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PROGRAMME
IAU/IAUP President's Symposium
On
Institutional Autonomy Revisited:
National Dimensions, Cross-regional Experiences

Thursday 7 December 2006

- 16.30 Pick up from hotel
- 18.30 - 21.30 Welcome reception at Chiang Mai University
Welcome remarks from **Pongsak Angkasith**, President,
Chiang Mai University
Brief presentation on Chiang Mai University
Northern Thai style dinner with cultural show

Friday 8 December 2006

- 09.00 - 10.30 Opening Session - Welcome, Introductions
HE Ampol Senanarong, Royal Privy Council Member
Vichai Srikwan, Governor of Chiang Mai
Goolam Mohamedbhai, President, IAU
Pornchai Mongkhonvanit, President, IAUP
- 10.30 - 11.00 Break and group photo
- 11.00 - 12.30 First Working Session
Autonomy justified - Efficiency, Effectiveness;
Autonomy Accounted for – Responsibility

Tisato Kajiyama, President, Kyushu University, Japan
Ingrid Moses, Chancellor, University of Canberra, Australia
- 12.30 - 14.00 Lunch

14.00 - 15.30 Second Working Session
Autonomy in theory vs Autonomy in practice.

Wichit Srisa-An, Minister of Education of Thailand, Founding President of Suranee University of Technology, Thailand

Abdou Salam Sall, President, Cheikh A. Diop University, Senegal

Rolf Tarrach, Rector, University of Luxemburg, Luxembourg

Agneta Bladh, Rector, University College of Kalmar, Sweden

15.30 - 16.00 Break

16.00 - 17.30 Third Working Session
Aspects and Threats to Academic Autonomy.

Deepak Nayyar, IAU Vice-President, former Vice-Chancellor, University of Delhi, India

TBA Departure for Maejo University
Welcome remarks from **Thep Phongparnich**, President, Maejo University
Traditional Cowboy style dinner

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| Saturday 9 December 2006 |
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09.00 - 10.30 Fourth Working Session.
Institutional Autonomy and Academic Freedom.

Luc Weber, IAU Vice President, University of Geneva, Switzerland

Dr. Alvaro Romo, Secretary General, IAUP; Associate Vice President, Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU), USA

10.30 - 11.00 Break

11.00 - 12.30 Fifth Working Session
Autonomy from the State vs. Autonomy from the Market.

Jamil Salmi, Education Sector Manager, World Bank, USA

Khunying Suchada Kiranandana, President, Chulalongkorn University

12.30 - 14.00 Lunch

14.00 - 15.30 Sixth Working Session
Impact of Institutional Mission on Definitions of Autonomy.

Howard Newby, Vice-Chancellor, University of the West of England, UK
Andras Bolgh, HE Ambassador of the Republic of Hungary

15.30 - 16.00 Break

16.00 - 17.30 Concluding Session
i. Global issues, regional trends and national challenges – Observations
and reflections for the Future

Andris Barblan, Secretary-General, Magna Charta Observatory, Italy
Eva Egron-Polak, Secretary-General, IAU

ii. Concluding remarks

Pornchai Mongkhonvanit, President, IAUP
Goolam Mohamedbhai, President, IAU