

DAY I - Tuesday, March 14, 2006



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Exhibition

Parallel to the workshop sessions an exhibition will accompany the workshop for presenting state-of-the-art e-learning systems, products, and services. Universities, e-learning, suppliers and service providers are invited to exhibit relevant materials, products, services and/or equipments in this exhibition.

07:30 - 08:30 AM **Registration**

Session I: Opening and Keynote Presentations

Session Chair: Prof. Sahel N. Abduljawwad

08:30 - 08:35 AM

Welcome Statement
Prof. Sahel N. Abduljawwad
Dean, Academic Development

08:35 - 08:45 AM

KFUPM Speech
H.E. Prof. Khaled S. Al-Sultan
Rector of the University

08:45 - 08:55 AM

Opening Address
H.E. Prof. Khaled M. Al-Angari
Minister of Higher Education

09:00 - 10:00 AM

Keynote I: Trends in e-learning
Prof. David Ross
Chair of Flexible Delivery at the University of Southern Queensland (USQ), Australia

10:00 - 10:30 AM

COFFEE BREAK AND EXHIBITION

10:30 - 11:30 AM

Keynote II: Interactive Learning—Making Best use of Human and Technical Resources
Prof. Roy Leitch
President and CEO, Interactive University, UK

11:30 - 12:30 AM

Keynote III: Strategic Planning for e-learning in Higher Education Institutions
Prof. David Ross
Chair of Flexible Delivery at the University of Southern Queensland (USQ), Australia

12:30 - 01:30 PM

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Session II: Towards e-KFUPM

Session Chair: Dr. Moosa Alkindi

01:30 - 02:00 PM

e-learning at KFUPM
Dr. Saeed M. Al-Amoudi
Director, e-learning Center, KFUPM

02:00 - 02:20 PM

ITC Infrastructure and Technology for e-Services
Prof. Sadiq M. Sait
Director, Information Technology Center, KFUPM

02:20 - 02:40 PM

Library e-services
Dr. Talal Maghrabi
Dean, Library Affairs, KFUPM

02:40 - 03:00 PM

Project Raed: Enabling e-Services at KFUPM
Mr. Iftikhar Nadeem
Advisor, Information Strategy, Raed Project Manager Financial and Administrative Affairs, KFUPM

03:00 - 03:20 PM

Educational Technologies at KFUPM
Engr. Ibrahim Al-Khalidi
Director General, Educational Technologies, KFUPM



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03:20 - 03:45 PM ASR PRAYER AND COFFEE BREAK

03:45 - 04:30 PM

Keynote IV: Quality Online Teaching as a Transformative Agent

Prof. Burks Oakley II

Associate Vice President for Academic Affairs, University of Illinois, USA

08:00 - 09:30 PM

Workshop Dinner

DAY II - Wednesday March 15, 2006

Session III: Distinguished Experiences in e-learning

Session Chair: Dr. Ibrahim M. Al-Jabri

08:30 - 09:30 AM

Keynote V: e-learning in University of Southern Queensland

Prof. David Ross

Chair of Flexible Delivery at the University of Southern Queensland (USQ), Australia

09:30 - 10:30 AM

Keynote VI: Building International Partnerships Through Distributing Education

Prof. Roy Leitch

President and CEO, Interactive University, UK

10:30 - 10:45 AM

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Session IV: Regional Experience in e-learning

Session Chair: Dr. Syed Ahmed M. Said

10:45 - 11:15 AM

e-learning Practical Experience in the Middle East

Dr. Milad F. Sebaaly

CEO, Universal Knowledge Solutions

11:15 - 11:45 AM

Users and Non-users of e-learning: Perspectives of Academic Staff

Dr. Moosa Al-Kindi

Asst V.P for Humanities Colleges, Sultan Qaboos University

11:45 - 12:15 PM

e-learning: Saudi Aramco's Experience

Mr. Ken Huffman

Coordinator, Corporate Integrated Learning Services Saudi Aramco

12:15 - 01:30 PM

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Session V: Panel Discussion

01:30 - 03:00 PM

Session Chair and Moderator: Dr. Saeed Al-Amoudi

Panelist

Prof. David Ross

Chair of Flexible Delivery at the University of Southern Queensland (USQ), Australia

Prof. Roy Leitch

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Prof. Sahel N. Abduljawad

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