THE MEETINGS HELD AT THE 17TH IFFTI ANNUAL CONFERENCE FROM 12TH MAY, 2015 TO 16TH MAY, 2015 AT POLIMODA ITALY

ENCLOSURE 1 (7 PAGES)

Meeting	Opening Session of the 33 rd Meeting of the Executive Committee			
Date	Tuesday, 12 th May, 2015			
Time	14:00hrs-18:00hrs			
Location	Polimoda ,ltaly			
Attendance	 (a) Chair Prof. Frances Corner, London College of Fashion, U.K. (b) Regional Members Prof. Robyn Healy, School of Fashion and Textiles, RMIT, Australia – Deputy Chairperson and Chair, Research Sub-Committee Ms.Sylvie Ebel, Institut Francais de la Mode, France-Chair Finance Sub-Committee Dr. Giacomo Oliva, Fashion Institute of Technology, U.S.A. – Deputy Chair, Membership Sub-Committee Ms. Souraya Bouwmans-Sarraf, Amsterdam Fashion Institute, The Netherlands – Deputy Chair, Education Initiative Sub-Committee Dr. Li Jun, Donghua University, P.R. China-Deputy Chair Finance Sub-Committee Dr. Cynthia L. Istook, North Carolina State University, U.S.A. – Member Mr. Hajime Endo, Bunka Gakuen University, Japan – Member Ms. Kay McMahon, Queensland University of Technology, Australia – Member Co-opted Member Ms. Tina Guglielmino, School of Fashion and Textiles, RMIT, Australia Prof.Linda Loppa 			
	Commodore Vijay Chaturvedi (Retd.) - Secretary General			
Welcome	Prof.Frances Corner welcomed the Executive Committee members. She hoped that the Committee would engage in meaningful deliberations on the issues concerning the foundation.			
Items	Discussions/Outcomes Action			
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1. Previous Minutes	1.1 "That the minutes of the 32 nd Executive Committee meeting held at Institut Francais de la Mode, France on 8 th and 9 th October, 2014, and the Additional Meeting of Executive Committee held at LCF, UK on 29 th January, 2015 were adopted."	Secretary		

2. DG NIFT Agenda	2.1 At the Outset, Prof.Frances Corner discussed the Agenda Points forwarded by DG NIFT, After detailed deliberations the Executive Committee decided as	
Points	Change in Authorised Representatives 2.1.1 This issue had been raised earlier also by DG NIFT. The Committee was of the opinion that to maintenance continuity of dialog and decision making, it was essential that there is no change in the Executive Members during the tenure of 4 years barring extraneous circumstances. The committee suggested that NIFT could perhaps nominate a senior permanent faculty as the Authorised Representative who could attend all IFFTI meetings. The DG NIFT, because of his busy schedule, may be nominated as the Alternative Representative who could attend the Annual Conference.	Secretary
	Mandatory Student Exchange 2.1.2 This was considered unenforceable as all the Institutions may not have the network. The students may not wish to go to the nominated Institution. It would be difficult to align the curriculum and timelines of all the members. The committee was of the opinion that bilateral exchanges by mutual consent would be the best way forwarded.	
	Regional Meetings 2.1.3 Holding regional meeting was a very good idea and must be encouraged. However; It should be left to the discretion of the host institution to decide whether they should issue the minutes or not as these meeting are informal.	
	Passing of Resolution 2.1.4 The committee opinioned that the present practice of passing resolutions was satisfactory and there was no need to make it more bureaucratic.	
3. Florence Conference	3.1 Prof.Linda Loppa gave a brief overview of the activities planned at the 2015 Conference.3.2 The members thanked her for making such elaborate arrangements.	
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4. Regional Meetings	 4.1 The Chairperson encouraged the members to hold frequent Regional meetings to enable the non-member institutions to express their points of view. 4.2 Efforts should also be made to invite Regional Members to participation in Conference being organized by IFFTI Members 	Executive Committee members

5. Additional Meeting	 5.1 Prof.Frances Corner explained that the proposal for holding the additional meeting in January was to facilitate discussing of key issues. Some if these are :- a) Higher Education Journal b) Long-term Structure of IFFTI c) Relationship with Industry d) The Procedure for inducting new members e) Any other key issue related to development of IFFTI objectives. 	Executive Committee members
6. Visit to Boras	6.1 The Chairperson recommended that the meeting in Boras should be of two full days. The spare time may be utilized for a presentation by them on the Research that they are doing and also a tour of their new complex.	Secretary
7. Gallery/Museum Links	 7.1 The Chairperson proposed that we should establish a relationship with Galleries and Museums to links with their network in similar manner which is being attempted in respect of libraries. 7.2 Prof.Frances Corner informed that Ms. Anne Smith from Central St. Martins will come to the Beijing Conference to conduct a workshop. 	Executive Committee members
8. Membership Subcommittee	 8.1 Ms. Tina Guglielmino briefed the committee that application forms of three new institutions were evaluated by the Membership Sub-Committee. The Sub-committee recommended the following:- a) Reutlingen University, Germany – Regular Membership b) Ewha Woman's University, South Korea—Regular Membership c) Osaka Bunka Fashion College, Japan- Associate Membership 8.2 The list of members provided in the Agenda was discussed. The committee agreed that the list should be reviewed based on the time elapsed since we have contacted them and some institutions removed from the list according to lack of interest shown over a number of years. 8.3 The Executive Committee members agreed to find links to some of the Institutions that they were interacting with. Application Form 8.4 Ms. Tina Guglielmino informed that the Sub-Committee had discussed in detail the existing application form. They would soon be presenting the revised simplified and more informative form for the use of new members. On a point raised by the Secretary, the committee decided that in case where a new member is unable to get a letter of reference from an existing IFFTI Member, the Secretary may nominate one member from the region to evaluate the new member. 	Secretary Executive Committee members

9. New Website	 9.1 Ms. Tina Guglielmino informed that the new website has been provided and the Sub-Committee was in the process of examining it and will shortly be providing detailed recommendations for further changes necessary. Decisions 9.2 The following decisions were taken: A separate Research Blog should be incorporated on the Website. Administrative Control of the Website should be provided to Prof.Robyn Healy and Ms. Souraya Bouwmans-Sarraf to enable them to directly update the website in respect of their Sub-Committees. Photographs of the Conference should be used in the Websites. All participants at the Conference must be informing that their photographs may be incorporated in the Website. 	Secretary
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	11.5 In Florence the committee developed the research workshop on creative practice to support the themes of the Polimoda conference with contributions from Robyn Healy RMIT University, Jose Teunissen ArtEZ Institute, Clemens Thornquist Boras University and Anthony Kent Nottingham Trent University.	Sub-Committee
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12. Finance Sub-Committee	 11.9 She further recommended that the Reviewer's list needs to revised to bring it up-to-date. Secretary General was asked to write to all the members to obtain names of Reviewers. 11.10 Prof.Robyn Healy asked to make a comprehensive and concise flow chart laying down the guideline for conducting the Conference. She recommended that the Next Research Workshop would be creative practice Workshops. 12.1 Ms.Sylvie Ebel presented the Financial Statement of 2014 and the Budget for 2015. The same are enclosed at Annexures 1 and 2 respectively. 12.2 The Committee adopted the Balance Sheet as at 31st December, 2014 and approved the budget for the Year 2015. 12.3 The Committee asked the Finance Sub-Committee to prepare a budget for next 5 years to understand the overall Financial health of the Foundation to be discussed at meeting of the Executive Committee in the Autumn. 	Chair of Finance Sub-Committee
13. Venues	13.1 The Venues were discussed. It was decided to explore the possibility to look for the host of the 2018 Annual Conference.	
14.	14.1 The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.	

ENCLOSURE 2 (8 PAGES)

Meeting	17 th Annual Meeting of the General Council			
Date	Wednesday, 13 th May, 2015			
Time	0930 hours to 1200 hours			
Location	Polimoda, Italy			
Attendance	 (a) Chair Dr. Frances Corner, London College of Fashion, U.K. (b) Institutional Members Ms. Souraya Bouwmans-Sarraf, Amsterdam Fashion Institute, The Netherlands Ms. Leslie Holden, Amsterdam Fashion Institute, The Netherlands Ms. Archana Surana, Arch Academy of Design, India Mr. Manan Surana, Arch Academy of Design, India Prof. Jose Teunissen, Artez Institute of the Arts, Fashion Department, The Netherlands Flora Van Gaalen, Artez Institute of the Arts, Fashion Department, The Netherlands Reaz-Bin-Mahmood, BGMEA Institute of Fashion & Technology, Bangladesh Muzaffar Uddin Siddique, BGMEA Institute of Fashion & Technology, Bangladesh Du Bingbing, Beijing Institute of Fashion Technology Jing Guo, Beijing Institute of Fashion Technology Hajime Endo, Bunka Gakuen University, Japan Yoko Takagi, Bunka Gakuen University, Japan Prof. Li Jun, Donghua University, P.R. China Honglei zhou, Donghua University, P.R. China Honglei zhou, Donghua University, P.R. China Ms. Annie Toulzat, Ecole Duperre school, Ms. Annie Toulzat, Ecole Duperre school, Dr. Giacomo Oliva, Fashion Institute of Technology, U.S.A Deirdre Sato, Fashion Institute of Technology, U.S.A Su-Lee Tsai, Fu Jen Catholic University Ms. Elita Lam Hong Kong Design Institute, Hong Kong Ms. Sylvie Ebel, Institut Francais de la Mode, Paris Hans De Foer, Institut Francais de la Mode, Paris Hans De Foer, Institut Francais de la Mode, Paris Ms. Seda Lafci, Istanbul Moda Academy, Turkey Ayse Eda Dorman, Istanbul Moda Academy, Turkey Maria Jose Molina Sanchez, The ISEM Fashion Business School,Spain Lydmila N.Abutalipova, Kazan National Research Technological University, Russia Mr. Tim Hubbard, KEA Copenhagen School of Design and Technology 			

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 - Ms. Janice Mee
- e) Corporate Sponsor LECTRA
 - Anne-Laure Frizon
- g) **Member Secretary**
 - Commodore Vijay Chaturvedi (Retd.)

Welcome

Prof.Frances Corner stated that she was delighted to welcome the members to the 17th Annual Conference of the International Foundation of Fashion Technology Institutes (IFFTI) .The Theme of this year's Conference was "*Momenting the Memento*" .Contributors will give papers, conduct discourse

	and display installations on a diverse range of issues related to fashion and its power from cultural, social, health, innovation and educational perspectives. This will be a wonderful opportunity for delegates from some of the world's leading institutions for fashion education to participate in a forum to exchange ideas, share research and educational pedagogy. On behalf of IFFTI she would like to express our sincere thanks to Polimoda and Prof.Linda Loppa, Director of Polimoda for hosting this year's Conference and organizing a wonderful Conference program and extend thanks to her team for the effort and time they have spent preparing for this year's conference. She sincerely hoped that members will all have many wonderful experiences, meet new colleagues and share exciting concepts with diverse International IFFTI Members and guests at this Conference.				
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			National Institute of Fashion	An Invitation to creative and			
			Technology, India	argumentative			
				designers to			
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	b.	Anthony Kent		society Fashion space and			
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	a)	Alice Payne	Queensland	Writing fashion's			
			University of	future: the gods			
			Technology(QUT),	and monsters of			
			Australia	the Anthropocene			
	b)	Maja Gunn		On & Off – The			
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			School of Textiles,	Writer			
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	c)	Ben Barry	Ryerson University	The Monster In			

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	a)	Armando Chant	Royal Melbourne Institute of	De-Stabilizing the Frame: The		
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10.	10.1 There being no further points the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.	

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Meeting	Closing Session of the 33 rd Meeting of the Executive Committee	
Date	15 th May, 2015	
Time	1730 hrs.	
Location	Polimoda , Italy	
Attendance	 (a) Chair Prof. Robyn Healy, School of Fashion and Textiles, RMIT, Australia – Deputy Chairperson and Chair, Research Sub-Committee (b) Regional Members Ms.Sylvie Ebel, Institut Francais de la Mode, France-Chair Finance Sub-Committee Dr. Giacomo Oliva, Fashion Institute of Technology, U.S.A. – Deputy Chair, Membership Sub-Committee Ms. Souraya Bouwmans-Sarraf, Amsterdam Fashion Institute, The Netherlands – Deputy Chair, Education Initiative Sub-Committee Dr. Li Jun, Donghua University, P.R. China-Deputy Chair Finance Sub-Committee Dr. Cynthia L. Istook, North Carolina State University, U.S.A. – Member Mr. Hajime Endo, Bunka Gakuen University, Japan – Member Ms. Kay McMahon, Queensland University of Technology, Australia – Member Co-opted Member Ms. Tina Guglielmino, School of Fashion and Textiles, RMIT, Australia Prof.Linda Loppa Member Secretary Commodore Vijay Chaturvedi (Retd.)-Secretary General 	
Items	Discussions/Outcomes	Action
1. Arrangement with Pearl Academy	1.1 It was decided to enter into a formal contract for a period of 5 years with Pearl Academy.	Secretary
2. BIFT Conference	2.1 Members expressed concern that they had not been able to hold detailed discussions with BIFT representatives regarding the forthcoming Conference. 2.2 It was decided to nominate Prof. Robyn Healy and Mr.Hajime Endo to coordinate with Beijing to ensure that the Paper Presentation Schedule and the	
	process were in order. It was decided to recommend to BIFT to send their representatives to Bunka for discussions with Mr.Hajime Endo.	
3. 34 th Executive Committee Meeting	 3.1 It was decided to change the Venue and date of the next Executive Committee Meeting. 3.2 The 34th Executive Committee Meeting is now proposed to be held on 26th and 27th October, 2015 in Singapore. 	Secretary
	3.3 The secretary was asked to obtain confirmation from Temasek whether they would host the meeting. Otherwise it may be held in a hotel.	

4. Interaction with New Members	4.1 It was decided that we should limit the presentation by new members to only 10 Minutes.	
	4.2 It was further decided that the interaction with the new members should be over tea in a Conference room environment.	
5. Interaction between Members	5.1 A separate time slot should be programmed to allow interaction between members. The host Institution to display conspicuously names of all the attendees at the Conference.	
	5.2 . A separate time slot should be allocated for interaction between Paper Presenters and Moderators.	Secretary
6. Thanks	Prof.Robyn Healy stated that she would like to offer her sincere appreciation to Prof.Linda Loppa for hosting this year's Conference and would like to acknowledge her team of organizers who had spent considerable amount of time and effort arranging this Conference. She stated that the Conference had provided an ideal platform for professional interaction between academia and industry the very raison d'etre of IFFTI. She was sure the members are taking back with them the professional inputs and fond memories of the hospitality bestowed upon them by the entire Polimoda faculty and staff.	

