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RE: A Symposium on the Future Developments and Prospects of University and/or College Education in a Global World, 3 & 4 July 2017, The Stanley Hotel, 1 Odisseos Street, Karaiskaki Square, Athens.

The Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER) will be organizing a Symposium on:

***“The Future Developments and Prospects of University and/or
College Education in a Global World”***

The Symposium will take place on **Monday, 3 July 2017 and Tuesday 4 July 2017 at 16:30**, at the Stanley Hotel, 1 Odisseos Street, Karaiskaki Square, Athens, Greece. The working language will be English, without interpretation.

Monday 3/7/2017 - Speakers:

1. **Mary Ellis**, Senior Lecturer, National Institute for Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. *A Teacher Education Model for the 21st Century (TE 21): National Institute of Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.*
2. **Francisco Matus**, Teacher and Language Coordinator, Técnica de Chile INACAP University, Chile. *Some Challenges at Chilean University Level.*
3. **Jianqiang Yang**, Professor, Southeast University, China. *Teaching, Research and International Collaboration: A Brief Introduction on School of Architecture, Southeast University.*
4. **Bogusław Podhalanski**, Head, Department of Architecture, Cracow University of Technology, Poland.
5. **Vladimir Mako**, Professor, University of Belgrade, Serbia. *Education in Architecture and Design: Global Research issues and Local Practice Values.*
6. **Jose Angel Hidalgo Arellano**, Associate Professor, Xi'an Jiaotong - Liverpool University, China. *Reflections about the Concept of Identity.*
7. **Luis Manuel Lourenco Serro**, Professor / Researcher, Universidade Lusíada, Portugal. *A Critical Opinion about Architectural Education.*



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Tuesday 4/7/2017 - Speakers:

1. **Visvaganthie Moodley**, Lecturer, University of Witwatersrand, South Africa. *The #Hashtagmovements in South African Higher Education Institutions: Implications for SA as a Global Player.*
2. **Marija Liudvika Drazdauskiene**, Professor, Wszechnica Polska (Higher School in Warsaw), Poland. *Guided Work in Language and Literature versus Projects and Papers of Students' Individual Choice.*
3. **Irina Ustinova**, Professor, Southeast Missouri State University, USA. *A Smooth Road to Online Learning?*
4. **Ling Chen**, Professor, Hong Kong Baptist University, Hong Kong. *Observations on social changes and challenges to college education in Hong Kong.*
5. **Kwong Kapathy Luke**, Chair, School of Humanities, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore. *Teaching and Research at Nanyang Technological University Singapore in a Global Context?*
6. **Valia Spiliotopoulos**, Associate Professor of Professional Practice & Academic Director, Centre for English Language Learning, Teaching, and Research (CELLTR), Simon Fraser University, Canada. *The Present and Future Impact of Immigration and Internationalization in Western Canada's Post-Secondary Educational Context: Addressing Issues of Linguistic Diversity, Student Support and Success, and Faculty Development.*

The first session of the Symposium will be **chaired by Dr. George V. Priovolos**, Academic Member, ATINER & Professor, Iona College, USA, while the second session will be **chaired by Dr. Mary Ellis**, Senior Lecturer, National Institute for Education, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.

The symposium program is available at <https://www.atiner.gr/events/3July2017COL.pdf> and <https://www.atiner.gr/events/4July2017COL.pdf>.

The list of events organized by the Institute is available on the Institute's website: <https://www.atiner.gr/event>. This event is free of charge, but pre-registration is required. For further information, please contact Ms. Fani Balaska at +30 210 3634210 or by email at info@atiner.gr.