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1. EVENTS AND ENGAGEMENT

1.1. COIL CONNECT LIVE: CONFERENCE REPORT 2024

This engaging one-hour session will feature presentations from three international education conferences that bear on the future of Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) and Virtual Exchange (VE).

What to expect:

Past Event, South Africa: Dr. Samia Chasi from Johannesburg will share key insights from (August 20-23, 2024) the recent IEASA Conference held in Cape Town. Dr. Chasi is the Manager of Strategic Initiatives, Partnership Development, and Research at IEASA and is a valued member of the COIL Connect Advisory Board.

Current Event, Live from France: We will then connect with Eva Haug in Toulouse, who will provide live updates from the EAIE Conference. Eva is an Educational Advisor for Curriculum Internationalisation and COIL/VE at the Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences, Netherlands.

Coming soon, Virtual Preview: Then later, GianMario Besana, a founding member of the IVEC Board of Directors, will preview the upcoming IVEC Conference, which will be held online from October 21-24. He will also discuss opportunities for your involvement.

Date: Thursday, September 19, 2024, 10:00 AM EDT
Register [here](#).

1.2. ECCIR: HORIZON EUROPE WEBINAR

Join European-Canadian Centre for Innovation and Research (ECCIR) for an exclusive online workshop diving into Horizon Europe, the EU's €95 billion research and innovation program. This session is designed for SMEs and innovation stakeholders in the Greater Edmonton Region, with a special focus on unlocking opportunities in medical research and the health sector:

- Obtain an In-Depth Understanding of Horizon Europe & Opportunities for Edmonton Health Innovators
- Learn about Practical Steps to Leverage Horizon Europe
- Engage in Hands-On Learning and Discover Support Structures
- Networking, Community Building & Developing ongoing Infrastructure for Information & Guidance

Date: September 26, 9 am MDT

Register [here](#)

1.3. 7TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BIOLOGICAL AND MEDICAL SCIENCES (FACE TO FACE AND VIRTUAL)

International Conference on Biological and Medical Sciences will provide a setting for discussing recent developments in a wide variety of topics on medical and biological sciences:

Special Topics 1 (Biological Sciences)

Special Topics 2 (Biomedical Sciences)

Special Topics 3 (Medical and Pharmaceutical Sciences)

Special Topics 4 (Health, Midwifery, and Nursing)

Others (Other topics related to biological and medical sciences)

Deadline: September 20, 2024 (early), October 10, 2024 (late)

Location: Istanbul, Turkey

Date: October 19-20, 2024

For more information, [click here](#)

1.4. 7TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON NUTRITION, FOOD, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES (ICNFEAS24) (FACE TO FACE AND VIRTUAL)

The scientific program will include: Keynote Lectures, Paper presentations, Poster Presentations.

Special Topics 1 (Food and Nutrition)

Special Topics 2 (Environmental Sciences)

Special Topics 3 (Agricultural Sciences)

Deadline: September 20, 2024 (early), October 10, 2024 (late)

Location: Istanbul, Turkey

Date: October 19-20, 2024

For more information, [click here](#)

1.5. 7TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON LIFE SCIENCES (COMPUTER AND BASIC SCIENCES, ART AND ARCHITECTURE, PSYCHOLOGY AND LITERATURE) (FACE-TO-FACE AND VIRTUAL)

At 7th ICLS, we expect researchers to submit abstracts and papers covering various topics and subtopics, with a preference and priority given to connecting them specifically to life and living, biological, medical sciences, and health.

- Computer Sciences in Life
- Artificial Intelligence in Life
- Physics, Chemistry, Geology in Life
- Art and Architecture in Life
- Literature in Life
- Psychology and Life

Deadline: September 20, 2024 (early), October 10, 2024 (late)

Location: Istanbul, Turkey

Date: October 19-20, 2024

For more information, [click here](#)

1.6. 3RD INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CELLULAR AND MOLECULAR MEDICINE (FACE TO FACE AND ONLINE) (ICMM24)

3rd ICMM-24 is providing an interdisciplinary setting for discussing recent developments in a wide variety of topics on biological and medical sciences. The components of scientific program will enable participants to share knowledge, professional experiences and expertise, and to learn from each other.

Deadline: September 20, 2024 (early), October 10, 2024 (late)

Location: Palermo, Italy

Date: October 19-20, 2024

For more information, [click here](#)

1.7. 7TH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BIOMEDICINE (VIRTUAL)

7th International Conference on Biomedicine will provide a setting for discussing recent developments in a wide variety of topics on medical and biological sciences.

Deadline: September 20, 2024 (early), October 10, 2024 (late)

Location: Budapest, Hungary

Date: October 19-20, 2024

For more information, [click here](#)

1.8. EUROPEAN-CANADIAN CENTRE FOR INNOVATION AND RESEARCH (ECCIR) WORKSHOP

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Date: September 26, 9 am MDT (11 am EDT)

[Register here](#)

1.9. TEC DE MONTERREY: INTERNATIONAL FACULTY WEEK 2024

The International Faculty Week connects faculty members from Tec De Monterrey's partner universities all over the world, providing the opportunity to teach in a multicultural environment while engaging with TEC students from all areas and networking with international colleagues. This program is an opportunity for international professors to experience teaching at Mexico's top private university.

The selection process will be held by the Academic Faculties at Tecnológico de Monterrey, and the chosen candidates will be notified between October 7-9, 2024.

Deadline: September 27, 2024

Date: November 11-15, 2024

[Register here](#)

For more information, [click here](#).

1.10. 2024 CANADA-CARIBBEAN RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

The Canada-Caribbean Institute (CCI) invites scholars and researchers to the 3rd Annual Canada Caribbean Institute Research Symposium at McMaster University. The Research Symposium will focus on The Climate Crisis, Resilience, and Alternative Energy Sources. Registration and hotel booking is now open

Location: McMaster University, Hamilton, ON

Date: October 17-19, 2024

[Register here](#)

For more information, [click here](#)

1.11. 2024 QS REIMAGINE EDUCATION AWARDS

QS Reimagine Education Awards serves as a prestigious platform to recognise and celebrate the pioneers of education across the world, fostering a vibrant community of innovators committed to redefining learning and employability for future generations. Through 18 diverse awards categories, they will honour the most transformative and forward-thinking programs, technologies, and pedagogical approaches that are revolutionising education.

Award Details:

US\$25,000 in funding is available to the QS Reimagine Education Global winner

US\$25,000 in Google Cloud credits is available to the QS Reimagine Global EdTech Award winner

Application deadline: September 11, 2024.

[Apply here](#)

Global Winners will be announced on December 11, 2024, at the Gala Dinner Awards Ceremony at the **QS Reimagine Education Conference:**

Location: London, UK

Date: December 9-11, 2024

For more information, [click here.](#)

1.12. SEAMEO RETRAC 2024 CONFERENCE

BC Council for International Education together with CICan and CBIE will be co-hosting the SEAMEO RETRAC conference which will focus on *“Leadership and Management in Higher Education: Innovations and Strategies in Global Context”*. This Conference is conducted with the aim of creating a global platform to bring together educational leaders, professionals, experts, researchers and educational practitioners to share and exchange different perspectives and information; explore innovative ideas, strategies, and trends in the field of higher education leadership and management.

Location: Ho Chi Minh City

Date: Oct 15- Oct 16, 2024

[Register here](#)

For more information, [click here.](#)

1.13. CBIE: CANADA-EUROPE PARTNERSHIP FORUM

The Canada-Europe Partnership Forum will take place the day before the CBIE2024 Annual Conference as a kick-off event for the 3-day conference. Senior level stakeholders from across the Canadian and European international education, policy, and government ecosystems will share their expertise and insights regarding the strategic imperative and opportunities for deepening Canada-Europe partnerships in higher education, particularly against the backdrop of Canada’s recent association to Horizon Europe and long-standing presence in Erasmus+.

Location: Ottawa, Canada

Date: November 3, 2024

[Register here](#)

1.14. INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DESIGN PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES: CALL FOR PAPER

LASALLE College of the Arts, University of the Arts Singapore, Faculty of Design, is hosting the 19th International Conference on Design Principles and Practices: Thinking, Learning, Doing: Plural Ways of Design

Location: Singapore

Date: February 25-27, 2025

For more information, [click here](#).

2. RESEARCH AND PROJECT OPPORTUNITES

FOR FACULTY:

2.1. NAVEEN JINDAL YOUNG GLOBAL RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

This program offers a fully funded residential opportunity spanning three months to outstanding Ph.D. students and faculty members from esteemed universities worldwide. Participants will have the invaluable chance to refine their research skills under the guidance of distinguished faculty members at O.P. Jindal Global University (JGU). The fellowship program is meticulously designed to nurture academic growth and collaboration. It spans over a duration of one year, with a focused three-month on-campus residency component.

Eligibility Criteria: Candidates must hold a recognized postgraduate degree in any discipline from a potential partner university. Additionally, candidates must be under the age of 42 years and demonstrate a rigorous interest in research and publications.

Funding:

- Includes: Accommodation, all meals, airport pick and drop, in-campus facilities, reimbursement of visa fees, visit to Taj Mahal and free resources.
- Excludes: Return Air tickets, any personal expenses

Application link: [Invitation for Naveen Jindal Young Global Research Fellowship \(google.com\)](#)

Application period: August 1 to September 30, 2024

2.2. TUM GLOBAL POSTDOC FELLOWSHIP

The **TUM Global Postdoc Fellowship** is a funding opportunity for junior researchers who are currently conducting research abroad and would like to continue their research as postdocs at TUM. For 24 months, fellows are supported by TUM to sharpen their research profile at a chair in their department and to initiate new research projects together with TUM scientists.

Duration of Funding: 24 Months

Value:

€2,670 per month

€430 kick-off payment

€350 per month for researchers living in Munich

Deadline: September 30, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.3. DAIMLER AND BENZ FOUNDATION

The Foundation awards twelve scholarships to postdoc researchers, junior professors, and heads of junior research groups. The funding program is open to applicants from all scientific disciplines; there are no restrictions regarding subject area.

Value: €40000/scholarship

Duration: 2 years

Deadline: October 1, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.4. DOCTORAL SCHOLARSHIP FROM THE ROSA LUXEMBOURG FOUNDATION

Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung grants scholarships to foreigners who go to Germany for their dissertation or to conduct research as a part of their dissertation.

Eligibility:

- Acceptance at a public or publicly accredited institution of higher learning in Germany or abroad
- Supervision by a professor in Germany
- Outstanding academic performance
- Social engagement in the spirit of the Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung
- High proficiency in German (proof of instruction required)

Value:

€1200 per month

€100 for transportation

€ 20 additional

Duration: No longer than 2 years

Deadline: October 1, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.5. DAAD (GERMANY) RESEARCH STAYS FOR ACADEMICS AND SCIENTISTS

This programme offers the opportunity to network amongst colleagues and exchange experience in the framework of short-term research stays in Germany. The scholarships are funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Duration of Funding: 1 – 3 Months

Value: 2,000 – 2,150 euros per month

Deadline: October 15, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.6. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY VISITS FOR ACADEMICS (ARTISTS AND ARCHITECTS)

The aim of this programme is to promote artistic cooperation with German host institutions. The scholarships are funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Duration of Funding: 1 – 3 Months
Value: 2,000 – 2,150 euros per month
Deadline: October 15, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.7. THE BRITISH ACADEMY VISITING FELLOWSHIPS 2025

The British Academy's Visiting Fellowships programme provides outstanding academics based in any country overseas with the opportunity to be based at a UK higher education or other research institution. The programme is open to academics at any career stage, and in any discipline within the humanities and social sciences.

Duration of Award: 3 – 6 Months
Deadline: October 23, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.8. DAAD (GERMANY) RESEARCH GRANTS

The research grant offers the opportunity to realise a research project in Germany. The programme supports research stays during a doctorate or in the early postdoc phase.

Duration of Funding: 2 – 12 Months
Value: 1,300 euros per month
Deadline: October 31, 2024
For more information, [click here](#).

2.9. FRANCE CANADA RESEARCH FUND

The France Canada Research Fund is a major instrument of Franco-Canadian scientific cooperation, created in 2000 through an agreement between the French Embassy in Canada and a consortium of 23 Canadian universities. Laureates are awarded start-up grants of CA\$8,000 to \$15,000 to fund research and student mobility between the two countries.

- The FCRF is open to all fields of research.
- Applications must be for joint projects with a French institution.
- The FCRF only funds new collaborations, and researchers who apply must never have worked together before. It is essential that researchers include students and young researchers in their work teams.
- Member universities may submit up to five applications. Pre-selected applications are evaluated in a second phase by committees of French and Canadian experts. The FCRF Executive Committee then decides on the final allocation of grants at its annual meeting.

Deadline: November 18, 2024
Selection of grant recipients: May 2025
Apply [here](#).
For more information, [click here](#).

2.10. MITACS: GLOBALINK RESEARCH AWARD (GRA) THEMATIC CALL

Applications for the Globalink Research Award (GRA) thematic call will open next month on September 12, 2024. The deadline to apply is November 20, 2024.

The themes for this year's call are:

- **Digital and Emerging technology** (e.g. AI, Advanced Computing, Cybersecurity, Semiconductors)
- **Sustainability and Net Zero** (e.g. Electric Vehicles, Critical Minerals, Hydrogen, Energy Transition, Oceans, Clean Technology)
- **Life Sciences** (e.g. Biomanufacturing, Bioeconomy, Agri-Food, Agri-Tech, Health Sciences)
- **Humanities and Social Innovation** (open category)

The website link will be shared on the call launch date along with the details for applying. Please watch out this space for more.

2.11. ERASMUS CENTRE FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP DIGITAL MASTERCLASS

Erasmus Centre for Entrepreneurship (ECE) is launching a new Digital MasterClass on Building and Scaling Entrepreneurship Education Ecosystems. This MasterClass is open to members of education institutions globally, including academics, administrators, (vice) deans, community managers, strategy and policy advisors, and more. The aim is to facilitate peer learning, foster connections with an international participant pool, and provide a hands-on learning experience, all geared towards helping education institutions establish and scale up their entrepreneurship (education) ecosystems.

ECE currently offers spring, summer sprint, and fall editions for sign-up. For more information and sign-up, [click here](#)

2.12. HUMBOLDT RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

The Humboldt Research Fellowship enables conducting research at various stages of one's career in collaboration with a host at a German research institution of their choice.

Value: 2,670 euros per month

Duration: 6 to 24 months

Deadline: Anytime

For more information, [click here](#).

FOR STUDENTS:

Please note:

- All York students participating in global opportunities are required to attend the safety abroad training through York International. Please contact safetyabroad@yorku.ca to schedule.
- Graduate students should consult with their graduate program supervisors as they review the opportunities open to them.

2.13. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS – POSTGRADUATE STUDIES IN THE FIELD OF ARCHITECTURE

This scholarship programme offers the opportunity to study in Germany with a postgraduate or continuing course of study in the field of architecture. The scholarships also promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

Duration of Funding: 10 – 24 Months

Value: 934 euros per month

Deadline: September 25, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.14. SHASTRI STUDENT RESEARCH IN INDIA FELLOWSHIP (SSRIF)

The Shastri Student Research in India Fellowship (SSRIF) is currently open to undergraduate and graduate students who wish to conduct research in India under the guidance of an Indian faculty member or researcher.

Research Period: September 2024 – March 2025

Placement Duration in India: 6-8 weeks

Value: CAD \$8500

Deadline: September 30, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.15. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS – MASTER STUDIES FOR ALL DISCIPLINES

This scholarship programme offers the opportunity to study in Germany with a postgraduate course of study. The scholarships are funded by the German Federal Foreign Office.

Duration of Funding: 10 – 24 Months

Value: 934 euros per month

Deadline: October 31, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.16. GOETHE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

The Goethe Research Experience Program (GREP) offers fellowships to advanced undergraduate and master's students of high academic standing, providing them with the opportunity to gain cutting-edge research experience in one of Goethe University's multidisciplinary research profile areas. Through individual supervision by leading researchers, students can develop their own research networks and enhance their academic and intercultural competencies by working and studying with professionals and students from diverse geographical and cultural backgrounds.

GREP offers three intake phases per year:

- **Spring**
Duration: April-September
Deadline October 31, 2024

- **Summer**
Duration: May-August
Applications open in November
Deadline: January 31, 2025
- **Fall**
Duration: October-March:
Nomination/Application date by mid/end May (TBD)

For more information, [click here](#).

2.17. DAAD (GERMANY) GERMAN STUDIES RESEARCH GRANT

This specialized DAAD program offers German Studies Research Grants to highly-qualified undergraduate and graduate students who are nominated by the professor supervising their research project. The grant may be used for short-term research (one to two months) in Germany. The program is designed to encourage research and promote the study of cultural, political, historical, economic and social aspects of modern and contemporary German affairs from an inter- and multidisciplinary perspective.

Value: 2000 - 3000 euros

Deadline: November 01, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.18. DAAD (GERMANY) GROUP STUDY VISIT

DAAD uses funding from the Federal Foreign Office to support subject-related academic Group Study Visits to Germany organized by faculty members for groups of students. Group Study Visit grants are intended to encourage contact with academic institutions, groups and individuals in Germany, and offer insight into current issues in the academic, scientific, economic, political and cultural realms.

Value: Up to 9,600 euros

Deadline: November 01, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

2.19. DAAD (GERMANY) STUDY SCHOLARSHIPS – POSTGRADUATE STUDIES IN THE FIELDS OF FINE ART, DESIGN, VISUAL COMMUNICATION AND FILM

This scholarship programme offers the opportunity to study in Germany with a postgraduate or complementary course of study in the fields of Fine Art, Design, Visual Communication and Film. The scholarships also promote the exchange of experience and networking amongst colleagues.

Duration of Funding: 10 – 24 Months

Value: 934 euros per month

Deadline: November 11, 2024

For more information, [click here](#).

3. CONTACT YORK INTERNATIONAL

For more information about these opportunities, please connect with the relevant Manager:

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