Global Public Policy Network

The Global Public Policy Network (GPPN) is a partnership between Columbia University, the London School of Economics and Political Science, the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy at the National University of Singapore and Sciences Po, Paris. GPPN is global in two ways: the global spread of its members and its subject focus on emerging global trends in public policy.

The mission of GPPN is to address the most pressing public policy challenges of the 21st century and, as a result, to have policy impact, to be influential in public policy education and training, and to be innovative in teaching and research. GPPN aims to do this through:

i) innovative, research-led teaching programmes for students, notably through dual/joint degree programmes [lead: Columbia]

ii) cutting edge, collaborative research in a range of policy-oriented disciplines that is relevant to pressing global problems * [lead: Sciences Po]

iii) high quality publications that are accessible to researchers and practitioners alike, notably a new journal entitled “Global Policy” [lead: LSE]

iv) high quality executive education and training for policy makers [lead: LKY]

v) conferences and events that bring teachers, researchers and policy-makers together

Each member has agreed to take the lead in one area as indicated above.

* Policy-oriented research within each institution must extend well beyond public policy schools.

For further information about GPPN, please see About GPPN.

Latest GPPN news

• The 3rd Global Public Policy Network (GPPN) Conference with the theme of "Harmonising Globalisation: Seeking Solutions to Common Problems" was held in Beijing on 20-21 October 2008 which brought together around 300 prominent policy academics, practitioners and students from around the world. It was hosted by the
Peking University School of Government in collaboration with the Lee Kuan Yew School of Public Policy. For post event information including press cuttings, please click here.

• From 22-26 October 2008 PKU also hosted the collaborative GPPN research conference with the theme of “Public governance of markets: European and Asian experiences” which was funded by GPPN’s 2008 China Grant programme. A select number of PhD students from LSE, Sciences Po and PKU presented their papers and discussed the development of public policy together with academics from the three institutions including Prof Mark Thatcher from LSE.

• The deadline for the Call for Proposals under the GPPN Collaborative Research Grants Programme was Friday 10 October 2008. The programme aims to promote collaborative research projects of the highest quality, with a specific focus on policy making and governance in the context of globalisation. Please click here for further information on the programme's objectives and guidelines for applications.

• The 3rd Executive Public Policy Training Programme was held in Beijing from 2 June -1 August 2008. It was taught and supervised by academics from Peking University, Columbia University, LSE and Sciences Po. To access the 2008 EPPTP brochure (PDF document), please click here.

Please see GPPN events and GPPN activities for further information.

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