

CONNECTIONS

A monthly newsletter of ACES Global Connect
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Current available grants are online at <http://global.aces.uiuc.edu> under the "Funding Opportunities" link.

Culture, Conflict and Communication Workshop Offered to ACES Faculty and Staff March 28

Dr. Gary Weaver, Director of Intercultural Management, American University, will give this 1-day workshop to a small group of ACES faculty and staff. To register, visit: http://global.aces.uiuc.edu/weaver_workshop and register online.

Dr. Weaver will give a public lecture on the same topic on Thursday, March 27 at 4:00 p.m. in Temple Buell Auditorium. This lecture is free and open to the public and sponsored by ACES Global Connect.



ACES Global Connect Website has a New Look

The new ACES Global Connect website, found at <http://global.aces.uiuc.edu>, has more in-depth information, up to date news and events, and opportunities for funding or participation in international activities. Watch in the coming weeks for an interactive map showing our current involvement in international activities around the globe.

ACES International Profile Update

More than 60 percent of ACES faculty filled out the international profile of our college, found at http://www.surveymonkey.com/s.aspx?sm=7iInKachMgt16pdEz_2fwrxQ_3d_3d. If you haven't filled it out yet, there is still time through the end of the semester. Watch for information from the survey coming soon.

ACES Argentina Trip a Success

A delegation of administrators and scientists visited current and potential partners in Argentina to re-invigorate our ties to this important international partner. Dean Easter led the mission, and signed agreements at UCA, Balcarce, and Cordoba.

ACES Global Academy Visits D.C.

ACES Global Academy members made the rounds of international funding agencies in Washington D.C. March 5-7. Stops included World Bank, USAID, USDA FAS, CSREES, Fulbright, and others. For more information see <http://global.aces.uiuc.edu/academy/>

AGC SEMINARS:

March 25: ACES Working Strategically in China

This meeting is open to any faculty currently working in China or with an interest in developing ties in China. Scheduled for 11:00 a.m. in Morgan Room, ACES LIAC

March 27-28: Culture, Conflict and Communication in the Global Workforce

Public lecture on 27th, Conference for ACES faculty and extension staff on 28th. Register at http://global.aces.uiuc.edu/weaver_workshop.

April 1-5: Poland USDA/FAS international agribusiness group

April 21-22: Purpan Visitors to UI

June 25-27: Argentine Farmer Delegation Visits UI



For more information on upcoming visitors or to publicize international visitors coming to your office, please email tboian@uiuc.edu.

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