grant universities, she has become a well-known champion of the land-grant’s tripartite mission of education, research and public outreach. In 2012, APLU awarded President Cruzado the Seaman A. Knapp Memorial Lectureship. In that same year, President Barack Obama appointed Dr. Cruzado to the Board for International Food and Agricultural Development (BIFAD), a seven-member advisory council to USAID, whose primary role is to advise on agriculture, rural development and nutrition issues related to global food insecurity and the eradication of hunger in the world. She has also been recognized as a Paul Harris Fellow by Rotary International. In 2015, President Cruzado received the Chief Executive HR Champion Award from the College and University Professional Association for Human Resources. President Cruzado serves on the boards of the American Council of Education (ACE), International Student Exchange Program (ISEP), Higher Education Resource Services
Joanna Regulska, *Vice Provost and Associate Chancellor, Global Affairs, UC Davis; Chair of the CII Executive Committee*

Joanna Regulska is the vice provost and associate chancellor of Global Affairs at the University of California, Davis, where she also is a professor of Gender, Sexuality and Women’s Studies. For more than three decades Regulska has led large-scale programs that have transformed institutions, established collaborative partnerships, and substantially improved internationally focused services for students, faculty, and staff—and has raised more than $9 million in public and private project support. Most recently, Regulska has developed visionary initiatives at UC Davis: striving to provide all students with valuable international or intercultural experiences before graduation through a UC Davis Big Idea of Global Education for All; and strengthening the university’s international research, education and engagement efforts through Global Centers. She is the author or co-author of eight books, author of over 100 articles, chapters and reviews, and member of numerous advisory boards. In recognition of her work, the President of Poland awarded Regulska the Cavalier Cross of the Order of Merit of the Republic of Poland (1996), the Knight’s Cross of the Order of Restitution of the Republic of Poland (2004), and the Commander’s Cross of the Order of Polonia Restituta (2014). Regulska earned her master’s degree from the University of Warsaw, Poland and Ph.D. from the University of Colorado, Boulder. She received a Doctor Honoris Causa from Tbilisi State University, Georgia.

Gayle Nunley, *Director of Global Educational Initiatives, University of Vermont*

Gayle Nunley, Ph.D., joined the faculty of the University of Vermont in 1988. She completed her Ph.D. in Romance Languages & Literatures at Princeton University (B.A. Dartmouth College, M.A. Middlebury College, M.A. Princeton University), with a research focus on comparative avant-garde literature and film of the 1920s and 1930s. More recently, her primary scholarly and teaching interests have centered on mobility and cross-cultural representation. Her book *Scripted Geographies* (Bucknell University Press 2007) falls into this category, as does her current book project, nearing completion, entitled *Booking Passage: Mobility, Authority and Women’s Travel Writing in Nineteenth-Century Spain*. She enjoys teaching a wide variety of courses, including regular offerings for UVM’s Global Studies program. In her role as Director of UVM’s Global Gateway Program (GGP), she oversees UVM’s curriculum in English for Speakers of Other Languages and related programming for international students. Gayle has held numerous other leadership roles at the University, including service as Associate Provost for Faculty Affairs and Internationalization (2011-15) and as Chair of the Department of Romance Languages & Linguistics (1998, 2001-02, 2003-11), and currently serves on the Council for International Initiatives of the Association for Public & Land Grant Universities (APLU). She was appointed Director of Global Educational Initiatives in September 2015.

Roger Brindley, *Vice President, USF World, University of South Florida*

Roger Brindley, Ed.D., leads global engagement for the University of South Florida (USF). USF is a top 25 public research university, ranked 32nd among U.S. public universities by the Times Higher Education World Rankings. In 2013, USF received the Senator Paul Simon Award for Campus Internationalization. While a perennial Peace Corps Top College for undergraduate volunteers, in 2016-17 USF was the ranked third among graduate school Peace Corps volunteers nationwide. In 2016-17, the Fulbright Commission announced USF as the #1 ranked institution for Fulbright Faculty Scholars, a feat repeated in 2018-19. In February 2019, USF received the Andrew Heiskell Award for Innovation in
International Education from IIE. Today, USF World is home to 5,000 students from 147 countries and supports 2,250 outgoing faculty, staff and students completing academic experiences abroad, while documenting the global footprint of over 1,200 USF faculty who conduct teaching, scholarship and research overseas. A USF professor for 23 years, Brindley has received the Outstanding Undergraduate Teaching Award and the USF President's Award for Faculty Excellence, and was identified as an Honored Professor by the National Society of Collegiate Scholars in 2001. Brindley has written numerous articles in North American and European publications on policy and practice in higher education, and served as editor for three national/international journals. Between 2015-17 he was elected as APLU Executive Chair for the Commission on International Initiatives, and has spoken at national conferences of the APLU, AIEA, NAFSA and Going Global.

Gbemi Disu, Executive Director of Strategic Initiatives, George Mason University

Gbemi Disu is the Executive Director of Strategic Initiatives at George Mason University where she helps develop, oversee and implement programs and projects that support the university’s strategic plan. Other leadership roles held at GMU include; Chief Operating Officer for GMU Korea, Executive Director for Global Strategy and Special Assistant to the President. Disu teaches for GMU’s School of Business and serves on the executive committee for APLU’s Commission on International Initiatives. She holds an MBA in Global Finance from Thunderbird School of Global Management and a B.S. in Economics & International Business from Arizona State University.

Monday, July 15

Welcome & Opening Remarks

Waded Cruzado, President, Montana State University; Chair of the CII

Suresh Garimella, President, University of Vermont

Dr. Garimella currently serves as the 27th President of the University of Vermont. Dr. Garimella previously served as the Executive Vice President for Research and Partnerships and the Goodson Distinguished Professor of Mechanical Engineering at Purdue University. His previous administrative experience at Purdue includes appointments as the Chief Global Affairs Officer and as the Associate Vice President for Engagement. In 2010, the U.S. Department of State appointed him as a Jefferson Science Fellow to serve as a Science Advisor in the International Energy Office. He also served for six years as a Senior Fellow in the State Department’s Energy and Climate Partnership of the Americas, and as the State Department delegate to the International Energy Agency. Dr. Garimella has a long list of honors and awards, including his 2018 appointment as a member of the National Science Board. He is co-author of over 500 publications and 13 patents. He earned his Ph.D. at the University of California, Berkeley, his M.S. from The Ohio State University and his bachelor’s degree from the Indian Institute of Technology Madras.

Opening Plenary:
Advancing the Ideal of Internationalization

Scott Thomas, Dean of the College of Education and Social Services, University of Vermont

Prior to joining UVM, Dr. Thomas was a professor at Claremont Graduate University (CGU) and Dean of the School of Educational Studies at CGU. His research interests include higher education policy,
science and technology, and the stratification of postsecondary opportunity in the United States and abroad. In addition to his research in these substantive areas, he has a related line of interests and work focusing on methodological issues. Topics of interest include multilevel statistical modeling, social network analysis, and spatial analytics. He is the editor in chief at *The Journal of Higher Education*, the oldest and most distinguished journal in the field of higher education, and he co-edits the book series *International Studies in Higher Education* (now 24 volumes). He holds a Bachelor of Arts in sociology and a doctorate in educational policy, organizations, and leadership, both from the University of California Santa Barbara.

**Matthew Hartley, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, University of Pennsylvania**

Matthew Hartley is Professor of Education at the University of Pennsylvania’s Graduate School of Education. He is also the founding Executive Director of the Alliance for Higher Education and Democracy (AHEAD) at Penn GSE. He currently serves on the editorial boards of the Review of Higher Education and the Journal of Higher Education Outreach and Engagement. He earned his master’s and doctorate from Harvard University’s Graduate School of Education. Dr. Hartley serves as a trustee at Widener University in Chester, PA. From 2010 to 2012, Dr. Hartley served as an expert for the World Bank on a project examining the governance of universities in the Middle East and North Africa. He has worked with the Council of Europe in Strasbourg, France, exploring the relationship between universities, schools, and civil society. In 2011, he completed a Fulbright in Bratislava, Slovakia, in partnership with the Slovak Governance Institute examining the launch of community-based learning efforts at several universities. Dr. Hartley holds an Ed.D and Ed.M. in Administration, Planning and Social Policy from Harvard University.

**Harvey Charles, Dean for International Education and Vice Provost for Global Strategy, SUNY Albany**

Dr. Harvey Charles was appointed the University at Albany Dean for International Education and Vice Provost for Global Strategy in August 2015. Prior to joining the University at Albany, Charles served as Vice Provost for International Initiatives and Director of the Center for International Education at Northern Arizona University. In his long career in international education, he has also served as Senior International Officer at San Francisco State University, Wheaton College and Georgia Institute of Technology. He began his career as a university administrator at the University of Nevada, Reno where he was Director of International Student and Scholar Services and Associate Director of the Institute for International Studies. Apart from his deep administrative experience, Charles has published on issues including global learning, internationalizing the curriculum and comprehensive internationalization. He serves on a number of boards, frequently consults and gives addresses on international education issues in the US and around the world. Charles earned his doctoral degree from The Ohio State University in 1991.

**Lorna Jean Edmonds, Vice Provost for Global Affairs and International Studies, Ohio University**

Dr. Lorna Jean Edmonds is the Vice Provost for Global Affairs and International Studies at OHIO. She also serves as the Director of the Center for International Studies and as a Professor of Health Sciences and Professions. Dr. Edmonds joined OHIO in 2013 after having worked in four of Canada’s research-intensive universities. She served as the University of Toronto’s Assistant Vice President, International Relations; Executive Advisor, Research, University of Ottawa; Executive Director, International Research and Advancement, Western University; and Director, Research Services and the Director, International Center for the Advancement of Community Based Rehabilitation, Queen’s University. In addition, Dr. Edmonds is an active contributor to the internationalization of higher education,
university-public/private sector collaboration, international development, and new frontiers in science and scholarship with a particular interest in trend analysis, managing social change and space relations. She received her Ph.D. at the University of East Anglia, UK, her M.H.A. at the University of Ottawa, CAN, and her B.A. (Sciences) at Queen’s University, CAN.

SPARC-ing: How the University of Minnesota is Choosing to Address Grand Global Challenges

Meredith McQuaid, Associate Vice President and Dean, International Programs, University of Minnesota

Meredith McQuaid is the Associate Vice President and Dean of International Programs for the University of Minnesota system. In this role, she promotes the global dimensions of teaching, research, and engagement across all colleges and campuses of the University. She works with the President, Vice Presidents, Chancellors, Deans, faculty, and staff to create global opportunities; expand international and interdisciplinary components of teaching, research, and public engagement activities; recruit and support international students, faculty, and staff; and facilitate development of critical interdisciplinary and international partnerships important to the University’s strategic plan. She also has administrative oversight for the Global Programs and Strategy Alliance, which includes the Center for Advanced Research on Language Acquisition (CARLA), China Center, Interdisciplinary Center for the Study of Global Change, International Student and Scholar Services, and the Learning Abroad Center, and more recently SPARC. In her position, Meredith McQuaid promotes the global dimensions of teaching, research, and engagement across all colleges and campuses of the University of Minnesota. Meredith McQuaid works with the President, Vice Presidents, Chancellors, Deans, faculty, and staff to create global opportunities; expand international and interdisciplinary components of teaching, research, and public engagement activities; recruit and support international students, faculty, and staff; and facilitate development of critical interdisciplinary and international partnerships important to the University’s strategic plan.

Amy Kircher, Director, Food Protection and Defense Institute; co-director, SPARC, University of Minnesota

Amy Kircher has been Director of the Food Protection and Defense Institute (FPDI) for the past seven years. As director, she provides overall strategic leadership for the Institute, an internationally recognized organization working to mitigate food system disruption, through interdisciplinary research and development of innovative solutions in collaboration with external partners and stakeholders. She has led and managed the Institute with a $85M research portfolio, completing over 200 research projects with subawards to over 50 research partners. Dr. Kircher has partnered with international universities, foreign governments, UN agencies, USG agencies, and NGOs on food and global health projects. Her current research portfolio includes identification and warning of food system disruption and emerging disease through data fusion and analysis; supply chain characterization and assessment; and disaster preparedness. Prior to FPDI, Dr. Kircher was an epidemiologist with the DOD focused on emergency preparedness and response policy, operations and research.

Successful Structures for Advancing Internationalization

David Di Maria, Associate Vice Provost for International Education, University of Maryland, Baltimore County

David L. Di Maria is Associate Vice Provost for International Education at the University of Maryland, Baltimore County. He is responsible for leading institutional strategy for global engagement while overseeing a diverse portfolio of programs, projects and initiatives that support the international dimensions of teaching, research and service. This includes oversight of UMBC’s participation in the American Council on Education’s (ACE) Internationalization Laboratory, a strategic planning initiative that currently engages more than 80 UMBC faculty and staff across seven committees each focused on
different aspects of internationalization. Di Maria holds invited and elected leadership positions within ACE’s Commission on Internationalization and Global Engagement, APLU’s Commission on International Initiatives and NAFSA’s International Education Leadership Knowledge Community. He is also a member of the Editorial Advisory Board of the Journal of International Students and a former president of the American International Recruitment Council. Di Maria often presents, publishes and consults on critical issues affecting international education administration. His most recent edited volume is Senior International Officers: Essential Roles and Responsibilities. Di Maria earned a BA and MEd from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro. He earned a doctorate from the University of Minnesota, where he studied internationalization from a P-16 perspective.

Sabine Klahr, Executive Director, Office of Global Engagement, University of Utah

Sabine C. Klahr is the Executive Director of the Office for Global Engagement at the University of Utah. Sabine is a past President of the Association for International Education Administrators (AIEA) and serves on a wide range of boards and committees for international higher education associations. She has 20 years of professional experience in international higher education since earning a doctorate from Montana State University-Bozeman focused on international higher education leadership. Her dissertation research focused on integrating education abroad into engineering education. Her continued research and writing has focused on global partnership development and internationalizing higher education. Prior to her doctorate, she earned a BS and MS in botany and taught in secondary science and outdoor education in Colorado and Montana. She has received two Fulbright awards (India and Norway) and the AIEA Timothy J. Rutenber Award for outstanding service and leadership. Her experience with international education began when she arrived in the U.S. as a high school exchange student from Germany.

Pia Wood, Vice Provost and Dean, International Affairs, University of North Texas

Pia Wood is the Vice Provost and Dean of International Affairs at the University of North Texas. Her responsibilities include Campus Internationalization, Study Abroad, International Student and Scholar Programs, Sponsored Students, International Partnerships, Intensive English Language Program, campus-wide international programming, International Alumni, and International Recruitment. She is a past president of AIEA and AIRC and regularly conducts workshops on International Recruitment and Enrollment Management. Her B.A. is from the College of William and Mary and her Ph.D. is in Political Science from the University of Geneva in Switzerland.

Randy Kluver, Dean of the School of Global Studies and Partnerships, Oklahoma State University

Alan R. (Randy) Kluver is the Dean of the School of Global Studies and Partnerships at Oklahoma State University. Previously, Dr. Kluver served in a variety of roles at Texas A&M University, including Executive Director of Global Partnerships, Director of the Confucius Institute, and Director of the Institute for Pacific Asia. He also was Professor of Communication at Texas A&M University. He has extensive international experience, having previously taught at Jiangxi Normal University (China), National University of Singapore, and Nanyang Technological University in Singapore. In 2017, he was a visiting fellow in the Department of Media and Communication at the University of Canterbury (New Zealand), and in 2012, was the recipient of a Fulbright Administrator’s Award in South Korea. Dr. Kluver received his Ph.D. from the Annenberg School for Communication at the University of Southern California, his Master of Arts degree from California State University and his Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Oklahoma. He serves on the editorial boards of the Journal of Communication, the Journal of Computer-mediated Communication, the Asian Journal of
Creating System-wide Standards and Badges to Recognize Students’ Intercultural Skills

Mary Lou Forward, Executive Director, SUNY COIL Center

Mary Lou Forward is the Executive Director of the SUNY Center for Collaborative Online International Learning, connecting faculty and students with peers around the world for project-based online collaborations. Mary Lou was previously the Executive Director of the Open Education Consortium, dedicated to the development of open education and its impact on higher education around the world. Mary Lou has also served as the Dean of African Studies for SIT Study Abroad, working with institutions across Africa for nearly two decades. During this time she incorporated technology and distance learning in international educational programming and developed opportunities to collaborate across countries and between diverse student and faculty groups. She was a faculty member in African Studies with a focus on Environmental Studies and Sustainability.

Helen Gaudette, Assistant Dean for International Education, Fashion Institute of Technology

Helen Gaudette is the Assistant Dean for International Education at the Fashion Institute of Technology (FIT). In this capacity, she supports internationalization on campus, builds international partnerships, develops new study abroad programs, and fosters global in the curriculum. She was the winner of the 2013 Fulbright US - Japan International Education Administrator Award and was an AIEA Neal Presidential Fellow, 2013-2014. She holds a doctorate in European History from The Graduate Center, CUNY.

Carrie Wojenski, Associate Vice Provost for Global Academic Programs, University of Albany

Dr. Carrie Wojenski serves as Associate Vice Provost for Global Academic Programs within the Center for International Education and Global Strategy at the University at Albany, SUNY. Dr. Wojenski also oversees efforts to develop key curricular internationalization initiatives, such as the Global Distinction Milestone program and Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) course development. Prior to her position at the University at Albany, she served as the senior international officer at Sacred Heart University in Connecticut. During this time, she led the University to win an IIE Heiskell Award institutional recipient honorable mention in the category of study abroad, as well as receive a Seal of Excellence from IIE for surpassing its Generation Study Abroad goal in under three years. Dr. Wojenski holds a B.A. in Anthropology from Wheaton College in Massachusetts, a M.A. in International Education from the SIT Graduate Institute and an Ed.D. in the Design of Learning Environments from Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey.

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Sukant Misra, Vice Provost for International Affairs, Texas Tech University

Dr. Sukant Misra currently serves as Vice Provost for International Affairs at Texas Tech University. Previously, he served as the Associate Dean for Research for the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) from 2002 to 2014. He has served Texas Tech University in various faculty and administrative capacities since his initial employment as a faculty member in the Department of
Agricultural and Applied Economics in 1993. Prior to joining Texas Tech, he was a researcher at the University of Georgia for three years. Beyond his service to the Office of International Affairs, CASNR, and TTU, he has served on several local, state, regional, and national organizations involved in the advancement of higher education. He received his Bachelor and Master’s degrees in Analytical and Applied Economics from Utkal University, India, in 1979 and 1981, respectively. He obtained a second Master of Science degree in 1986 and his doctorate in Agricultural Economics in 1989, both from Mississippi State University.

**Jeffrey Sachs, Director, Sustainable Development Solutions Network; Director, Center for Sustainable Development, Columbia University**

Jeffrey D. Sachs is a world-renowned professor of economics, leader in sustainable development, bestselling author, and syndicated columnist whose monthly newspaper columns appear in more than 100 countries. He is the co-recipient of the 2015 Blue Planet Prize, the leading global prize for environmental leadership, and many other international awards and honors. During 2002 to 2016 he served as the Director of the Earth Institute. Sachs served as Special Advisor to United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres on the Sustainable Development Goals, UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon on both the Sustainable Development Goals and Millennium Development Goals, and UN Secretary-General Kofi Annan on the Millennium Development Goals. He is a Distinguished Fellow of the International Institute of Applied Systems Analysis in Laxenburg, Austria. He is Chair and Founder of SDG USA, a non-governmental initiative to promote the Sustainable Development Goal concepts in the United States. Sachs is also co-founder and Chief Strategist of Millennium Promise Alliance, and was director of the Millennium Villages Project (2005-2015). Prior to his arrival at Columbia University in July 2002, Sachs spent over twenty years as a professor at Harvard University, most recently as Director of the Center for International Development and the Galen L. Stone Professor of International Trade. Sachs received his B.A., summa cum laude, from Harvard College in 1976, and his M.A. and Ph.D. from Harvard University in 1978 and 1980, respectively.

**Engaging Faculty in Creating Novel Programs with Impact**

**Michael Benedik, Vice Provost and Chief International Officer, Texas A&M University**

Michael Benedik has completed his 4th year as Vice Provost and Chief International Officer for Texas A&M University where he coordinates international activities across all campuses and activities. Texas A&M continues for the 4th year as the #1 public university in study abroad by Open Doors and sent over 6000 faculty and students abroad for educational and research experiences last year. Unique programs for STEM students has helped the university reach this goal. Benedik holds a faculty appointment in Biology with a research focus in biotechnology using bacteria. He served as Speaker of the Texas A&M Faculty Senate, Faculty Ombuds Officer, and as well as serving as the Dean of Faculties prior to his current appointment. He held the American Society for Microbiology International Professor for Africa for 2010 and has taught short courses on microbiology or biotechnology on 4 continents. In 2011 he was named a Regents Professor in the Texas A&M System. Benedik earned his B.A. in Biology from the University of Chicago and his Ph.D. from Stanford University.

**Roger Brindley, Vice President, USF World, University of South Florida**

**Joanna Regulska, Vice President and Associate Chancellor, Global Affairs, UC Davis**

**VPR/SIO Interface: Promoting a University’s International Research Interests**

**DeAndra Beck, Associate Dean for Research, Michigan State University**
DeAndra Beck is the Associate Dean for Research at Michigan State University, International Studies and Programs. She facilitates international research engagement at MSU and co-chairs MSU’s Council of Research Deans. Dr. Beck is an elected member of APLU’s Commission on International Initiatives Executive Committee and serves on the advisory boards of CRDF Global and the University of Colorado, Boulder’s Mortenson Center in Engineering for Developing Communities. She was a member of a National Academy of Sciences committee convened to consider the future of science, technology, and innovation at the U.S. Agency for International Development. Formerly a Program Director in the National Science Foundation’s Office of International Science and Engineering, she worked with the U.S. Agency for International Development to bridge the interests of science and development, initiating the design and implementation of the Partnerships for Enhanced Engagement in Research (PEER) program. Prior to NSF, Dr. Beck was the acting Managing Director for Environment and Social Assessment at the U.S. Millennium Challenge Corporation (MCC) and Assistant Director for Policy, U.S. Forest Service International Programs. Dr. Beck held positions as an international research administrator at the USDA Foreign Agricultural Service and as a AAAS Fellow at the U.S. Agency for International Development. She earned a B.S. and Ph.D. in biochemistry from Texas A&M University.

**E. Daniel Hirleman Jr., Chief Corporate and Global Partnerships Officer and Senior International Officer, Purdue University**

E. Daniel Hirleman Jr. is responsible for substantially growing research and education partnerships with the private sector, and for strategic global partnerships with nations, institutions of higher education, NGOs and companies. He oversees the Technical Assistance Program and Purdue’s International Programs operation that currently serves over 9,000 students and scholars, plus serves as Senior International Officer, and in 2015-16 as Senior Intellectual Property Officer. Hirleman studied mechanical engineering at Purdue University and received a BSME, graduating in 3 years with a 4.0 GPA, followed by MSME and Ph.D. He received Howard Hughes Doctoral and NSF Graduate Fellowships, did six industry internships, and was a visiting researcher at the Technical University of Denmark. He joined Arizona State University as faculty in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering where he received teaching and research awards and held multiple administrative positions culminating in associate dean for research. He then served as William E. and Florence E. Perry Head of Purdue ME. He has received: the INEER International Achievement Award in 2006; the Hon. George Brown Award for International Scientific Cooperation in 2008, and the 2009 Charles Russ Richards Memorial Award of ASME/Pi Tau Sigma. He is a Fellow of ASME and chaired the Advisory Board of Engineers for a Sustainable World. Just prior to rejoining Purdue he served for four years as the second dean of the School of Engineering at the University of California, Merced.

**Jamie McGowan, International Grants and Contracts Manager, Strategic Interdisciplinary Research Office, Pennsylvania State University**

Dr. McGowan works with faculty across Penn State to identify strategic international research priorities. She facilitates research development and faculty networks as they develop complex international and interdisciplinary research proposals. Jamie joined SIRO in 2018, having written numerous successful grants to both private foundations and federal agencies to support both the internationalization of education and broad research collaborations. She also cultivated comprehensive internationalization of higher education through collaborations with key stakeholders at the Big Ten Academic Alliance universities. She holds a doctorate in geography from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign and is passionate about West African drumming and dance.

**Meghna Ramaswamy, Director, International Research, University of Saskatchewan**

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Dr. Meghna Ramaswamy was educated at Kings College London (BSc, Microbiology), The London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (MSc, Virology), and at the University College London (PhD, Clinical Infection), in London, United Kingdom. Before assuming the position of Director, International Research, at the University of Saskatchewan, she was leading the Centre for AIDS Reagents, the only HIV Reagent Repository in Europe, at the National Institute of Biological Standards and Control, in the UK. She has over 15 years of experience working in the area of HIV prevention, covering Europe, USA, Africa and Asia. Over the course of 11 years, she attracted over C$19 million in research funding. She has served on boards and committees of the World Health Organization and The Joint United Nations Programme on HIV/AIDS (WHO-UNAIDS), and on European Commission funded initiatives such as The European Research Infrastructure for Poverty Related Diseases, The European Vaccines and Microbicides Enterprise, Next Generation HIV-1 Immunogens, and the AIDS Vaccine Integrated Project. She brings a wealth of knowledge on European funding, research and innovation to promote, guide and facilitate international research and development activities, thus enhancing the University’s international research partnerships.

Globally Embedded and Locally Practiced: Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and the Role of Universities

Duncan Ross, Chief Data Officer, Times Higher Education World University Rankings

Duncan serves as the Chief Data Officer for Times Higher Education, helping to create new and innovative rankings and data products across the HE sector. He formerly served as the Director for Data and Analytics before moving to his current position. He was listed in the top 50 data leaders in the UK by Information Age, and as one of DataIQ’s Big Data 100. Prior to joining Times Higher Education, he was Director Data Science at Teradata, with a remit across all industries and the entire international region (EMEA and APAC). Duncan regularly speaks at business conferences and has several published papers on aspects of datamining for business. He was part of the team that founded the Society of Data Miners, and is strongly involved with the data philanthropy movement, being one of the founder Directors of DataKind UK

Sally Crimmins Villela, Associate Vice Chancellor for Global Affairs, State University of New York

Sally Crimmins Villela is an international educator with interests in language acquisition and sociolinguistic aspects of literacy development. In her role as Associate Vice Chancellor for Global Affairs for the State University of New York, her areas of responsibility include collaborative international academic programs and research, education abroad, exchange, international student and scholar services, and curricular internationalization. Sally is responsible for overseas offices in Mexico, Russia and Turkey, as well as the SUNY Confucius Institute for Business and the SUNY COIL Center. She has studied, worked and resided in Brazil, Mexico, Spain and Portugal and speaks fluent Spanish and Portuguese.

Joanna Regulska, Vice Provost and Associate Chancellor, Global Affairs, UC Davis

Walter Poleman, Senior Lecturer, Rubenstein School of Environment and Natural Resources; Director of Ecological Planning Program, University of Vermont

Walter Poleman specializes in landscape natural history and ecosystem geography and teaches Natural History and Field Ecology (NR 1), Place-based Landscape Analysis (NR 378), and Ecology of Place (NR 85). He is director of the Rubenstein School undergraduate core curriculum and the graduate-level
Field Naturalist and Ecological Planning Program. He is faculty director of GreenHouse Residential Learning Community and director the PLACE (Place-based Landscape Analysis and Community Engagement) Program. He has taught ecology for the past ten summers at Vermont Law School, and serves as a trustee for the Vermont Land Trust. His teaching awards include the 2003 Kroesph-Maurice Award for Excellence in Teaching and the 2005 Outstanding Service-Learning Faculty Award.

Tuesday, July 16

Plenary Session: International Advocacy Coordinating Committee (IACC) & Public Policy Town Hall

Craig Lindwarm, *Vice President, Congressional and Governmental Affairs, APLU*

In June 2012, Craig Lindwarm joined the Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU). At APLU, Craig is the lead on legislative and regulatory issues of higher education access, affordability, accountability, campus safety and other issues within the purview of the Higher Education Act including related budget and appropriations priorities. Craig is also the lead on tax and business-related issues impacting universities as educators and employers. Prior to joining APLU, Craig served as a Senior Legislative Assistant and Deputy Communications Director on Capitol Hill where he led policy work on education and judiciary issues and new media communications for a member of Congress. Craig is a graduate of St. John’s University School of Law where he earned a J.D. and Binghamton University, State University of New York, where he earned a B.A. in political science and history.

Deborah Altenburg, *Assistant Vice President, Research Advocacy and Policy, APLU*

Deborah Altenburg is the Assistant Vice President for Research Advocacy and Policy. She works with both the Office of Congressional and Governmental Affairs and the Office of Research, Innovation & STEM Policy to ensure integration and cohesiveness of APLU research advocacy. Prior to this role, Deborah served as the Assistant Vice Chancellor for Federal Relations for The State University of New York (SUNY). She was also responsible for systemwide research development efforts within the Department of Defense, National Science Foundation, National Institutes of Health, and Department of Energy. Deborah also previously served for 15 years as Director of Federal Relations for Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI). During her tenure at RPI she served a term as President of the Science Coalition and three-year term as a Board Member for the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities (NAICU). Deborah began her career in Washington, D.C. working for her hometown Congressman- United States Representative Sherwood Boehlert for over seven years rising to the position of Legislative Director. Deborah received her Bachelor of Engineering in Biomedical Engineering from Vanderbilt University.

Lunch Presentation: Malone International Leadership Award

Sally Crimmins Villela, *Associate Vice Chancellor for Global Affairs, State University of New York*  
*2019 Malone Award Committee Chair*

Harnessing Faculty Engagement:  
The Perspectives of Faculty in Developing Collaborative Structures

Roger Brindley, *Vice President, USF World, University of South Florida*
Meredith McQuaid, Associate Vice President and Dean, International Programs, University of Minnesota

Ahmad Ezzeddine, Vice President for Educational Outreach and International Programs, Wayne State University

Dr. Ahmad Ezzeddine is the Associate Vice President for Educational Outreach and International Programs at Wayne State University (WSU). In this capacity, he leads the university’s academic national, global, and corporate educational engagement initiatives and programs. This encompasses overseeing the university’s satellite campuses and off-campus programs, all transfer student initiatives and executive and professional development, the university’s training and consulting arm. As WSU’s Senior International Officer, he has created innovative partnerships with institutions in the Middle East, Latin America, Korea, and China which have led to new educational and research opportunities for students and faculty as well as increased international enrollments. In 2017, he was re-elected to the Executive Committee of the Association of Public and Land Grant University’s Commission on International Initiatives. Ezzeddine also serves as senior Associate to the President for Special Initiatives. A firm proponent of the crucial role that universities play in driving economic and community development, he is aggressively forging linkages with organizations in the City of Detroit and the region and supporting community engagement and economic development initiatives. Named one of Crain’s Detroit Business “40 Under 40” Class of 2007, Ezzeddine is committed to serving the community since his arrival to the Detroit area more than 25 years ago. He serves on the Boards of Directors of Southwest Economic Solutions, ACCESS, and Reading Works.

Elizabeth Aranda, Professor and Assistant Dean, University of South Florida

Elizabeth Aranda is Professor of Sociology and Assistant Dean in the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of South Florida. Her research addresses migrants’ emotional well-being and how they adapt to challenges posed by racial and ethnic inequalities and legal status. She has published two books, Emotional Bridges to Puerto Rico: Migration, Return Migration, and the Struggles of Incorporation (2006), and with Hughes and Sabogal, she is lead author of the book, Making a Life in Multiethnic Miami: Immigration and the Rise of a Global City (2014). Dr. Aranda has published her scholarship in journals such as Sociology of Race and Ethnicity, The Sociological Quarterly, Gender & Society, Social Science Research, and Social Problems, among others. Her current work is on the lives of undocumented young adults in Florida and how they navigate the terrain of illegality and marginalization. Dr. Aranda’s leadership as the Assistant Dean for the College of Arts and Sciences includes oversight of the global initiatives in a college with 18,000 undergraduate, graduate and doctoral students.

Elizabeth Borer, Professor of Ecology, Evolution and Behavior, University of Minnesota

Elizabeth Borer’s research focuses on quantifying how global changes, including atmospheric pollution and species invasions and extinctions, change the composition and function of the world’s ecosystems. Most of her work is in grasslands where she studies the effects of these human changes on global biodiversity, disease transmission, and the identity and function of microbes inhabiting individuals (the "microbiome"). Since 2007, Borer has been co-lead of the Nutrient Network, a global scientific cooperative that now includes over 200 scientists performing identically replicated experiments at >130 sites in 27 countries on 6 continents to study the effects of global changes on critical processes and functions in the world’s grasslands. She has given 80 invited talks and published over 100 peer-reviewed scientific articles including several papers in Science and Nature; she also serves on the editorial boards of two journals. She is active in the National Science Foundation Long-Term Ecological Research program and regularly serves on national and international scientific panels. Borer is a fellow
Jonathan Stillo, Assistant Professor of Anthropology, Wayne State University

Dr. Jonathan Stillo is a medical anthropologist and an Assistant Professor who teaches Anthropology and Public Health at Wayne State University in Detroit, Michigan. His work and passion focuses on using anthropological and global health approaches to reduce human suffering in the world. He has received research grants from the US National Science Foundation, The US Department of State, Fulbright-Hays, and The Social Science Research Council, among others. Since 2006, Jonathan has been researching tuberculosis (TB) in Romania—including living at a Romanian TB sanatorium for several months and interviewing hundreds of patients over the course of more than five years living in Romania. His research focuses on the social, economic and structural aspects of TB, particularly antibiotic resistant varieties. Jonathan has served as an International Expert on the World Health Organization teams that conducted the 2014 review of Romania’s national TB program, as well as the TB program review in Republic of Moldova in 2013. In 2016, he was the lead author of an ECDC supported proposal for introducing integrated, community based support for people with TB in Romania. He is Vice-Chair of the TB Europe Coalition and a member of the Global TB Community Advisory Board.

University Extension Initiatives: A Global Case Study Approach

I. Miley Gonzalez, Vice Provost and Dean, International Programs, Montana State University

Dr. Miley Gonzalez joined Montana State University as Vice Provost and Dean of International Programs after spending the last six years working and living in Costa Rica as Deputy Director General, with an international university, the Tropical Agriculture Research and Higher Education Center (CATIE). He holds the rank of Professor Emeritus in Agricultural and Extension Education from New Mexico State University (NMSU). He retired in 2011 after a 42-year career in both the private and public sectors in education and agriculture. Dr. Gonzalez served as a Cabinet Member on the Governor’s staff as Secretary of Agriculture for the State of New Mexico from 2003 until 2011. The state department of agriculture is part of New Mexico State University. His public service includes serving as the Under Secretary for Research, Education, and Economics at USDA in the Clinton Administration. He was nominated by President Clinton and confirmed by the U.S. Senate in 1997 and served until 2001. He provided leadership for four agencies, ARS, ERS, NASS, and CSREES (NIFA). Dr. Gonzalez has served as a member of the White House Commission for Excellence in Hispanic and Native American Education, and on the U.S./China Commission on Science and Technology. He served for over 15 years on the USDA/HACU Leadership Team representing New Mexico State University and USDA. He returned to New Mexico State University to serve as Associate Dean and Director for the Agricultural Experiment Station and subsequently as the Vice Provost for Research and the federal liaison to Congress for the University. Dr. Gonzalez holds bachelor’s and master’s degrees from the University of Arizona and a Doctorate from The Pennsylvania State University. Among his many honors over his professional career, Hispanic Business Magazine recognized him as one the top 100 most influential Hispanics in the U. S.

Rod McSherry, Associate Provost, International and Border Programs, New Mexico State University

Rod McSherry, a native New Mexican and a proud Aggie alumnus, is the interim associate provost for International and Border Programs at New Mexico State University. He most recently served as
associate professor and director of the Office of Global Agricultural Initiatives at NMSU’s College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences where he also was the Gerald Thomas Chair for Sustainable Agriculture (2015 to 2018). Mr. McSherry served as a commissioned officer in the U.S. Foreign Service from 1988 to 2012, completing his tenure as a Senior Foreign Service Officer in the U.S. Diplomatic Corps and returning home to New Mexico. In his current role as associate provost that began in 2018, Mr. McSherry is leading the way in international recruitment, student and faculty mobility in Mexico, China, India and the Gulf States. He is also focused on international corporate engagement efforts in the neighboring Mexican states of Chihuahua and Sonora to leverage NMSU resources to foster regional economic development. Mr. McSherry brings more than 30 years of experience in international diplomacy and economic development in 67 countries during which he focused on economic development, food security, trade policy and engagement of the global research and education community. He has worked in a wide variety of partner countries, from Latin American and Asian nations to volatile situations – Afghanistan and Iraq. Mr. McSherry earned his bachelor’s degree in animal science (1984) and master’s in international agricultural economics (1986), both from New Mexico State University. He is currently a doctoral candidate (economic development), also at New Mexico State University

Eleanor Inglis, **International Partnership Agreement Administrator, Montana State University**

As an International Educator with over 15 years’ experience in various aspects of International Education within higher education, she holds a Master of Science in International Studies and a Bachelor of Arts in Spanish & Latin American Political Science from Oklahoma State University. In order to master the Spanish language, she lived abroad in Honduras, Central America fueling her passion to not only become a global citizen but to facilitate life-altering education abroad experiences for others. Her work as an International Educator has taken her to every Continent, except Asia.

Larry Brence, **Eastern Regional Department Head, Montana State University – Extension**

Brence has a master’s degree in Agricultural Economics from New Mexico State University and a bachelor's degree in Animal Science from MSU. During his nine-year tenure as an Extension agent in eastern Montana, Brence has developed and delivered programs in noxious weeds, livestock and crop production, youth development and computer literacy. Before joining the MSU Extension faculty Brence worked as a research associate at NMSU and MSU, as a soil technician for the Soil Conservation Service, and as manager of the Sheep Research and Teaching Unit at South Dakota State University.

Bridging the Gap Between Cultures and Disciplines: Practicum Outreach Programs Abroad

William Brustein, **Vice President for Global Strategies, West Virginia University**

William I. Brustein is Vice President for Global Strategies and International Affairs and Eberly Family Distinguished Professor of History at West Virginia University. His work at West Virginia University is dedicated to fully integrating international and multicultural experiences to the academic units within the university and expanding and enhancing its global reach. Dr. Brustein has spent his administrative career focused on international education and has extensive leadership experience in building international partnerships. Before coming to West Virginia University in 2016, he was the Vice Provost for Global Strategies and International Affairs at The Ohio State University. Dr. Brustein has published widely in the areas of political extremism and ethnic/religious/racial prejudice. His most recent book, co-authored with Louisa Roberts, is The Socialism of Fools? The Leftist Origins of Modern Anti-

Victor Mucino, Professor and Associate Chair, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department, West Virginia University

Dr. Victor H. Mucino, P.E. is a Professor and Associate Chair of the Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering Department at West Virginia University. He is also the founder and director of the "Industrial Outreach Program in Mexico" (IOPM) for the past 23 years. He got his undergraduate education at the National Polytechnic Institute in Mexico and his graduate education at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. He has professional industrial experience in both Mexico and in the USA, and he also was a Professor at Mexico's National University (UNAM) prior to joining WVU. Dr. Mucino has conducted research in several areas related to mechanical engineering, and has published extensively in journals and conference venues. A paper related to the "Industrial Outreach Program" presented at an international ASME 2012 Conference in Houston was awarded "Best Paper of the Conference." Dr. Mucino has lead initiatives under the sponsorship of US-AID to bring green-house technology for the economic development rural areas in Mexico and was also recipient of a 100K-Strong in the Americas grant to support the assessment of the IOPM program in 2014. Dr. Mucino promotes study abroad in his College and also leads other exchange programs in Italy, Argentina and Mexico.

Wondwossen Gebreyes, Executive Director and Hazel C. Youngberg Distinguished Professor, The Ohio State University

Wondwossen Gebreyes is the Executive Director of Global One Health initiative and Distinguished Professor at Ohio State University. Gebreyes is also the President of the Ohio State Global One Health, a non-governmental affiliated entity. Gebreyes is also a PI of several grants funded by foundations such as Bill and Melina Gates Foundation, NIH, USAID, CDC among others. He is a recipient of several awards including the APLU Michael P. Malone International leadership award and Institute of International Education award (honorable mention). He serves in global advisory boards in areas of capacity building and international engagements.

Closing Plenary:
Part I: International Student Enrollment in the United States – A look at the data and what it tells us

Dana Bukenova, North America Insight and Market Analyst, INTO University Partnerships

Dana serves as the North America Insight and Market Analyst at INTO University Partnerships providing detailed analysis of universities with focus on international enrollment trends and financial performance. She is a member of business intelligence and analytics team and leads effort on development of analytical modelling of US higher education landscape as it relates to international education. Prior to joining INTO, Dana spent seven years as a marketing research manager leading market and consumer analytics for a wireless telecommunication services provider in Central Asia.

David Di Maria, Associate Vice Provost for International Education, University of Maryland, Baltimore County
Joann Ng Hartman, Senior Director for International Enrollment Management and International Student/Scholar Services, NAFSA: Association of International Educators

Joann Ng Hartmann is the Senior Director for International Enrollment Management-International Student and Scholar Services at NAFSA: Association of International Educators. The IEM-ISS Services department serves as a comprehensive source of knowledge for professionals working with incoming international students and scholars including recruitment, admissions, intensive English programs, advising and support services. In her capacity, Joann provides strategic staff leadership for professional development, programs and services related to IEM-ISS. Joann has 25 years of experience in international education. Prior to joining NAFSA, she spent over 18 years at The University of Tennessee, Knoxville where she was responsible for managing the student and scholar services unit, including institutional compliance, orientation, and student/scholar advising support services. Joann was an active volunteer leader for NAFSA in various regional and national capacities. She has written workshop curriculum and presented many workshops and sessions at regional and national conferences. She holds an MS in communication from the University of Louisiana, Lafayette.

Part II: Working together to promote US higher education to international students

Marianne Craven, Managing Director for Academic Programs, U.S. Department of State

Marianne Craven is Managing Director of Academic Programs, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs (ECA), U.S. Department of State. She is a career civil servant and former Foreign Service officer who had overseas assignments in Mali, Poland, and Italy. She serves as deputy to the Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Academic Programs and works with programs including Fulbright Scholarships, Humphrey Fellowships, Gilman Scholarships, EducationUSA advising about U.S. higher education, young leader exchanges and language programs. Ms. Craven also serves as a liaison for the State Department with the East-West Center in Hawaii, and she contributes to the development of U.S. positions on international higher education issues in multilateral fora. She has held several positions in the ECA Bureau in Washington administering international educational and cultural programs. She is a graduate of Smith College.