

NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENT

AAPBS Secretariat Announcement

DISTINGUISHED FELLOW

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We are pleased to announce that Council have approved and recognise Professor George Benwell as the Association's fifth Distinguished Fellow. Prof. Benwell is the past President of AAPBS between Jan. 2014 and Dec. 2015.

2018 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

The AAPBS Secretariat will send invoices to members for the new 2018 Annual Invoice will be issued by the end of February 2018.

2018 e NEWSLETTER SCHEDULE

Please check the submission dates for eNewsletter 2018.

Date of Submission	Sent out E-Newsletter
Feb. 7	Feb. 21
April 11	April 25
June 8	June 27
Aug. 8	Aug. 29
Oct. 10	Oct. 31
Dec. 5	Dec. 19

2018 AAPBS ACADEMIC CONFERENCE

>> Save your date.



Member encouraging new members to join!

We want our members to actively encourage more institutions to join AAPBS. If you would like to recommend an institution who is not already on our member list, please send their details to the AAPBS Secretariat at AAPBS@business.kaist.ac.kr so that we can contact them.

2018 AAPBS ANNUAL MEETING

SAVE THE DATE!



NEW PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Introduction to Dean Tam as the new President



Dear Deans, Members and Schools,

It is my great honour to serve as the President of AAPBS.

Since 2004, AAPBS has played a growingly important role in refining and shaping the future of business education in the Asia-Pacific region. The expanding network is able to provide member schools a great platform to connect and collaborate, with our shared mission to advance the standard of business and management education in the region.

In the years ahead, the role of AAPBS will become more important, as the global growth engine continues shifting to the East, driven by some of the fastest growing economies in the world and their unexplored potential.

International groups such as the World Trade Organization, the World Economic Forum and the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) open avenues for dialogue between leaders of the world to discuss and promote free trade every year. In the region, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), apart from its Free Trade Area between member states, has established free trade agreements with South Korea, Japan, China, India as well as Australia and New Zealand, under the Regional Comprehensive Economic Partnership, to strengthen economic linkages and enhance trade and investment activities. Similarly, China's "One Belt One Road" initiative, which aims to boost economic ties with countries across Asia and Europe, is set to have a significant impact on the region, for many years to come.

Looking ahead and beyond the region, businesses around the world must also respond in time to some of the disruptive changes caused by major breakthroughs in technology, notably Artificial Intelligence (AI) and big data. Advances in these areas will cause profound changes in our business world, including displacement and creation of job opportunities. Business students today or corporate leaders tomorrow will need to have a strong sense to understand and harness the benefits of technology for their organizations to stay competitive.

Academia has an indispensable role to play in nurturing our future business talent, with the necessary skills and knowledge to meet the challenges of a technology-driven economy. They will provide the much-needed impetus for the economic and social developments of the region.

As a regional business education alliance of over 130 members, we need to work closer together to exchange and develop the next generation of business leaders for the sustainable development of the region. We, more than ever, need joint endeavours to resolve common issues we all face in meeting the new demand for quality business education.

With the ongoing momentum in the region, we have many good reasons to get together for closer and broader collaborations. AAPBS will provide a remarkable network to enhance our understanding of the region and build a stronger link with our peers in Asia and beyond.

As the host of the AAPBS Council Meeting and Conference in May 2018, I very much look forward to your thoughts on how to make all of us aware of the rich possibilities AAPBS can offer in the future.



Warm Regards,
Professor Tam Kar Yan
Dean of HKUST Business School

AAPBS Annual Meeting 2017 hosted by The University of Auckland

Thank you for joining the Annual Meeting.

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Conference photos are more available here;

<https://www.business.auckland.ac.nz/en/about/the-business-school/aapbs-annual-meeting-2017/photo-gallery.html>

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NEW
YEAR



Dear AAPBS Members,

We extend our warmest wishes for the Holiday Season to our members and friends who have made our progress possible throughout this year. May the year ahead be full of prosperity, good luck and fabulous fortune.

Happy New Year !

Betty J. Chung
Executive Director
AAPBS Secretariat

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