

2009

Annual Project Directors Conference

E.U.-U.S. ATLANTIS PROGRAM

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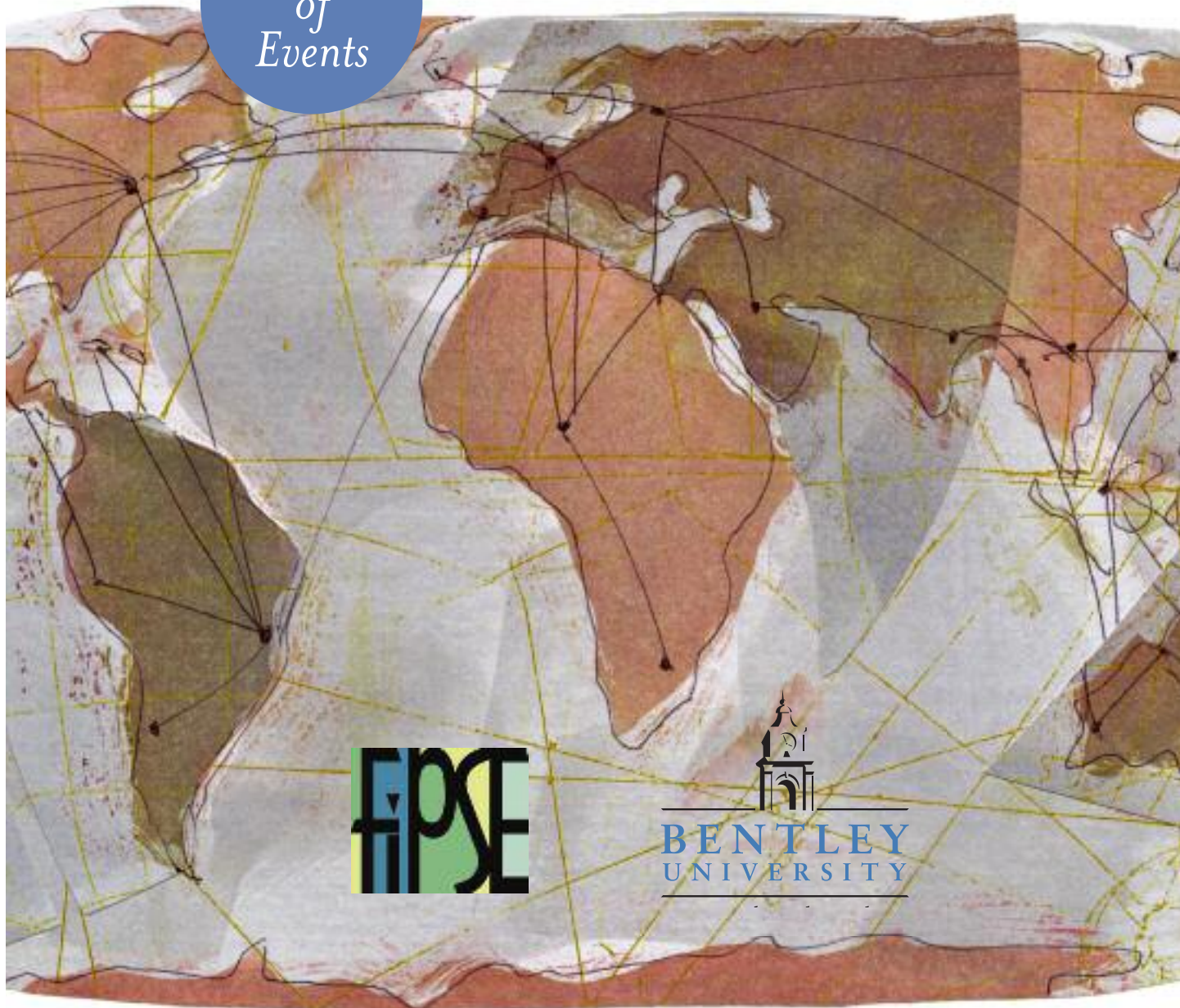
INDUSTRIALIZED COUNTRIES PROGRAM ICI-ECP

October 11 – 13, 2009

MARRIOTT COPLEY PLACE HOTEL

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

*Program
of
Events*



DAY
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SUNDAY,
OCTOBER 11

8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION

Registration Desk, 4th floor

9:00 a.m. to 1:45 p.m.

Meeting for Government Staff

NANTUCKET

9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

EU-US

10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

EU-CANADA

12:30 p.m.

LUNCH (government staff only)

2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Orientation for new 2009 Grantees

EU Grantees

PROVINCETOWN

U.S. Grantees

WELLESLEY

Canadian Grantees

ORLEANS

4:15 to 6:00 p.m.

Meetings with Second, Third, and Fourth Year Grantees

EU Grantees

SIMMONS

U.S. Grantees

WELLESLEY

Canadian Grantees

SUFFOLK

6:30 p.m.

Welcome Reception (cash bar)

SALON G

Dinner on your own

(See the list of restaurants in your conference packet)

DAY
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MONDAY,
OCTOBER 12

7:30 to 9:00 a.m.

BREAKFAST BUFFET

SALON F

8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION DESK, 4th floor

9:15 a.m.

Opening General Session: Welcome

SALON E

Ralph Hines, Acting Director, FIPSE, USA

**Michael Page, Vice President for Academic Affairs and
Dean of Business, Bentley University**

**Jan Pakulski, Head of Unit, Cooperation and International
Programs, European Commission**

**Micheline Nehme, Director, Accountability and International
Academic Mobility, Canada**

**Joachim Fronia, Head of Unit, Executive Agency, European
Commission**

10:00 a.m.

COFFEE BREAK

SALON E

10:30 a.m.

**Plenary: "Tuning in America: Where It Came From;
Where It Leads"**

**Clifford Adelman, Senior Research Associate, Institute
for Higher Education Policy, Washington, D.C.**

11:45 a.m.

**Introduction of the Bentley University and
Tilburg University dual-degree students**

Nader Asgary, Bentley University

Piet Ribbers, Tilburg University

Noon

Luncheon Buffet

SALON F

1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

The Marketplace

I. Town Hall Meeting: A discussion with Susan Lehmann,
FIPSE's evaluation specialist. Bring your questions about
evaluating your project.

WELLESLEY

II. The Benefits of Strategic Partnerships

PROVINCETOWN

"The Ripple Effect of Long-Term Partnerships"

Manfred Hampe, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany

Jan Helge Bohn, Virginia Tech. University, U.S.A.

“Problem-Solving and Partnership Building One Faculty Member at a Time”

Douglas Druckenmiller, Western Illinois University, U.S.A.

John Monahan, Ecole de Commerce Europeenne, France

III. Research Results from International Projects

NEW HAMPSHIRE

“What I Learned about Culture and Networking from Robotics”

Shahram Payandeh, Simon Fraser University, Canada

Istvan Harmati, Budapest University of Tech and Econ, Hungary

“A Model for Continuous Improvement in Education Institutions”

Alfredo Soeiro, Universidade do Porto, Portugal

John Klus, University of Wisconsin, U.S.A.

IV. Learn from the “Best”

ORLEANS

“How to Develop a Student Handbook for Study Abroad”

Nader Asgary, Bentley University, U.S.A.

Mary Ann Robbert, Bentley University, U.S.A.

Patricia Foster, Bentley University, U.S.A.

“Lessons from the Lawyers on MOUs”

Michiel van de Kasteelen, Utrecht University, Netherlands

Dorsey Ellis, Washington University School of Law, U.S.A.

V. Measuring Skills Across Cultures

SIMMONS

“Solving Environmental Problems Across Cultures”

Jan van Mourik, University of Amsterdam, Netherlands

“Training Effective Teachers Across Cultures”

Jamie Meyer, Pennsylvania State University, U.S.A.

Chris Shelton, University of Chichester, UK

Sverker Johansson, Jonkoping University, Sweden

Larry Ferguson, Norfolk State University, U.S.A.

VI. Senior Theses, Independent Studies, Research Seminars, and Other Thorny Issues

VINEYARD

“Senior Design and Student Research in the U.S. and EU Engineering Curriculum”

Charles Bostater, Florida Institute of Technology, U.S.A.

Jean Marsia, Royal Military Academy, Belgium

“Research Activities in Undergraduate Degree Programs”

Jeff Aube, University of Kansas, U.S.A.

Oliver Reiser, University of Regensburg, Germany

VII. Undergraduate Dual Degrees: Lessons Learned the Hard Way

SUFFOLK

“Undergraduate Dual Degree Program in Psychology”

Monica Suchowierska, Warsaw School of Social Sciences and Humanities, Poland

Joe Wyatt, Marshall University, U.S.A.

“Undergraduate Dual Degree Program in Economics”

Michel DeVroey, Catholic University Louvain, Belgium

Raymond Sauer, Clemson University, U.S.A.

3:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Consortia Meetings and Discussions with Program Officers

SALON E

Dinner on your own

DAY
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TUESDAY,
OCTOBER 13

7:30 a.m.

BREAKFAST BUFFET

GLOUCESTER

8:00 a.m. to noon

REGISTRATION

REGISTRATION DESK, 4th floor

9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

The Exchange

ARLINGTON

I. Town Hall Meeting: A discussion with Susan Lehmann, FIPSE's evaluation specialist. Bring your questions about evaluating your project.

ARLINGTON

II. The Many Benefits of Strategic Partnerships

BERKELEY

“Global Partnerships: Outcomes for Students, Faculty, and Institutions”

Fred Anstey, Marine Institute, Canada

Dermot O'Reilly, National Maritime College of Ireland

Continued on next page.

“International Student Teams and Real-world Business Projects”

Mirosław Jarosinski, Warsaw School of Economics, Poland
Michel Librowicz, Université du Québec à Montréal, Canada
Nick Robinson, North Island College, Canada

III. Mutual Benefits from International Projects

CLARENDON

“The Mutual Benefits of Community-University Engagement”

Paula Speevak Sladowski, Carleton University, Canada
Arwen Colell, Freie Universität Berlin, Germany

“Sharing and Learning Best Practices in Entrepreneurship Education”

Jacques Bulchand, Universidad de Los Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain
Carlos Baradello, University of San Francisco, U.S.A.

IV. Using Technology to Bridge the Divide

DARTMOUTH

“Study Abroad...Have You Packed Your Lab?”

Eniko Enikov, University of Arizona, U.S.A.
Gabor Csernak, Budapest Univ. of Tech and Econ, Hungary

“Building a Virtual Collaborative Network for Best Practices”

Gwen Kolschoten, Technical University Delft, Netherlands
Daniel Mittleman, DePaul University, U.S.A.

V. Teaching Skills and Understanding Across Cultures

EXETER

“Technologies for International Community Building”

Emrah Orhun, Troy University, U.S.A.
Bernd Kramer, Fern University in Hagen, Germany

“Teaching Students with Special Needs Across Cultures”

Geert Van Hove, Ghent University, Belgium
Tiffany Gallagher, Brock University, Canada

VI. Tips for Successful Projects

FAIRFIELD

“Strategies for Student Mobility in European-Korean Informatics”

Phillippe Gourbesville, Nice Sophia Antipolis University, France
GywWoon Choi, Incheon University, South Korea

“Student Orientations: Essential Elements for Successful Exchanges”

Donal McHale, Dublin Institute of Technology, Ireland
Michael Dyrenfurth, Purdue University, USA

VII. Different Cultures—Different Competencies and Skills

SUFFOLK

“Strategic Partnerships Based on Different Competencies and Skills”

Vladimir Ryabov, Kemi-Tornio University, Finland
Christian Rich, Fachhochschule Frankfurt am Main, Germany
Angappa Gunaserakan, Univ. of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, U.S.A.

“Finding Common Ground in Engineering Education”

Kirsti Miettinen, Aalto University, Finland
Nelson Baker, Georgia Technical University, U.S.A

10:30 a.m.

COFFEE BREAK

11:00 to noon

Consortia Meetings and Appointments with Program Officers

ALL ABOVE NAMED MEETING ROOMS ARE AVAILABLE FOR CONSORTIA MEETINGS FOR THIS TIME PERIOD and AFTER the LUNCHEON.

Noon

LUNCHEON BUFFET and Conclusion

GLOUCESTER

Announcement of the International Programs Alumni Association

**Natalia Spartakova, ICUNet
Announcement of 2010 meeting**

Klaus Haupt, EACEA, Head of Unit

1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Consortia meetings continue

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