

The Association of Commonwealth Universities

Conference on International Higher Education (CIHE) 2013 18-19 March 2013 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

CALL FOR PAPERS

This conference will bring together experts who are rising to the challenges of researching and teaching in higher education to discuss and share experiences and offer insights into adaptations and new ways of working.

Organised in association with University of Wales and the University of Malaya in recognition of their new joint initiative, International University Malaya-Wales, we invite you to submit your interest in making a presentation at this conference around one of the following themes:

Theme 1: CHALLENGES OF HIGHER EDUCATION

- Public policy regarding higher education and the influence of economic deficit
- Navigating and leading in a world growing more and more globalized
- Higher education remains a profit-less market!
- Effective funding mechanisms to support higher education in a rapidly changing environment

Theme 2: ROLE TRANSFORMATION OF HIGHER EDUCATION

- The role of higher education in driving economic progress and social mobility
- Reformulation of higher education to face local and international challenges
- Popularization of science: How universities help?
- Change and transformation of higher education in commonwealth countries

Theme 3: TEACHING VS RESEARCH

- Designing Instruction for significant learning in private universities
- Teaching context--A map for course design
- Ethics in teaching and research
- Student development in research-led universities

Theme 4: AUDIT AND STAFF DEVELOPMENT

- Optimizing academic portfolios and resources

- Performance measurement
- Tenure track system: Advantages vs. disadvantages
- Strategies to improve services and reduce costs

You may wish to make a presentation yourself or with a colleague; or to suggest another practitioner or expert within your institution.

Please complete the Abstract Form and return it, **by 11th February 2013**, by email to jackie.middleton@acu.ac.uk or by fax to +44 (0)207 387 2655.

Decisions on Proposals

Applicants will be notified of decisions as soon as possible after the closing date.

Travel and Conference Registration

Please note that presenters will be responsible for their own travel and other costs associated with attendance, including the conference registration fee.