Message from the IACEE President

My Dear IACEE Colleagues:

The 16th World Conference is just less than a month away from now. As you will find on the agenda, there are number of fascinating keynote speeches, concurrent sessions, special sessions on future of continuing engineering education, an awards ceremony and the General Assembly, where IACEE members will elect their next Council colleagues. The event does not happen every year, so please take the opportunity to register for the conference, to be held in Monterrey, Mexico from 22nd to 25th May.

Start the conference with a workshop. Lars Frølund (Massachusetts Institute of Technology/Aarhus University), Paul Marca (Stanford University), Nelson Baker (Georgia Institute of Technology) and I will start with a workshop on Success Factors for University-Industry Partnerships. In this three-and-a-half-hour-long workshop, a partnership canvas will be presented, and we will discuss about other partnership models practiced at the universities where we have worked so far. The workshop will start at 13:45 (1:45 p.m.) on 22nd May and will end at 17:30 (5:30 p.m.).

On 22nd May, a presentation will unveil IACEE’s special project that ties in the sustainability education at various CEE units around the world and the UNESCO guidelines.

The General Assembly will take place on 24th May. Thirteen Council members including the president will be elected.

This year, on 25th May, we will be honoring two individuals and an organization for their outstanding contribution to continuing engineering education. The 2018 IACEE Award recipients are:

- IACEE Award for Individual Leadership in Continuing Engineering Education, given in memory of Joseph M. Biedenbach: Dr. Patricio Montesinos-Sanchis, Universitat Politècnica de València
- IACEE Award for Corporate Leadership in Continuing Engineering Education, given in memory of Glen L. Martin: Mabe, S.A. de C.V., Mexico
- IACEE Fellowship for her contribution to IACEE’s growth: Susan M. Bray, USA.

All the award recipients will reflect on their experiences in the morning of 25th May.

Join us in this biennial conference in Monterrey, Mexico. If you have not registered yet, do so. I look forward to seeing you there next month.

Warm regards,
Soma

Soma Chakrabarti, PhD
President, IACEE
There is still time to register for the conference!

IACEE is working to help shape the future of continuing engineering education and we need you to be a part of this amazing journey on May 22 - 25, 2018. Register now at: iacee2018.org

We have planned an engaging agenda of discussions and debates, presentations and workshops, and learning and networking for three and a half days.

Conference Agenda Overview:

**Workshop (May 22, 2018)**

*Facilitated by international continuing education leaders*

**Innovation (May 23, 2018)**

*The need of evolution in continuing education models*
Collaboration (May 24, 2018)
Filling the gap between lifelong learning and the organizational development

Learners (May 25, 2018)
How to keep up with the need of future lifelong learners

Location & Accommodation

Tecnológico de Monterrey will host the prestigious 16th IACEE World Conference in the beautiful city of Monterrey located in northeast México. Visit our website for details including transportation from the MTY airport, visa requirements, and other useful tips for your visit.

Hotel Accommodations:

Hotel Quinta Real:
- Mater Suit (room only) $110.00 USD
- Grand Suite (room only) $135.00 USD

Link to reserve: https://goo.gl/uyuceQ

Hotel SAFI:
- Single Room (breakfast included) $130.00 USD
- Double Room (breakfast included) $140.00 USD

Link to reserve: https://goo.gl/rMRMN7

Hotel Novotel:
- Single Room (breakfast included) $81.73 USD
- Double Room (breakfast included) $88.17 USD

Code: IACEE

Link to reserve: http://hotel-novotel-monterrey-valle.negocio.site/

Register

Visit iacee2018.org to sign up for the 16th IACEE World Conference.

We look forward to welcoming you to Monterrey!

Keep in touch with conference developments through news items on the IACEE website (www.iacee.org), and through the conference website (www.iacee2018.org). If you have any questions about the event, contact Lucia Juarez Santana at lucia.juarez@itesm.mx.
Workshop: Success Factors for University-Industry Partnerships

22 May, 2018, 13:45 – 17:30, Tecnológico de Monterrey

Learn how to be successful in creating and further developing strategic partnerships between your university and local and international corporations.

This workshop gives you a unique opportunity to learn about the success factors for strategic university-industry partnerships. The workshop is based on the knowledge and expertise from leading university practitioners from Stanford University, Georgia Institute of Technology, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Aarhus University, and the International Association for Continuing Engineering Education, itself.

In addition, you will learn how to use the Industry Partnership Canvas to assess and further develop your current industry partnerships. The canvas is based on years of research, numerous case studies from practice, advice from over 10 multinationals, and experience from both business and universities.

Meet and network with other leading university and industry professionals.

Presenters

Nelson Baker, Ph.D.
Dean, Professional Education, Georgia Institute of Technology

Soma Chakrabarti, Ph.D.
President, International Association for Continuing Engineering Education

Lars Frølund, Ph.D.
Research Affiliate, MIT Innovation Initiative & Development Manager, Aarhus University

Paul Marca
Associate Vice Provost, Stanford University

Register Now: http://iacee2018.org/
Webinars

The Future of Credentials in Engineering Professional Education

In March, thought leader and dean of Professional Education at Georgia Tech, Dr. Nelson Baker, discussed the future of credentials in engineering in a webinar broadcast live from the Georgia Tech Global Learning Center. The recording can be found here:

University-Industry Partnerships

Keep an eye out for the recording of the April 25 webinar with Drs. Lars Frolund and Soma Chakrabarti, which will be posted to IACEE’s website.

Don’t forget to “like” the IACEE Facebook Page to stay informed about upcoming events & read the latest IACEE news. We would also love to have you join the IACEE Facebook Group to see what other IACEE members are doing in the continuing education world.