



# GALFP

Global Academic  
Leadership  
Fellows Programme

# Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times

An online leadership programme by FIP & AACP for academic pharmacy leaders from around the world

The course starts with its first module at the **FIP Global Academic Leaders Forum (GALF)** taking place alongside FIP's Virtual Congress on **22 September 2020 at 3–5 pm CEST**.

Each year, the International Pharmaceutical Federation (FIP) Academic Institutional Membership (AIM), the only global network of academic pharmacy leaders and pharmacy schools, organises the FIP Global Academic Leaders Forum (GALF) which takes place alongside the FIP's World Congress. Due to the global COVID-19 pandemic, this year FIP is organising its first ever Virtual Congress, and GALF will take place virtually too.

On Tuesday 22 September 2020, at 3–5 pm CEST, the first module of “**Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times**” will be offered live during the Global Academic Leaders Forum (GALF), for every pharmacist who is interested in academic pharmacy and would like to enhance their primary leadership skills while navigating a crisis such as the COVID-19 pandemic. Please click [here](#) to visit the website.

## First Module

### 1. FIP Global Academic Leaders Forum (GALF)

15.00–15.05: **Introduction by the Chair**

K. Wayne Hindmarsh, Outgoing FIP-AIM Chair, Dean Emeritus, Leslie Dan Faculty of Pharmacy, University of Toronto, Canada

15.05–15.20: **COVID-19 and Global leadership in Pharmacy: Launch of the “Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times” Programme**

Lucinda Maine, CEO and EVP, American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy (AACP), USA;  
Dominique Jordan, President, FIP, Switzerland; Catherine Duggan, CEO, FIP, The Netherlands

15.20–16.00: **Leadership Models Applicable in Trying Times**

Pierre Moreau, FIP-AIM Incoming Chair, Kuwait University, Faculty of Pharmacy, Kuwait

16.00–16.40: **Developing and Implementing Change in the Light of a Crisis**

Tina Brock, Monash University, Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Australia

16.40–16.45: **Wrap up-closing by the Chair**

### 2. FIP AIM Chair Online Ceremony

16.45–17.00: **Introduction by the Chair**

Ralph Altieri, Chair of the FIP Education (FIPed) Executive Committee, School of Pharmacy University of Colorado Denver; Pierre Moreau, FIP-AIM Incoming Chair & Wayne Hindmarsh, Outgoing FIP-AIM Chair

## How to Register



FIP AIM and AACP members will receive a special registration link to join the first module of “**Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times**” at GALF 2020 free of charge. Also, FIP AIM members will benefit from free registration to the full FIP Virtual Congress experience. If you have not received your special registration link for the event yet, please contact us at [aim@fip.org](mailto:aim@fip.org).

Current and future academic pharmacy leaders who are not FIP AIM members can also register for the GALF 2020 free of charge if they register to the FIP Virtual Congress. Please click [here](#) to register and identify your area of interest as “academic pharmacy” when registering. We will send the event details to your e-mail.

FIP together with the AACP (the American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy) launched the Global Academic Leadership Fellows Programme (GALFP) in February 2020. GALFP, a two-year programme with live meetings interspersed, has been postponed to 2021 in response to COVID-19 related challenges. **“Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times”** is a special online edition of GALFP that will equip academic pharmacy leaders with the requisite skills to navigate through the COVID-19 pandemic and similar crises.

## Why You Should Attend?

Hear these messages from the FIP and AACP

**Catherine Duggan, FIP Chief Executive Officer:**

“The COVID-19 pandemic has clearly highlighted the essential role of pharmacists. FIP and our partners must ensure all pharmacy leaders unite and rise to the challenge. With this programme, delivered jointly with our member AACP, we will support current and aspiring academic pharmacy leaders to navigate pandemic responses successfully at their institutions and countries.”

**Lucinda Maine, AACP Executive Vice President and CEO:**

“One clear leadership lesson from this pandemic experience is that collaboration is essential to our success. This is true for individuals as well as their organisations and this programme is an excellent example of this.”

## Course Objectives

The **“Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times”** course, which consists of four modules, will help make pharmacy academics stand out in the global arena and shape the future of pharmacy education and practice even in these challenging times.

You will:

- Explore leadership skills, methods and styles in a pandemic/crisis
- Identify strategic leadership plans to navigate the COVID-19 challenges
- Evolve into a digital leader to deliver appropriate technological teaching and learning methods
- Design pharmacy education for today and tomorrow in the light of a crisis

## Registration fees

The full **“Enhancing Academic Leadership Horizons in Trying Times”** course consists of four modules, and the whole programme will be uploaded to the FIP online learning platform. Participants will be free to join and complete the modules at their own pace. The course will be made available online from 25 September 2020, which is World Pharmacy Day. FIP AIM and AACP members are being offered reduced registration fees. To register for the course, please visit [here](#). Your log in credentials will be shared with you in an e-mail.

**Full course registration fees**

	FIP AIM and AACP members	Non-members
High income countries	100 €	200 €
Middle income countries	50 €	100 €
Low income countries	25 €	50 €

All fees include VAT

## What is included in the registration fee?

Access to all the modules of the full course on FIP online platform, access to the global network of course participants, access to all the course materials, and a certificate of attendance.

If you have any questions, please contact FIP at [aim@fip.org](mailto:aim@fip.org).





### Second Module

#### a. The role of academic leadership in a pandemic world

(Topic to be covered: Adaptative leadership in academia)

Todd Sorensen, *Professor and Associate Dean for Strategic Initiatives and Innovation, College of Pharmacy, University of Minnesota*

#### b. Impacts of COVID-19 on pharmacy education

(Topics to be covered: Understanding the difference between remote and online education; Curriculum transformation for future outcomes; New focuses for pharmacy education delivery, policies and regulations)

FIP AIM Advisory Committee leaders from all the regions in the world, including:

Mwila Chiluba, *Dean, University of Zambia*

Toyin Tofade, *Dean, College of Pharmacy, Howard University*

Abla Mahmoud Albsoul, *Dean, School of Pharmacy, The University of Jordan*

Carlo Marra, *Dean, Professor, School of Pharmacy, University of Otago*

Lilian Azzopardi, *Head of Department of Pharmacy, University of Malta*

Rajani Shakya, *Head of Department of Pharmacy, Kathmandu University*

“The Covid-19 pandemic has challenged us all to emerge as strong leaders and embrace technological innovations in order to save pharmacy education and the profession as a whole.”

“Maximize on teamwork and communication to lead creative improvisation in adapting effective teaching modalities and driving curricular transformations which reflect relevance within the new normality.”

#### c. What does your faculty (students, staff, curriculum) need during the COVID-19 pandemic?

(Topics to be covered: Financial implications; human resources; mental health and well-being; student support; external resources; team motivation)

Gayle Brazeau, *Dean, School of Pharmacy, Marshall University*

Anne Lin, *Dean & Professor, School of Pharmacy Notre Dame of Maryland University*

### Third Module

#### a. Is COVID-19 a blessing in disguise for digital leadership and education?

(Topic to be covered: Accelerating the digital transformation in pharmacy education)

Ian Larson, *Director, Faculty of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Monash Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences*

#### b. The path to the role of digital leadership

(Topics to be covered: The rise of digital leadership; The necessity of digitalism for the new world leader; Making the best use of available resources)

Kari Franson, *USC School of Pharmacy, USA*

“Leaders need to ensure that faculties realise digital transformation is not about technology.”

#### c. How academic leaders should integrate digital health in education for the future of pharmacy practice?

Timothy Aungst (US), *MCPHS University, USA*

### Fourth Module

#### a. Understanding for today, managing for tomorrow

(Topics to be covered: Bracing for post-pandemic education; Planning and shaping the future of pharmacy practice)

Lucinda Maine, *CEO and EVP, AACP, USA*

Catherine Duggan, *CEO, FIP, The Netherlands*

#### b. Shaping the future of global higher education

Akemi Yonemura, *Programme Specialist in Education, UNESCO*

#### c. Shaping the future of pharmacy education

(Topics to be covered: Addressing the go-forward areas in healthcare education and pharmacy; Forming united educational partnerships; From distance teaching to distant innovation)

Joe Dipiro, *Past President AACP, Virginia Commonwealth University VCU*

“Pharmacy educators must be skilled at change management and look ahead to the roles that pharmacists will play in health care and not back to the traditional roles.”