



**6<sup>th</sup> HIGH LEVEL FORUM**  
***“INNOVATION AND SMART LIVING”***

**SESSION**  
***“HLF GOVERNANCE”***

# HIGH LEVEL FORUM 2017: « HLF Governance » Session

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# HIGH LEVEL FORUM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: MEMBERS

## ➤ Americas :

- **Canada (Longueuil/Montreal) :** *Mr. Benoit BALMANA, Director IVEO, Economic Development of Longueuil Agglomeration*
- **USA (Pasadena, CA):** *Prof. Fred FARINA, Chief Innovation & Corporate Partnerships Officer, Caltech*

## ➤ Asia :

- **Japan (Tsukuba) :** *Dr. Toshihiko KANAYAMA, Fellow, AIST*
- **Taiwan (Hsinchu) :** *Dr. Alex PENG, Vice-President & General Director, ITRI*

## ➤ Europe :

- **France (Grenoble) :** *Dr. Jean-Charles GUIBERT, Chairman, MINATEC, CEA*
- **Sweden (Lund) :** *Mrs. Ulrika LINDMARK, CEO, Science Village Scandinavia AB*

## ➤ Middle-East :

- **Israël (Haifa):** *Prof. Wayne D. KAPLAN, Executive Vice-President for Research, Technion*

# HIGH LEVEL FORUM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE: MISSION

## MISSION OF THE HLF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE :

- To contribute to the **strengthening of the HLF initiative** in making proposals and recommendations to the HLF Community for always getting more added value from each High Level Forum edition.
- To assist GIANT for implementing the **governance initiatives** decided during the HLF editions
- To submit initiatives to HLF Community for **developing and promoting Innovation** within and between the HLF Ecosystems
- To always encourage **collaboration between the HLF Ecosystems**
- To contribute to the **international promotion and recognition** of the HLF initiative

# HIGH LEVEL FORUM: VISION & MISSION

## VISION

Be recognized as **THE international forum**  
of **Leading Innovation Ecosystems**

## MISSION

Promote **Innovation** through **Collaboration**  
between **Leading Innovation Ecosystems**  
to provide **added value**  
to the **Ecosystems** and **Humanity**

# HIGH LEVEL FORUM: STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

During the HLF 2016 , the following Strategic Initiatives have been decided by the Forum Attendees :

1. extending **the HLF international coverage** by inviting other leading Ecosystems who are placing Innovation as a pillar of their strategy and open to fairly collaborate
2. keeping the contribution from each Ecosystem at **a high level through its Top Executives** from Education & Research & Industry & Public Authorities
3. Increasing **the HLF communication process** ( internal and external ) through: HLF web site, post-event report, newsletters, publications, media coverage, ...
4. taking **initiatives of cross-cooperation** between Ecosystems around Innovation ( joint cooperation programs or projects, cross-visits, exchange of students, working groups about new themes ...)

**Comments from the Audience ?**



# HIGH LEVEL FORUM: PROGRAMS

## ➤ Completed in 2017

1. Set-up of the international **HLF Executive Committee**
2. **New features** of the HLF edition 2017
3. Intensified **internal communication** ( committee, web site, newsletters,...)
4. **International expansion** ( 9 new countries, 12 new ecosystems)

## ➤ 2018 Forecast

1. **New enriched format** of the HLF2018
2. **International Media coverage** via Press Agencies
3. Theme of **“Infrastructures”**: new and rich, to be used for mobilizing Larges Industrial Groups, Authorities, Investment and Financial Groups
4. New **inter-ecosystem projects**

# HIGH LEVEL FORUM ADDED VALUE: Grenoble case

- In complement to the HLF top-down meetings/events, GIANT is experimenting a **bottom-up approach of collaboration**, for instance with **the ecosystems of the executive committee** :
  - **Tsukuba**
    - Tsukuba and Grenoble are now twin cities
    - NIMS have one office in GIANT and sent researchers in different fields on mid-term periods
    - Tsukuba master students within the GIANT Internship Program
    - Tsukuba University offers three senior researcher grants to University of Grenoble professor.
  - **Caltech**
    - Incorporation of a common start-up “APIX”, on both countries
    - Exchange of researchers on 1 year base
    - One professor of Caltech wins a GIANT “chairs of excellence”
    - CEA-Tech office in Caltech
  - **Lund**
    - Multiple cross scientific exchanges with ESRF, ILL and GEM
    - Lund Science village interaction with GIANT on global scheme of innovation
  - **Montreal**
    - Exchange of researchers with INRS
    - Common thought with Nanoquebec on industrialisation of Nanotechnologies
  - **Taiwan and Haifa**
    - CEA-Leti, ITRI, Technion frequent visits, common events, MOU signature
    - Visit of high level executive with Taiwan : minister of MOST; Grenoble Metro president
- In a near future, we plan **an extended bottom-up approach of collaboration with all the HLF ecosystems**: exchanges of students & researchers, common thoughts on innovation process, start-up soft landing,...



# HIGH LEVEL FORUM PROJECT: Building a network of Business Schools engaged in the success of innovative ecosystems

## Business Schools on an Innovation Mission

Report of the AACSB International Task Force on Business Schools and Innovation

« Innovation is about economic and social prosperity, not just business performance, and that is as much about leadership and management as it is about science and technology. »

AACSB  
INTERNATIONAL

<http://www.aacsb.edu/~media/AACSB/Publications/research-reports/business-schools-on-an-innovation-mission.ashx>

- Let's start sharing our practices and ideas about:
  - *Management education for innovative business leaders;*
  - *Business Modelling and entrepreneuring to accompany technological innovations (business experimentation);*
  - *Engagement with firms and labs to create economic value.*
- Let's think about how to recognize Business schools' impact on innovation and that of managers too.
- Let's make connections at the global level to establish a new dominant design of responsible and sustainability-driven innovation management.



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