The Inter-American Organization for Higher Education (OUI-IOHE) was founded in 1980 and is currently the only higher education association present and active throughout the Americas. Through its various training offer and wide variety of inter-American and intercultural activities, OUI-IOHE implements the best strategies and practices to help higher education institutions face challenges specific to this sector.
**Benefits of being part of IOHE**

**Belonging to an inter-American community of knowledge**
- + 350 HEIs of the American continent.
- Continental collaboration opportunities.
- Privileged connection with specific partners.

**Access to IOHE Grants and financing projects**
- Scholarships for IOHE training activities.
- Joint grants with IOHE partners
- Financing for research projects.

**Access to international leaders and experts**
- Leadership and Governance.
- Internationalization of Higher Education.
- Innovation.
- Equity and Inclusion.
- Sustainable Development Goals

**Access to the Virtual Mobility Space in Higher Education (eMOVIES)**
- Exclusive for OUI members at no additional cost.
- + 120 HEIs, 13 countries, 4500 courses.
- Intercultural Module available to all participating students.

**Education and training for managers with preferential rates**
- Capacity building activities.
- Specialized seminars.
- Conferences.
- Internships.
- Inter-American Awards.

**Admission criteria**

**For Regular Members**
Regular members of the Organization are universities and higher education institutions of the Americas, recognized by the respective laws of their countries, which carry out teaching, research or permanent training functions.

- Submit a written request to the General Secretariat of the Organization.
- Prove the validity of your legal personality through the necessary documentation, in accordance with the laws of your country.
- Demonstrate that the rules governing the requesting HEI are not contrary to the IOHE Declaration of Principles and/or the Statutes.
- Have academic staff of quality, training and relevance with respect to the level or levels in which they participate.
- Have the recommendation of the Vice Presidency and/or Regional Council.
- Be a member of a national association in your country (if one exists).
- Develop at least three formal academic programs at any level of higher education, equivalent to those recognized by UNESCO as tertiary education.
- Have institutional development plans and self-assessment and external evaluation processes.
For Associate Members

These are research centers and regional, national and international associations.

- Research centers. Have a regional presence and activities that contribute to the development of IOHE.
- Regional, national and international associations. That contribute to intensify the presence of IOHE in their country or region and with whom IOHE is interested in establishing collaboration links.

Our Portfolio

Virtual IGLU Course

Taught by our Institute for University Management and Leadership (IGLU) since 1983, this course provides managers of higher education institutions with the necessary tools and knowledge to enhance their management skills in the areas of planning, academics, resources, personnel and of projects. Through its five modules, it boosts the response capacity of the teams to the competitive demands of the current context.

Diploma in Internationalization of Higher Education (DIES)

This diploma is aimed at professional teams linked to the internationalization of higher education. Divided into three modules, it focuses its efforts on developing skills for planning in the areas of international relations, creating strategies for academic mobility, and using proactive tools for the development of the international curriculum.

"Communication of scientific production and knowledge visibility" Course

Through this training experience, researchers and academics will be able to learn about and apply different tools to optimize the visibility and positioning of their scientific and academic production. The content, divided into three modules, allows you to develop scientific policy strategies to position your institution in the scientific-technological field.

Inter-American Training Program in Management of Innovation Environments

The purpose of this program is to facilitate the appropriation and development of capacities for leadership and management of innovation ecosystems that promote an impact on the knowledge economy and society. It contributes to the training of innovation directors and managers, researchers and public administration officials linked to the development of Science, Technology and Innovation strategies.

Policies with a Gender Perspective in HEIs Course

Product of the Space for Women Leaders of Higher Education (EMULIES), this course results from the need to rethink higher education as a space of equality and equity. Aimed at those in charge of gender areas, the work of three modules focuses on the development of skills and abilities to analyze and design policies for the inclusion and equal opportunities between men and women in HEIs.
IOHE Scholarship Program

Made up of the “Beca Solidaridad” and the “Beca Fidelidad”, this program seeks to strengthen the higher education institutions that are IOHE members, facilitating access to their training activities by offering full and partial scholarships.

Virtual Mobility Space in Higher Education (eMOVIES)

Virtual academic exchange initiative that offers students the opportunity to take courses from other IOHE member institutions, enriching their training process through mobility and internationalization experiences.

Annual Fees

Regular members

Universities and Higher Education Institutions:

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Associate Members

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Integration fee (single payment)

| For new members                    | US$ 550 |

The Conference of the Americas on International Education (CAEI) is the continental forum of excellence that brings together the main actors and decision-makers related to the internationalization of higher education in the Americas to strengthen contacts, exchange experiences, and chart the future of the academic cooperation in the region.

The CAEI is organized every two years in a different host country in alliance with national, regional and international higher education institutions and organizations, offering a platform from which emerging challenges and trends, as well as good practices, are made known, related to international education in the continent.