

Global Law Deans' Forum

Singapore

September 25– 27, 2013

REGISTER NOW! Deadline July 31, 2013... TODAY!

Join your colleagues! Law school deans from over 30 countries from Australia to Russia, China to United Kingdom, Nigeria to Poland, Uganda to United States and the list goes on, will be coming to Singapore for the Global Law Deans' Forum. Please confirm your attendance by completing the registration form online at <http://www.ialsnet.org/global-deans-forum/> by July 31st.

2013 Regional Law Deans' Forums

Thank you to the 70 participants of the 2013 four Regional Law Deans' Forums held in the months of April, May and June. We are sure all participants were impressed by the high level of intellectual discourse that was used to examine the fundamental elements of legal education. Growing out forums were the Statement of Principles for Standards and Outcomes, which will be discussed further at the Global Law Deans' Forum. [They can be viewed by clicking here.](#)

Thank you to the hosts; Tallinn University of Technology, University of Economics and Law, Vietnam National University, University of Nigeria and Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, and their colleagues in so professionally and graciously hosting the forums. Without their help, this would not have been possible. To view minutes of each meeting click on the either of the forums listed below visit our website.



[European Deans' Forum, Estonia](#)



[Asia-Pacific Deans' Forum, Vietnam](#)



[Americas Deans' Forum, Chile](#)



[African Deans' Forum, Nigeria](#)

Next Annual Meeting

Request for Proposal

We are currently accepting proposals from our members to host the 2014 Annual Meeting which is scheduled to take place October or November 2014. We are also taking proposals for the 2015, 2016 and 2017 Annual Meetings. If you have interest, time and resources in hosting an Annual Meeting please complete the questionnaire, [click here](#).



Membership Update

Thank you to all our 2013 Renewing Members! The association now has over 160 member schools from all over the world, an increase of more than 25% from last year. Visit our [website](#) for a complete list.

Special Thanks to our 2013 Sustaining Members

Cornell University, Law School
Oklahoma City University, Law School
St. Johns University, Law School
Valparaiso University, Law School

The IALS Welcomes the following New Members!

Charles Darwin University, Australia
Charlotte School of Law, United States
Dhaka University, Bangladesh
La Trobe University, Australia
Handong International Law School, Korea
Middlesex University School of Law, United Kingdom
Midlands State University, Zimbabwe
Murdoch University, Law School, Australia
National Law University & Judicial Academy Assam, India
Peking University School of Transnational Law, China
Strathmore Law School, Kenya
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Universidad Pontificia Comillas, Spain
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Universitas Airlangga, Surabaya, Indonesia
Universitas Gadjah Mada, Indonesia
Universitas Pelita Harapan, Indonesia
University of Fort Hare, Nelson Mandela School of Law, South Africa
University of Nairobi, Kenya
University of Nigeria, Nigeria
University of Notre Dame, Australia
University of Technology, Australia
University of Western Australia, Australia

*We apologize in advance if we missed any new members.
Your membership will be recognized in the next newsletter.
These are the new members as of June 2013.*



Message from General Secretary/Treasurer

We have nearly met our income goals for this year. With conservative spending, particularly in administration expenses, we have kept our expenses well below the budget. Both my office and the office of the president will continue to provide adequate staff support to service our meetings and programs at a level commensurate with our mission without impacting the association's budget.

More encouraging, we have succeeded in increasing our membership by over 27% from last year. We have held 5 meetings – the annual meeting and 4 regional deans' forums. We can expect a positive net balance for this year, as the major cost (the annual meeting) has already been paid. Thanks to the generosity of host institutions and donors, the costs of the regional deans' meetings have not affected the IALS general budget. Additionally, we do not expect to spend all the amounts budgeted for our various programs this year. We will carry forward amounts budgeted but not spent for programs for this year to next year, thereby creating more resources for each program. Our present focus is on the formation and structure of our various committees along with the upcoming Global Law Deans' Forum to take place in September of this year. Our membership drive continues with an emphasis on providing sustainable services for our members.

Warm regards,
Barbara Holden-Smith

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Do you have announcements, news or any information you would like to share with the IALS and our members? Send us an email and we can post the information on our website or next newsletter!

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