## SIU-AIU Conference on Internationalization of Higher Education 2017 'The Changing Landscape of Internationalization in Higher Education'

## 9th and 10th April 2017, SIU Lavale Campus, Pune, India

Internationally valued and locally relevant education for all

Pre Conference 8 <sup>th</sup> April 2017	Round Table Discussion:
2:30 - 6 pm	Building World Class Universities
8 pm	Networking Dinner
Conference Day One 9 <sup>th</sup> April 2017 9 am – 11 am	Track 1: Creating an ecosystem for internationalization Creating and sustaining an ecosystem supportive of internationalization requires a clear understanding of internationalization and its benefits, institutional support including top management commitment, the required regulatory framework and public policy. Focused attention to the aspects of leadership, technology, people & culture, process and structure will assist universities to set up an enabling ecosystem for internationalization.
11-11:30 am	Tea Break
11:30 am – 1:30 pm	Inaugural Function:
1:30- 2:30pm	Lunch
2:30 pm -5:30pm	Track 2: Cross-border Higher Education Cross-border higher education is the institutionalization of the provision of higher education across national borders. It is considered to be an umbrella term encompassing transnational/borderless/offshore education and refers to the mobility of all aspects of higher education: institution, programme, faculty and students. This assumes higher importance today as nations, institutions and students place a premium on the competitive edge provided by internationalization. It however faces criticism today due to its being considered elitist at all levels, its perceived inability to help create an egalitarian society, and other recent security related issues.
8 pm	Dinner

Conference Day Two 10 <sup>th</sup> April 2017  9:30 am -1 pm	Track 3: Internationalization@home  Universities must help 98% of the student/faculty community (who will not experience cross-border mobility) prepare for a globally relevant life. 'Internationalizing the Campus' helps focus attention holistically on the education being offered, including ways of making the curriculum, learning outcomes, learning and teaching processes, research, instructional delivery, assessments and evaluations globally relevant. Universities must ensure that students are prepared for global careers and lives by focusing on inculcating global and cross cultural competencies.
1 pm – 2 pm	Lunch
2pm -4:30pm	Track 4: Building Successful Partnerships Universities must invest time and energy in building partnerships with foreign universities and institutions including quality assessment and ranking agencies, mobility providers and education support agencies so as to leverage available opportunities and build excellence across all institutional spaces.  Agencies such as DAAD, ERASMUS, USIEF, British Council and organisations such as NAAC and APQN can prove to be supportive in offering a globally valued and locally relevant education to all their students.