Looking Forward, Looking Back  
Celebrating 25 Years of International Education in Australia

Dear Member,

Request for support of publication celebrating 25 years of International Education in Australia

At a time of concern about the future of international education in Australia it is critical that we utilise the 25th Anniversary of the announcement of the full fee overseas student policy which effectively launched the industry in 1986 as a way of reaffirming its importance and rebuilding and positioning Australia’s international education program and its educational institutions in all sectors, particularly ours.

In the attached flyer you will see that representatives of all sectors of the industry have come together to commission and produce a landmark publication, Looking Forward, Looking Back: Celebrating 25 Years of International Education in Australia, which will focus the attention of Government and industry on the massive achievements of this program in Australia to date, and point to its likely future directions.

TDA strongly supports this project. Substantial funding support has been committed already by the Commonwealth and some state government, by universities, other institutions and a number of Australian businesses with interests in international education. In order to ensure a high quality publication and a major launch at the Australian Parliament in November 2011 the project management team is seeking a contribution from individual TDA institutions of $1000/$2000 towards the cost of the project.

I very much hope you will be able to support this endeavour. Please email your response, or your enquiries, to Dennis Murray, member of the Editorial Committee (dennis.murray@rmit.edu.au). The International Education Association of Australia (IEAA) provides the secretariat for this project and will generate an invoice for each contribution accordingly.

Yours sincerely

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