

# Fulbright New Century Scholars Symposium on Global Higher Education

## October 24, 2006 • UNESCO, Paris

8:30 – 9:30 a.m. **Check-in and Coffee**

9:30 a.m.

### **Opening Ceremony**

Welcome and Remarks

Louise V. Oliver, Ambassador of the United States of America to UNESCO

Mr. Koïchiro Matsuura, Director-General UNESCO

Craig R. Stapleton, Ambassador of the United States of America to France

Dina H. Powell, United States Assistant Secretary of State for Educational and Cultural Affairs

10:15 a.m.

### **Key Themes in International Higher Education: The NCS Dialogue**

Philip Altbach, Director, Center for International Higher Education, Boston College, and New Century Scholar Distinguished Leader

*Summaries and Recommendations from the NCS Working Groups:*

- The Academic Profession in the Age of Globalization
- Access and Equity
- Higher Education and Social Cohesion
- Public-Private Mix in Higher Education
- Dynamics of International Student Circulation
- Emerging Global Model for the Research University

### **Discussion**

11:15 a.m.

### **Coffee Break**

### **NCS Panels**

11:30 a.m.

### **Access and Equity**

Patti McGill Peterson, Executive Director, Council for International Exchange of Scholars and Vice President, Institute of International Education, Moderator

#### *Presenters*

- Heather Eggins, Visiting Professor and Editor, Institute for Access Studies, Staffordshire University, U.K.
- Teshome Yizengaw, Former Vice Minister of Higher Education, Ethiopia

#### *Respondent*

- Mary Tupan-Wenno, Executive Director, ECHO Center for Diversity Policy, The Netherlands

12:15 p.m.

### **Emerging Global Model for the Research University**

Philip Altbach, Moderator

#### *Presenters*

- Wanhua Ma, Associate Professor, Graduate School of Education, Peking University, China
- David Baker, Professor, Department of Sociology, Pennsylvania State University, USA

#### *Respondents*

- David Ward, President, American Council on Education, USA
- Lesley Wilson, Secretary-General, European University Association, Belgium

1:00 p.m.

### **Discussion**

1:20 p.m.

### **Closing Remarks**

1:30 p.m.

### **Symposium Concludes**

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