

Executive Committee Meeting - Online	
Date	Wednesday, 10 th February 2021
Attendance	<p>(a) Chairperson</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Robyn Healy, School of Fashion and Textiles, RMIT, Australia <p>(b) Regional Members</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Deirdre Sato, Fashion Institute of Technology, U.S.A. - Member • Prof. Danielle Martin, Ryerson University, Canada - Member • Prof. Noel Palomo-Lovinski, Kent State University, USA – Member • Prof. Norio Nakanish, Bunka Gakuen University, Japan – Member • Dr. Dirk Reynders, Amsterdam Fashion Institute (Hogeschool), The Netherland- Chair, Education Initiative Sub-Committee • Prof. Nandita Abraham, Pearl Academy, India – Chair, Finance Sub-Committee • Gulin Girismen, Istanbul Moda Academy, Turkey – Member • Prof. Liz Barnes, Manchester Metropolitan University, UK – Deputy Chair, Deputy Chair Membership-Sub-Committee • Prof. Jose Teunissen, London College of Fashion, UK – Member • Anne Normoyle, FDS TAFE NSW, Australia – Member • Prof. Margo Barton, Otago Polytechnic, New Zealand- Chair Membership Sub-Committee <p>(c) Co-opted Members</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Anthony Kent, Nottingham Trent University, UK- Chair Research Sub-Committee • Prof. Borim Joo- Ewha Womans University, South Korea • Selee Lee, Ewha Womans University, South Korea • Neha Dimri, Pearl Academy, India • Seema Mahajan, Pearl Academy, India • Antonio M. Grioli, Pearl Academy, India <p>(e) Member Secretary</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Commodore Vijay Chaturvedi (Retd.) - Secretary General <p>f) Apologies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Jun Li, Donghua University, P.R. China – Deputy Chair, Finance Sub-Committee • Basia Szkutnicka, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong – Deputy Chair, Education Initiative Sub-Committee
Items	Discussions/Outcomes
1.	<p>Welcome – Chair welcomed the Members. Noting in the period of Pandemic IFFTI has been active, from organising an Online Conference for 2021 to delivering online workshops, we continue to be connected with members in new ways. IFFTI is growing into an online Community.</p>
2.	<p>2021 Conference- Pearl Academy delivered a PowerPoint presentation(Annexure1).</p>
❖	<p>Summary -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 44 Paper Submissions • 7 Non Paper Submissions • 18 Reviewers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9 Internals 7 International 2 IFFTI India Chapter
❖	<p>March 2021-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Keynote address by UN Goodwill Ambassador – Dia Mirza (Bollywood Actress). She will introduce the topic, which leads into the Student Competition. Roshni Bhatia and Dia Mirza will evaluate the entries. • Request for nominations for one delegate per University to circulate the details in their respective regions. This approach with authorised representatives and student community to assist spread awareness of the competition. • Research Workshop and Keynote: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Research Design ➤ Academic Writing • Workshop for 1 to 1½ hours for broader audience. • Planning an abstract to writing a paper in different ways • It will be recorded. • Education workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Speaker: Dr. Troy Nachtigall ➤ Topic: Speculative Design ➤ It will be published

- Also recording available on website.
- Neha Dimri to reach out to members who can write a blog/offer views which will be hosted on the website.
- **Fees**
 - Recommend following fees:-
 - IFFTI Members - \$100**
 - Students - \$15**
 - Non IFFTI member - \$150**
- To be reviewed after discussions, taking into account benefits of membership fees
- 3. 2022 Conference, Nottingham Trent University, update**
 - Website set up by April 2021
 - Delivery mode- Hybrid Online Offline Conference
 - Plan for delivering in April 2022
- 4. Workshops**
 - Workshops conducted by Manchester Fashion Institute and AMFI Successful.
 - Schedule
 - 13th November 2020 – Manchester Fashion Institute
 - December 2020- AMFI
 - January 2021 – No Event
 - February 2021- RMIT
 - March 2021
 - April 2021 - Ryerson
 - May 2021 - NIFT
 - June 2021- Reutlingen University
- 5. Future Conferences**
 - Prof. Noel Palomo-Lovinski stated that a new facility was under construction, and the completion date was uncertain. They were therefore not in a position to commit to hosting the 2023 or 2024 Conferences. They may consider a future conference after the new facility is completed.
 - EWHA offered to host an offline conference in 2024.
 - Put out a call to find hosts for 2023 and 2025 conferences, across the regions.
- 6. Sponsored Membership for Ghana Institute.**
 - Prof. Anthony Kent had exchanged mail with Professor Charles Frimpong, Associate Professor in Textiles, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Kumasi, Ghana. They are very interested in joining IFFTI. They will make a presentation at the NTU 2022 Conference.
 - Prof. Anthony Kent and Prof. Margo Barton to develop a proposal.
- 7. Update on Sub-Committees**
 - **Membership**
 - * Supported initiative to mentor the Institute in Ghana.
 - * Suggestion to find an industry sponsor for this initiative .
 - **Education**
 - * Successful AMFI Workshop
 - * Conducted regional meetings
 - **Research**
 - * European Regional Meeting successful. 25 Round the table.
 - * Trying to organise a special edition for IFFTI members.
- 8. IAF Collaboration**
 - IAF MOU up for renewal
 - Approach for IFFTI to collaborate during IAF Conference
 - Chair will work towards renewal of MOU
 - IFFTI should continue to identify other organisations to collaborate with.
- 9. Other Points**
 - For future Executive meetings, chair and members presenting will use PowerPoint Presentations for better communication and clarity, allowing everyone to access after the session, and follow up with any further questions and/or information.
 - In future the secretariat will call for Agenda items, to allow all members an opportunity to contribute
 - Online meetings will be shorter than our previous physical get-togethers – designed to run for 60 minutes, presentations if possible will be shared before the meeting, to aid discussion and use of time

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IFFTI INDIA 2021

Abstract Submissions for IFFTI India 2021

Details	Paper Submission	Non- Paper submission
The Emergent	16	2
The Urgent	13	1
The Incumbent	15	4
Total	44	7

5-7 more abstracts are yet to be reviewed

Reviewers	Numbers
Internal	9
International	7
IFFTI India Chapter	2
Total	18

March Event

- Keynote address by UN Goodwill Ambassador – **Dia Mirza**

Sustainability spokes person and a prominent Film actor.

Introducing the topic of Fashioning Resurgence.



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March Event – Student Competition

The high waisted jean first came into style when the denim manufacturer Levi's produced jeans for women working on the land and in factories for the war effort in the 1940's (Vintage, 2019).'

They have been in and out of style since. Ever wonder why they are called 'Mom Jeans' then? Did your mom wear them when she was young? Maybe she still has an old pair somewhere. So out with the new and in with the old. Find something old and breathe new style into it. Think of how your grandmother's saree or father's old safari suit can become the new thing in fashion. Why not set the trend? Influence. **Do not be influenced.**

March Research – Workshop and Keynote

- Research Design
- Academic writing

- Speaker TBC

March Education – Workshop and Keynote

- Speaker : Dr. Troy Nachtigall
- Topic: Speculative Design