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HOME ECONOMICS CONFERENCES – CONTRIBUTION TO GLOBAL DISCUSSIONS!

Message from the President, Professor Dr Sidiga WASHI

Dear IFHE Members and
Colleagues,

I am humbled, honoured and
privileged to assume the role of
IFHE President (2016 - 2020)
during the last ten months. I am
deeply grateful to the members
of the Executive Committee and
am inspired by their commitment
to serve IFHE. Indeed, the
growth of IFHE has been
propelled collectively by the
individuals and all the past
presidents and past members of

the IFHE Executive Committee
who represent the major regions
of the world - Africa, Americas,
Asia, Europe, and the Pacific.
I look forward to continuing this
important work towards fulfilling
the mission of IFHE.

In this endeavour, and with their
continued support and that of the
IFHE Members around the world
and our very dedicated IFHE
Office staff in Bonn, I am
confident that we will be
steadfast in addressing the

pressing challenges, and in the
next three years, our
accomplishments will be many.
IFHE has over 109 years as an
organisation (1908 - 2017) and
has a long list of achievements.

As an international organisation,
IFHE has expanded to a
Federation and continues to
grow. IFHE has created strong
outreach and education
programs, hosted international
scientific conferences that bring
together the best minds in

Home Economics and family studies and developed numerous key publications with representation from its member committees and societies and with experts from around the world! IFHE through its members has provided outreach and support in areas of the world where these resourcescontinued on page 2

IFHE COUNCIL MEETING 2018

26th February –
1st March 2018

Ahfad University for
Women,
Khartoum, Sudan

HOME ECONOMICS SYMPOSIUM

25th February 2018

Theme “Never Too Late for
Elderly Well-being:
A Home Economics
Perspective”

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are greatly needed, toward the goal of ensuring that care for individuals and families be available anywhere in the world and working towards achieving the relevant Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

My focus is on the necessity to join hands and work together in our five regions to advance our field, to share knowledge and expertise and learn from each other. We want to have more members around the globe, to show our commitment and readiness to serve families and our profession and to have more visibility for the work we do. If you look through this June Newsletter, you see many activities across most of our regions. Activities that address challenges to our

profession and promote exchange of experience among our region. I would like to encourage such knowledge sharing and would like to also encourage the organisers of such activities to explore the possibility of having online facilities for joining such forums for those who will not be able to be present physically.

I would like to take this opportunity to invite all of you to consider participating in our upcoming IFHE Council Meeting in Sudan in February 2018 as we will be discussing important issues related to IFHE and our profession and the future of our organisation. You will have a very unique experience to explore a diverse Afro-Arab culture of Sudan, enjoy the hospitality of the Sudanese nation and enjoy seeing the Join point of two greater African River Niles (Blue and White) and the ancient history of Sudan. The Symposium that will precede the Council will address a very challenging topic to us, which is the well-being of our elderly. Let us work together for the future of IFHE.

Sidiga WASHI

IFHE President (2016 – 2020)



IFHE ANNUAL MEETING 2017 SLIGO, IRELAND

The IFHE Annual Meeting 2017 in Sligo, Ireland, was hosted by St. Angela's College Sligo. At the Welcome Reception Dr Anne TAHENY, President of St. Angela's welcomed IFHE President Prof. Dr Sidiga WASHI and 42 participants from 17 countries around the world. Dr Anne TAHENY demonstrated the development of St. Angela's College and its aim to be acknowledged as University in the near future. IFHE President Sidiga WASHI thanked her for the invitation to St. Angela's College and most of all the excellent Organising Committee chaired by Amanda MC CLOAT and Helen MAGUIRE for their efforts and commitment to prepare and organise the



IFHE Annual Meeting 2017 and the International Home Economics Conference in conjunction with the Annual Meeting.

(Source: St. Angela's College)

Executive Committee (EC) Meeting

At the Annual Meeting 2017 the EC met and discussed current topics and themes for the development of the IFHE and the upcoming events such as the IFHE Council 2018 and the IFHE Congress 2020. The first idea to conduct the IFHE Council 2018 in Dubai was not feasible; the Ahfad University for Women, Khartoum, Sudan stepped in and invited the IFHE to hold its Council 2018 in Khartoum. IFHE President invited all participants to an interesting IFHE Council 2018 and to Khartoum situated at joining point of the Blue and White River Niles. Aspects related to safety were intensely discussed and the IFHE President ensured the safety of the City.



St. Angela's College, Sligo
Coláiste San Aingeal, Sligeach
A College of NUI Galway

The IFHE Congress 2020 in Atlanta, USA was another topic of the EC Meeting. The members discussed first ideas via Skype® with the Organising Committee, chaired by Roxie V. GODFREY and Janine DUNCAN first ideas. The Congress theme, logo and first timeline for the Congress 2020 will be published in the next few months.

During a workshop of the EC focused on current challenges.

Workshop and Committees

Based on the IFHE Strategic Plan 2014 - 2018 the participants discussed during a workshop, chaired by Dr Aisling MORONEY (Training, Research and Consultancy, Ireland) most important objectives and related question, how to reach these goals and aims. In sub-groups participants exchanges thoughts and ideas. Their important proposals and strategies were presented in a plenary session.

At the Plenary Meeting the Annual Repots 2016 of the IFHE President, the IFHE Treasurer, the

**DOCUMENTATION OF THE
IFHE ANNUAL MEETING
SEE THE FOLLOWING LINK**

<https://www.ifhe.org/1064/>

**The results of the workshop are
published in the documentation of the
IFHE Annual Meeting**

Regions and Committees were presented. IFHE President acknowledged the work of all committees and reports, particularly the successful work of the Certification Committee and the IFHE Congress 2016 Organising Committee.

Beside the wonderful success of the professional and social programme of the IFHE Congress 2016, the Organising Committee, chaired by Mee Sok PARK, the Congress also generated an excellent financial surplus. The Organising Committee donated 50,000 € as surplus form the Congress to the IFHE Account.

SUSTAINABLE AND HEALTHY LIFESTYLES: POLICY, PEDAGOGY AND PRACTICE

Brilliant keynote speakers interesting sessions and excellent Home Economics Experts

The International Conference in conjunction with the IFHE Annual Meeting 2017 was well attended. 200 participants from different Home Economics disciplines followed the keynote speeches of high level experts and contributed to the sessions related different Home Economics themes.

The well-known keynote speakers focused on topics such as:

- The Role of Early Childhood Education and Care in a Healthy and Sustainable Society
- Changing Behaviour to improve Population and Planetary Health
- The Butterfly Emerges: Transformative Learning for Restored Earth Connection
- Sustainable Consumption
- Preventing the Global Burden of Disease by Changing the Current Food System
- SDGs and Home Economics: Serendipity at a Global Scale
- Global Viewpoint – UNESCO Global Action Programme (GAP) Update

(see IFHE Newsletter March 2017 and the following link

<http://www.stangelas.nuigalway.ie/ifhe2017/>).

CURRENT IFHE NOTES JUNE 2017

APPLY FOR AN IFHE CERTIFICATION IPHE

11 IFHE Members already applied for an IFHE Certification successfully

Each professional Home Economist named in the IPHE Register is a member of the IFHE and has been through an assessment process to be recognised and certified as an

International Professional Home Economist (IPHE)

Members named on the register are entitled to use the letters "IPHE" in their professional work.

IPHE recognises the significant contribution that an IFHE Member has made to the work of IFHE and Home Economics as a discipline on an international platform. Please see the IPHE Register on the following IFHE Website.

<https://www.ifhe.org/1248/>

IFHE COUNCIL MEETING 2018 26th FEBRUARY – 1st MARCH 2018

**Ahfad University for Women,
Khartoum, Sudan**

HOME ECONOMICS SYMPOSIUM 25th FEBRUARY 2018

Theme:

**“Never Too Late for Elderly Well-being:
A Home Economics Perspective”**

THEME OF THE WORLD HOME ECONOMICS DAY 2018:

**“Home Economics Literacy:
Empowering for
Healthy and Sustainable Cooking”**

IFHE JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

**The International Federation for Home Economics (IFHE) requires an
IFHE Executive Director**

to work part-time (20 hours per week) to manage and coordinate the Federation's daily work with responsibility for the general secretariat.

Applications are sought from interested persons worldwide. The IFHE operates a small office in Bonn, Germany.

For more information about the background the objective of the IFHE as well as the key skills and key task please see the full version of the Job announcement under the following link!

Closing Date:

All queries should be directed to the IFHE President, Professor Dr Sidiga WASHI president@ifhe.org. Applications including a cover letter, curriculum vitae and no more than five pages addressing the key skills and tasks of the position are to be sent to president@ifhe.org by no later than midnight (Central European Summer Time) on **30th June 2017**.

REPORT ON ATTENDING THE SEVENTH UNESCO-NGO FORUM, ORGANISED IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE MISK FOUNDATION

Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, 3rd – 4th May 2017

*Submitted by: Associate Professor Mona SHARAF ABDEL GALIL and Dr Lina GABER, IFHE
Representatives at this UNESCO Forum*

The 7th UNESCO NGO Forum, in partnership with the Mohammed bin Salman Foundation (MiSK), held under the theme of “**Youth and their Social Impact**”, the first such event to take place in the Arab region - in Riyadh, Saudi Arabia. The MiSK Foundation welcomed all guests with a generous hospitality. Over 400 NGOs from more than 70 countries and around 2,000 registered delegates participated at the forum where 70 per cent of them were under the age of 35. Important global issues were discussed throughout the Plenary sessions by foundations co-founders, associate professors, artists and good willing ambassadors coming from different cultures and communities. The subjects were covered such as: Youth Engagement and Its Potential for Social Change, Optimising the Impact of the Digital Native, Cultural Diversity as an Essential Dimension of Intercultural Dialogue, What Skills for Young People Today, Optimizing the Power of Youth for Peacebuilding, Educating for a Sustainable Future and The Voice of Youth and Their Vision of Social Change. Inspiring key-note speeches were held by speakers from governments, international organisations, cultural, sports and business sectors; like Mr. Mostafa TERRAB,

Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, OCP, Morocco; H.E Noora AL KAABI, the Minister of State for Federal National Council Affairs of United Arab Emirates, Mr. Carl LEWIS, the Gold Medalist from USA, Mr. Jimmy WALES, the founder of Wikipedia from USA and H.E Al Zain Sabah Al Naser AL SABAHA, the undersecretary for the Minister of State for Youth Affairs, Kuwait. The utilisation of technology including polling and a conference application led to the presence of high interaction between the delegates and the speakers.

The Mohammed bin Salman Foundation (MiSK) recognised the Water Youth Network with its first place International NGO Award and a \$30,000 fund on the concluding day of the seventh UNESCO -NGO Forum 2017.



The MiSK Award aims to highlight and empower projects, create positive change in communities, support youth and promote

community partnership. There were six breakout sessions to generate new ideas that would boost social impact in areas such as education, volunteering, new technologies and social networks, protecting cultural heritage and sustainable during which participants discussed and debate.

The breakout sessions were:

- Youth and Entrepreneurship and Volunteering: Promoting Engagement at Local and International Levels: Attendees recommended that more volunteering opportunities must be offered for not only young people but also to retirees so that they can share their experience, there should exist a possibility of paying to young working in NGOs should be existing, opportunities should be given to young with special needs, young people need to be facilitated to outreach leaders at the international levels.
- Protection of Cultural Heritage: Can Young People Make a Difference? Delegates

pointed that we are in need of more innovative solutions to facilitate cultural diversity and cultural exchange, also that the use of technology could increase the participation of young people and their involvement at international levels and that we must consider education as a tool for the transmission of traditions and cultural values.

- Using Digital Tools for the Promotion of Social Interaction and Engagement; Participants agreed that there should be more connection between NGOs and technology companies that develop applications for their projects, also, for privacy reasons, there must be an ethics code for the social media. In addition, they aim that NGOs could lead an international dialogue one day.
- Fostering Equal Opportunities for Young Men and Women; Delegates suggested that educational curriculum should be improved to include challenging questions, more platforms to be created for stakeholders to collaborate using social media, and the private sector should be more involved.

- Maximising the Fight Against Climate Change for Sustainable Development. Attendees agreed the need for more youth to participate in social services and help in education of climate change and sustainable development, they also proposed that UN can develop a certification system that monitors to what extent they are achieving their goals.
- How can NGOs and Government Collaborate for Social Good?

They proposed that ministries of development can create a “Heat Map” to identify needs and for a curriculum in universities to equip people to run non-profit organisations.

The UNESCO NGO Forum therefore makes the following recommendations:

- Following the many debates and discussions held during the Forum, we note that the young delegates have shown themselves to be the change-makers, offering creative solutions to manifold challenges.
- We call upon NGOs to scale up young people’s initiatives locally, nationally and internationally, to integrate young people within all levels of their structures and accompany them in

developing the key competences they need to maximise their active citizenship and social impact, particularly through non-formal and informal learning.

- In order to build the capacity of NGOs in this regard, we further recommend more support from external stakeholders such as governments, intergovernmental organisations, businesses and individuals, including pro bono, management expertise, facilities, training schemes and funding.
- We encourage the UNESCO Director-General to take these recommendations into consideration in the implementation of the programme budget for 2018 - 2021.

UNESCO Director-General Irina BOKOVA delivered a closing speech following Mr. Eric FALT and Mr. Philippe BEAUSSANT.

Thanking MiSK Foundation and NGO-UNESCO for “giving voice to youth aspirations giving an eye on sustainable development. She interacted with all the attendees in a friendly way and many of us had the chance of capturing and taking pictures of her. Again we present our deep thanks to MiSK Foundation and all the organising team.

GENTLE AND URGENT REMINDER - IFHE MEMBERSHIP FEE 2017

Dear IFHE Members,

Thank you to all IFHE Members, who paid the IFHE Membership fee 2017.

Gentle reminder to those, who missed to pay the IFHE Membership fee 2017 until now. For the payment please use the credit card online payment under the following link https://www.ifhe.org/cc_payment/

Best regards

IFHE Office Team



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SUCCESSFUL BIENNIAL CAHE CONFERENCE 2017 IN JAMAICA

Submitted by Audrey JONES-DRAYTON, Barbados

The 22nd Biennial Conference of the Caribbean Association of Home Economists Inc. (CAHE) was held in Montego Bay, Jamaica from the 8th – 12th April 2017 under the theme “**Home Economics: Future proofing families for 21st century Living**”. Well over three hundred delegates from the Bahamas, Barbados, Antigua and Barbuda, Anguilla, Trinidad and Tobago, Guyana, Grenada, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, St. Lucia, the United States of America, Canada, Scotland, the U.S. Virgin Islands, Australia and Jamaica converged at the all inclusive Ibero Star Suites Hotel to participate in exciting, informative and engaging sessions that included symposiums, workshops, community engagement activities, educational tours and cultural activities. This conference was the first to attract such a large number of extra-regional delegates including several members of the IFHE.

The preconference workshop on “**Appreciative Inquiry (AI)**” was held on the 8th April, 2017 and was conducted by Dr Deborah TIPPETT of Meredith College, North Carolina, USA. Conference 2017 commenced with a church

service and continued in the evening with an impressive and entertaining opening ceremony held at the Montego Bay Convention Centre. Among speakers at this event were the Mayor of the city of Montego Bay and representatives from the Ministry of Education. Greetings were offered from several entities including various arms of the International Federation for Home Economics.

The keynote speaker for conference was Professor Dr Donna PENDERGAST of Griffith University, Queensland, Australia. Her presentation was well received and continues to be an inspiration to Home Economists in the region. Three days of plenaries, symposia, concurrent sessions and in-conference workshops followed. Other activities included pre and post conference tours to popular sites around the island. Most popular were the tours to Kingston including the Bob Marley Museum and the trip to Dunns River Falls in Ocho Rios. The concert hilariously captured the talents from each of the territories and will be long remembered.

Speaker at the Banquet was Professor Emerita Dr Geraldene HODELIN, O.D., CPHE, IFHE President of Honour. During this function CAHE presented several awards to members including President of Honour Awards to Norma MAYNARD and posthumously to Janice MAISON. Audrey JONES-DRAYTON, CPHE, IPHE formerly ended her stint on the executive after twenty four years. She has since accepted the invitation to serve as one of the two Consultants to the Association. Professor Fitzroy HENRY, formerly of the Caribbean Food and Nutrition Institute was conferred with the title of Honorary Member of CAHE. CAHE also received a donation from the President of the IFHE Disaster Assistance

Partnership, Juanita MENDENHALL towards the CAHE Jean Edwards Disaster Relief Fund. CAHE welcomed its new president Pauline WHITEMAN, CPHE and the new executive leadership team that will serve for the period 2017 - 2019.

The next CAHE conference will be held in Antigua and Barbuda in 2019. CAHE also looks forward to welcoming the IFHE in Trinidad and Tobago in 2019 for its IFHE Leadership Meeting at a date to be announced later. Photos can be found on our facebook® page that is linked to the CAHE website at <http://caribbeanhomeeconomist.org/>

Keep checking as we update both media and please remember to like our facebook® page.

REFLECTION FROM A CARIBBEAN PROFESSIONAL LEARNING EXPERIENCE

Submitted by Professor Dr Donna PENDERGAST, Australia

The Caribbean Association of Home Economists (CAHE) biennial conference forms part of the association's programme for professional development of its members and provides an opportunity for social and professional networking. This year I was privileged to be invited to present the keynote address "**Home Economics: Future-proofing families for 21st century living**".

The Caribbean Community (CARICOM) is a grouping of twenty countries: fifteen are Member States and five are Associate Members. There is a population of 16 million citizens, 60% of whom are under the age of 30. The main ethnic groups are Indigenous Peoples, Africans, Indians, Europeans, Chinese and Portuguese. The population is multi-lingual; with English as the major language complemented by French and Dutch and variations of these, as well as African and Indian expressions. It comprises states that are considered to be developing countries and there is great diversity with regards to geography and population as well as the levels of economic and social development.

The keynote:

- Considered the challenges families face in the 21st century through the lens of megatrends;
- Explored the notion of future proofing;
- Presented the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), a set of seventeen aspirational "Global Goals" with 169 targets between them. The agenda sets a "deliberative approach" involving 194 member states. Every country in the world falls short on more than half of the 17 SDGs. A quarter of the world's countries fall short on all 17 of the goals;
- Explored the potential role of Home Economics to accelerate progress towards achieving selected SDGs by 2030. Consideration was given to a Home Economics literacy framework which centres on the importance of wellbeing as a central concern. Enablers and inhibitors to Home Economics contributing to the SDG agenda and concomitantly to equipping families to

future-proof for 21st century living were also examined.

The conference was well attended from across the region, and included a delegation of international participants. Formal expressions of support were received from the International Federation for Home Economics (IFHE), including from the President, Past President and the Pacific Region representatives. In addition the Home Economics Institute of Australia and Home Economics Victoria extended well wishes for a successful event, along with a range of other well-wishers and supporters.

The opportunity to attend this event both in the role of keynote speaker and also conference participant was an excellent professional learning experience for me. It is always fascinating to gain insights into regional and contextualised issues, educational frameworks, challenges and opportunities. It was fortunate that the event coincided with school holidays so my family were able to attend with me, definitely adding to my enjoyment. The journey around the other side of the world was well worthwhile and I thoroughly recommend a visit to the most welcoming, happy and fun loving culture I have experienced. I also had reaffirmed for me the power of the Position Paper *Home Economics in the 21st Century*, and the value our field brings.



(Source: Donna PENDERGAST, Australia)

SPECIAL LINKS

G7 ROADMAP FOR A GENDER-RESPONSIVE ECONOMIC ENVIRONMENT

Direct Link to FULL 8-PAGE Publication:

http://www.g7italy.it/sites/default/files/documents/Gender%20Roadmap_0.pdf

GUIDE TO MEASURING WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

Direct Link to Full 42-Page 2017 Oxfam Guide:

<http://reliefweb.int/sites/reliefweb.int/files/resources/gt-measuring-womens-empowerment-250517-en.pdf>

NEWS FROM THE REGION EUROPE

INVITATION FROM UNIVERSITY LATVIA

Submitted by Assoc. Professor Dr Vija DISLERE, Latvia University of Agriculture, Institute of Education and Home Economics

Dear Friends!

We are pleased to invite you to the 11th International Scientific Conference

“**Rural Environment. Education. Personality (REEP-2018)**” to be held on 11th - 12th May, 2018

In Jelgava, Latvia. Conference home page link is:

<http://www.llu.lv/en/10th-international-scientific-conference-rural-environment-education-personality-2017>

We are waiting for the article together with the application and the authors' guarantee letter from 11th September, 2017 to 28th November, 2017.

Conference thematic groups please see the link

Feel free to disseminate the information to other potential participants.

IFHE REGION EUROPE

SAVE THE DATE: EUROPEAN IFHE CONFERENCE

30th & 31st AUGUST 2018

at the University of Applied Sciences in Osnabrück, Germany.

The conference is for both researchers and practitioners within the broad field of Home Economics. Details about conference theme and call for contributions follow soon!

KNOWLEDGE-ACTION NETWORK ON SYSTEMS OF SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION (SCP)

Submitted by Sylvia LOREK, Germany

To promote a more systemic approach to SCP and to enable the transformation towards sustainable lifestyles and livelihoods researchers from all over the world are actually setting up a Knowledge-Action Network on Systems of Sustainable Consumption and Production. This takes place under the umbrella of the Future Earth platform. The network aims to strengthen collaboration between communities of researchers and practitioners that are currently focused on either production or consumption, including actors, decision makers and other stakeholders. From IFHE Community Sylvia LOREK and Valentina AVERSANO-DEARBORN participated in the kick off workshop taking place 3rd – 5th May 2017 in Annapolis, USA via video conferencing.

FAO HIGH LEVEL PANEL OF EXPERTS ON FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION (HLPE) OF THE COMMITTEE ON FOOD SECURITY

Submitted by Ingrid-Ute LEONHÄUSER, Germany

The HLPE Steering Committee announced the publication of the 2nd HLPE Note on Critical and Emerging Issues for Food Security and Nutrition endorsed by the Steering Committee, on the HLPE website: <http://www.fao.org/cfs/cfs-hlpe/critical-and-emerging-issues/en/>

All complementary documents on the process initiated on the 6th of August 2016 with an open enquiry (full proceedings, synthesis on the process, etc.) are also available on the HLPE website at the same link.

PC-INSTITUTIONAL AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT REMINDER: ONGOING CALL FOR INTERNATIONAL SNAPSHOTS!

In order to meet its goal of global networking, the PC has previously launched a call for international “snapshots”. IFHE members working in institutional households are called to share insights of their daily work in the form of a brief photo snapshot.



Snapshot of: Title of picture

Location: Where the picture was taken

Shows: Short description of picture

Taken by: Name and affiliation of photographer

What kind of snapshots is called for? Whatever you might think can be of interest to share internationally. The purpose is to give neutral insights into institutional households around the globe.

Are you interested? Please send your “Snapshot” to pc-ihm@ifhe.org .

INTERESTING VIDEOS

UN OCEAN CONFERENCE

<https://www.un.org/development/desa/undesavoice/feature/2017/06#33866>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2uuWN20Lc4E>

WHEN MEN CHANGE – VIDEO

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DXaFRri-I70>

IFHE REGION OF ASIA – INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE “EFFECTIVE PARADIGM OF EDUCATION TO STRENGTHEN AND PROMOTE THE VALUE OF HOME ECONOMICS: FOCUSING ON LESSON STUDY AND COMMUNITY BASED LEARNING”

Submitted by Rie IMOTO, Japan

There will be one day international conference in Tokyo this summer.

This is independent conference from ARAHE Meeting with free of charge.

Please come to join us!

Date: August 5th, 2017 10:00-17:00

Venue: Campus Innovation Center Tokyo

Address: 3-3-6 Shibaura Minato-ku, Tokyo, Japan 108-0023

www.titech.ac.jp/english/outreach/facilities/innovation.html



Part I. Speech:

“Effective Paradigm of Education strengthens and promotes Home Economics in US and worldwide”

Dr Marilyn SWIERK (AAFCS President 2009 - 2010)

Part II. Symposium:

“Lesson Study in Home Economics Education in the World: How to collaborate among teachers from the planning to the assessment of teaching to create good lessons”

Presenters:

Dr Kathryn McSWEENEY (St. Angela’s College, Ireland)

Dr Karin HJÄLMESKOG (Uppsala University, Sweden)

Dr Noriko ARAI (Osaka University of Health and Sport Sciences, Japan)

Ms. Angela HO (Serangoon Garden Secondary School, Singapore)

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Part III. Workshop on Lesson Study:

- Watch a Japanese Home Economics class practice by VTR
“Being a responsible consumer” (7th grade)
- Group discussion on the lesson and share the discussion
- Discuss on a possibility of international collaboration on lesson study in the future.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2017

25th – 28th June

108th American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences (AAFCS) Annual Conference & Expo

“Financial Fitness: Trends, Innovations, and Impacts”

Hyatt Regency Dallas – Dallas, Texas, USA

21st – 22nd July

The NBER (National Bureau of Economic Research) working group on Household Finance is organising a meeting during the Summer Institute in Cambridge, MA, USA

Cambridge, MA, USA

27th – 28th July

Ghana Home Economics Association (GHEA) International Biennial Conference

“Home Economics for Sustainable Job Creation and Healthy Lifestyle in Africa”

University of Ghana, Department of Family and Consumer Sciences – Accra, Ghana

5th August

International Conference

“Effective Paradigm of Education to strengthen and promote the value of Home Economics: Focusing on lesson study and community based learning”

Campus Innovation Center Tokyo – Tokyo, Japan

6th – 10th August

ARAHE - The 19th Biennial International Conference

“Tradition and Innovation: Home Economics Challenge for Sustainable Living”

National Olympics Memorial Youth Center (NYC) – Tokyo, Japan

28th – 30th August

67th UN DPI/NGO Conference

UN Headquarter – New York, USA

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