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IALS Annual Meeting
Human Rights and the Role of Law Schools
Register Now!

We're just a few months away from the 2013 Annual Meeting in Mysore, India and things are moving steadily. Speakers and awardees have been chosen, and registrations are being submitted. Before the year ends, take advantage of lower registration fees. Remember, the $475 covers registration fees plus meals and lodging! Early registration has been extended to January 15th, 2013. Please note that accommodations and meals are provided as part of the registration fee. We are also arranging transportation from the airport (Bangalore) to Mysore and back before and after the conference.

We want to thank our host, Infosys Technologies Inc. for so generously providing us access to its Global Education Centre.

Save the Dates 2013 Deans' Fora

The dates are set for the next round of Regional Deans' Fora for 2013.

♦ European Regional Deans' Forum on 11 & 12 April, hosted by Tallinn University of Technology, Tallinn, Estonia
♦ Asia-Pacific Regional Deans' Forum on 9 & 10 May, hosted by National University of Vietnam Law School, Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam
♦ African Regional Deans' Forum on 10 & 11 June, hosted by University of Nigeria, Nsukka, Nigeria
♦ Americas Regional Deans' Forum on 27 & 28 June, hosted by Pontifica Universidad Católica, Santiago, Chile

These workshops are the prelude to the International Deans' Forum later in 2013.

International Deans' Forum
26 & 27 September 2013
Hosted by the National University of Singapore
Singapore, Singapore

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear IALS Members,

2012 has been an eventful and fruitful year. We successfully sponsored 4 regional Deans' workshops. I would like to thank again our gracious school hosts, the University of Venda, Cornell University, Chulalongkorn University School of Law, and Maastricht University School of Law.

As 2013 approaches, we are in deep preparation for our Annual Meeting in Mysore. We announced 3 different award programs sponsored by Cornell University, the Law School Admissions Council, and Infosys. With the untiring help of our Committee members and staff, the program is coming along together.

On the operations side, it has been a challenging transition to our own administration. The challenges continue, but we now have gained a better picture of our financial situation. Thankfully, we have a many new initiatives in store for the coming year, as well as a focus on our Annual Meeting, and the upcoming 2013 Regional Deans' Fora along with the International Deans' Forum in Singapore.

Also, coming up will be a solicitation for openings on our Board of Governors, changes to the IALS by-laws, and more programs to serve our members.

Thank you all for your dedication and your continued support of our Association. May the New Year bring you success and good health!

Sincerely,
Francis SL Wang
President of the International Association of Law Schools