

Programme at a glance – Thursday 4 December 2008

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0830	Registration and refreshments									
0930	OPENING PLENARY Introduction: Rt Hon. Lord Neil Kinnock – Chair, British Council Education address: Rt Hon. John Denham MP Host: Matthew Amroliwala – broadcaster and presenter, UK									
1015	Refreshment break Poster presentations – Student mobility									
1045	1A: KEYNOTE SESSION Education and economic development: engaging the new India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Santosh K. Mehrotra – Senior Consultant, Planning Commission, Government of India • Dr Savita Datta – Director, Campus of Open Learning, University of Delhi, India • Professor Richard Allen – Open University, UK • Rod Pryde OBE – Director, British Council India Chair: Jon Snow – broadcaster, presenter and member of UK-India Roundtable, UK		1C: Partnership and collaboration MENA research: report on trends and developments <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Daniel J. Guhr – The Illuminate Consulting Group, USA • Ruth Moir – Heriot-Watt University, UK Chair: Professor Rick Trainor – Universities UK, UK			1E: Internationalisation Developing successful international university strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Ovid Tzeng – Government of Taiwan • Professor Michael Worton – University College London, UK • Professor Masao Homma – Ritsumeikan University, Japan Chair: Professor John Raftery – Oxford Brookes University, UK				
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1215	2A: KEYNOTE SESSION Forecasting international student demand <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Andrew Williamson – Global Director, Economic Research, Economist Intelligence Unit, UK • Dr Janet Ilieva – Senior Adviser, Education Market Intelligence, British Council, UK • Jason Ivory – Head, Visa Operations, British High Commission, Abuja, Nigeria Chair: Professor Drummond Bone – Chairman, International Advisory Board, Laureate Education Inc., UK	2B: Partnership and collaboration Are international partnerships a one-way street? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Sohail H. Naqvi – Higher Education Commission, Pakistan • Professor Nazrul Islam – University Grants Commission, Bangladesh • Professor Mohammed Akbar Popal – Kabul University, Afghanistan 	2C: Mobility Debating agents' secrets and the new American revolution: results from the world's largest study of agents <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Markus Badde – ICEF, UK • Dr Mitch Leventhal – University of Cincinnati, USA Chair: William Archer – i-graduate, UK	2D: Mobility Opportunity or cost? Students and the international experience <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anna Fox – University for the Creative Arts, UK • Steve Woodfield – Kingston University, UK • Michael Edwards – Circuit Public Defender, USA Chair: Matthew Amroliwala – broadcaster and presenter, UK						2I: Invite only Round-table discussion MENA round-table discussion Facilitator: Dr Daniel J. Guhr – The Illuminate Consulting Group, USA
1315	Lunch									
1415	3A: KEYNOTE SESSION Capitalising on China's digital explosion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sam Flemming – Co-founder and CEO, CIC, China • Andrew Disbury – Director of Admissions, University of St Andrews, UK • Professor Weihe Zhong – Vice-President of Academic and External Affairs, Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, China • Nick Jones – Director of Interactive Services, Central Office of Information, UK Chair: Matthew Amroliwala – broadcaster and presenter, UK		3C: Internationalisation Regional trading blocs – competing for students and knowledge in a new era of globalisation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allison Doorbar – JWT Education, Australia • Frances Kelly – Ministry of Education, New Zealand • Dr Don Olcott Jr – The Observatory on Borderless Higher Education, UK • Colin Grant – University of Surrey Chair: Heith Mackay-Cruise – Study Group, UK	3D: Internationalisation National strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tony Crooks – University of Melbourne, Australia • John R. Mallea – Brandon University, Canada • Pat Killingley – British Council, UK • Professor Mary Stiasny – Institute of Education, University of London, UK Chair: Dr Carole Sweeney – Joint International Unit, UK	3E: UKIERI Towards a new understanding of Indian higher education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Sudhanshu Bhushan – National University of Educational Planning and Administration, New Delhi, India • Dr Neil Kemp OBE – NK Education, UK Chair: Dr Rajani Naidoo – University of Bath, UK	3F: Partnership and collaboration Open forum <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Angela Cook – Cambridge Education, UK • Professor Elspeth Jones – Leeds Metropolitan University, UK • Allan Walker – Glasgow School of Art, UK • Raz Barfield – Glasgow School of Art, UK • Steve Woodfield – Kingston University, UK Facilitator: Steven D'Souza – Instituto de Empresa, Spain				
1515	Refreshment break Poster presentations – Internationalisation							3H: Invite only Round-table discussion The UK HE system through China's eyes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Wenyao Fan – Ministry of Education, China Chair: Professor Weihe Zhong – Guangdong University of Foreign Studies, China		
1545	4A: KEYNOTE SESSION Developing partnerships with Nigerian universities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Julius Okojie – Executive Secretary/CEO, National Universities Commission, Nigeria • Professor Albert Alos – Vice-Chancellor, Pan African University, Nigeria Chair: Peter Upton – Director, British Council Nigeria	4B: Employability and entrepreneurship Can we educate entrepreneurs? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jack Zhang – zhanzuo.com, China • Duncan Clark – BDA Connect, China Chair: Kathy Cui Yan – China Business Network, China		4D: Mobility Student mobility: critical success factors <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor Brian P. Atkin – University of Nottingham, UK • Professor Anne Pakir – National University of Singapore, Singapore • Thomas Wu – Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong Chair: Dr Rozilini M. Fernandez-Chung – Malaysian Qualifications Agency	4E: English as a global language Setting language standards in higher education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Sacha DeVelle – Cambridge ESOL, UK • Sarah Michelotti – University of Surrey, UK Chair: Andrea Robertson – UCAS, UK	4F: UKIERI Collaborative delivery of foreign HE programmes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ITM Universe – University of Greenwich • University of Mumbai – University of Westminster Facilitator: Sally Goggin – British Council India	4G: UKIERI Developing research co-operation projects with India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Indian Institute of Technology – University of Liverpool • Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology – University of Leicester • Energy and Resources Institute – University of Glasgow Facilitator: Dr Neil Kemp OBE – NK Education, UK			
1700	EXPERIENCE LONDON EVENTS London Eye / Chicago / Blood Brothers / Conference dinner									

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0830	Registration and refreshments									
0900									5H: Invite only	
0930	5A: KEYNOTE SESSION Global talent wars <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Professor George Yip – Dean, Rotterdam School of Management, Erasmus University, Netherlands Chair: Gordon Slaven – Director, Education, Science and Society, British Council, UK	5B: Internationalisation New frontiers of knowledge production and the changing role of universities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tim Gore – University of Greenwich, UK • Michael Kitson – University of Cambridge, UK Chair: Dr Astrid Wissenburg – Economic and Social Research Council, UK	5C: UKIERI New directions in research co-operation with India <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Research Councils UK</i> • <i>Wellcome Trust</i> 	5D: Mobility Student experience: global issues in the key markets <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiona Buffinton – Australian Education International • Paul Lister – Ministry of Education, New Zealand • Dominic Scott OBE – UKCISA, UK • Professor Mary Stiasny – Institute of Education, University of London, UK Chair: Baroness Usha Prashar – UKCISA, UK				5G: Invite only Leadership round-table: global challenges of international leadership Chair: Ewart Wooldridge CBE – Leadership Foundation for Higher Education, UK	5H: Invite only Atlas round-table Chair: Rajika Bhandari – Institute of International Education, USA	
1030	Refreshment break Poster presentations – Partnership and collaboration									
1100		6A: KEYNOTE SESSION Global research: expanding ambitions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Philip G. Altbach – Director, Centre for International Higher Education, Boston College, USA • Professor Pingzhi Fan – Vice-President, Southwest Jiaotong University, China • Professor Sohail H. Naqvi – Executive Director, Higher Education Commission, Pakistan • Dr Sophie Laurie – Head of International, Research Councils, UK Chair: Jonathan Dimbleby – broadcaster and presenter, UK		6C: Employability and entrepreneurship Educating creative industry entrepreneurs for the future <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Dwi Larso – Bandung Institute of Technology, Indonesia • Professor Uk Kim – Hongik University, South Korea • Dick Penny – Watershed Media Centre, UK Chair: Tony Hall CBE – Royal Opera House, UK and British Council Board member			6F: World Café International education partnership working at its best Facilitator: Steven D'Souza – Instituto de Empresa, Spain		6I: Invite only Round-table discussion MENA round-table discussion Facilitator: Dr Daniel J. Guhr – The Illuminate Consulting Group, USA	
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1215		7A: KEYNOTE SESSION The global credit crunch: boom or bust for international education? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robin Bew – Editorial Director, Economist Intelligence Unit, UK • Peter Engardio – Senior Writer, International, <i>BusinessWeek</i>, USA • Dr Linda Yueh – Fellow in Economics, University of Oxford, UK Host: Jonathan Dimbleby – broadcaster and presenter, UK								
1315	Lunch									
1415	8A: KEYNOTE SESSION Going Global 3: The Dimbleby Debate <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Martin Davidson CMC – Chief Executive, British Council, UK • Deng Yaping – Olympic gold medalist, China Host: Jonathan Dimbleby – broadcaster and presenter, UK	8B: Mobility Coping with success in international education: consequences, challenges and responsibilities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tony Crooks – University of Melbourne, Australia • Dr Tim Westlake – University of Manchester, UK Chair: Vincenzo Raimo – University of Nottingham, UK		8D: UKIERI Why grow international education partnerships with India? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Nina Lemmens – DAAD, Germany • Fiona Buffinton – Australian Education International • Sally Goggin – British Council India Chair: Rod Pryde OBE – British Council India			8F: World Café How institutions can survive or even benefit from the credit crunch Facilitator: Steven D'Souza – Instituto de Empresa, Spain			
1515	Refreshment break Poster presentations – Employability and entrepreneurship									
1545	CLOSING PLENARY Leading the learning revolution <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Richard Hames – Founder and Honorary President, The Hames Group, Australia Chair: Martin Davidson CMC – Chief Executive, British Council, UK									
1615	Conference close									