

IAU Worldwide Monthly Press Review of Higher Education News - October 2016

Theme	Country or Region	Topic	News Source	Date	Link
Access and success*	Africa / Senegal	22,000 books donated to African HEIs in Rwanda, Chad, Gambia, Cabo Verde and Nigeria (CODESRIA)	All Africa	06/10/2016	Afrique: 22 mille ouvrages du CODESRIA à des institutions africaines de l'enseignement supérieur
	India	Access for low-income students (Maharashtra State)	The Times of India	07/10/2016	Sena to push for loans to poor pupils
	Israel	Access for students from low-income families	Ynetnews.com	25/10/2016	Poor students less likely to study in higher education
	Philippines	Free student tuition - bill	Inquirer.net	27/10/2016	'Bill seeking free tertiary education could be passed this year'
	South Africa	Student fees - Minister's viewpoint	MSN South Africa	13/10/2016	Free education a possibility, but only for the poor: Nzimande
	South Africa	Student fees - Vice-Chancellors' viewpoint	Mail & Guardian	27/10/2016	Vice-chancellors want free tuition for poor students in 2017
	United States of America	Access for Black and Latino students	University Herald	27/10/2016	Report recommends more minority students be allowed In top public universities
Administration of higher education	Argentina	Academic staff conditions of employment	Prensa Latin	13/10/2016	Strike in National Universities of Argentina
	Denmark	Ministerial appointments of Chairs of university Boards	University World News	13/10/2016	Outcry as ministry plans control of university boards
	India	Academic staff conditions (Bihar State)	The Times of India	06/10/2016	Universities teachers take mass leave, stage dharna
	India	Autonomy to be linked to university performance	LiveMint	24/10/2016	Top varsities may get more autonomy
	Nigeria	University admission criteria	Leadership.ng	20/10/2016	Policy inconsistencies of 2016 university admission in Nigeria
	Vietnam	Autonomy arrangements clarified by government	VietNamNet Bridge	17/10/2016	Universities to gain autonomy

Economics of higher education	Belgium	Education budget (Wallonie)	7/7 Belgique	03/10/2016	La Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles vise un déficit de 200 millions pour 2017
	France	University foundations - a new source of funding	Ouest-France	07/10/2016	Brest. Une fondation pour l'Université de Bretagne occidentale
	Jamaica	University-industry partnerships for national economic growth	Jamaica Observer	09/10/2016	Economic growth requires a national approach to university-industry partnerships
	Netherlands	Funding of Universities of Technology	DutchNews.nl	19/10/2016	Universities of technology warn on funding, more student limits on cards
	Nigeria	University spending - President	The Nation	23/10/2016	Buhari cautions universities on wasteful spending
	South Africa	University income sources	Times LIVE	25/10/2016	Unisa, Rhodes and University of Venda rely most on tuition fees
	South Sudan	Tuition fees changes - Ministerial order	Radio Tamazuj	27/10/2016	National higher education ministry set fees structure for public universities
	Tanzania	Government finance for student loans	Daily News	19/10/2016	80bn/- boom for tertiary students
	United States of America	Student loan debt	CNS News	25/10/2016	Forgiveness Won't Solve the \$1,300,000,000,000 Student Loan Problem
Education and employment	France	Graduate employment statistics (OECD)	EducPros	05/10/2016	Selon l'OCDE, les diplômés français du supérieur résistent à la crise
	Korea	Graduate employment statistics	Pulse	17/10/2016	Jobless among Koreans with tertiary education hit 44.5%
	United Arab Emirates	Businesses partner with students - 'Earn while you Learn' programme	The National UAE	18/10/2016	University students to connect with companies for part-time work
Ethics	Nigeria	Sexual Harassment in Tertiary Education Institutions Bill	The Nation Newspaper Nigeria	28/10/2016	Varsity lecturers risk five-year jail term for sexual harassment
	United Kingdom	Sexual assault on campus	The Huffington Post (United Kingdom)	21/10/2016	Students share shocking cases of sexual assault on campus using #UnsafeAtUni
ICTs and OER*	Nigeria	Expand access to HE through Online and Distance Learning - Directors of Academic Planning of Nigerian Universities (CODAPNU)	The Guardian Nigeria	27/10/2016	Varsities' academic planners urge government to strengthen ODL

	South Africa	African Research Cloud (ARC) established at 4 universities	Sunday Times	26/10/2016	Universities look to the cloud to tackle big data challenges
Institutions	Nepal	One university for each province - Minister	The Kathmandu Post	17/10/2016	Govt considering setting up one university in each province: Minister Poudel
	Nigeria	Five new institutions to be established (Gombe State)	Today.ng	27/10/2016	Gombe State to establish five new tertiary institutions
	Vietnam	Creation of Vietnamese-German University (New Model University Project)	Baomoi.com	13/10/2016	New Vietnamese-German University campus breaks ground
Internationalization*	Algeria	University specialisation to enhance student mobility	El Moujahid	03/10/2016	Création de pôles d'excellence universitaires : Une meilleure mobilité
	Canada	Government measures to attract international students - Quebec	Le Soleil Canada	25/10/2016	Attirer des étudiants étrangers
	China	Entry requirements for international students	Global Times	24/10/2016	As China enrolls more overseas students to build soft power, locals find the process unfair
	France	The Bologna Process at 18	France Soir	19/10/2016	Le processus de Bologne: une réforme de l'enseignement supérieur qui fête ses dix-huit ans
	India	Employment of foreign academic staff at Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs)	Swarajya	21/10/2016	Higher education reform: Government makes It easy for foreign faculty to teach at IITs
	Ireland	Chinese students in Ireland	The Irish Times	31/10/2016	Irish universities and the Chinese connection – is it worth the money?
	Ireland	Effect of Brexit on Irish international education	Irish Times	20/20/2016	Broke Irish universities are slipping down the rankings and missing Brexit opportunities
	Nepal	Affiliations with foreign universities - parliamentary committee	The Kathmandu Post	21/10/2016	House panel: halt affiliations from foreign varsities
	Pakistan / Krygyzstan	Educational cooperation	Daily Times	17/10/2016	Pakistan, Krygyzstan join hands to strengthen higher education
	Taiwan / Malaysia	Educational cooperation	The China Post	19/10/2016	Universities from Taiwan, Malaysia sign agreement

	United Kingdom	Effect of Brexit on UK universities	The Guardian	16/10/2016	Our universities and research centres are thriving. Brexit threatens them
	United Kingdom	Student visas to be linked to quality of course and university - Minister	The Guardian	04/10/2016	Amber Rudd announces crackdown on overseas students and work visas
Policy	Mauritania	University reforms - Minister	Cridem - Carrefour de la République Islamique de Mauritanie	04/10/2016	Le ministre de l'enseignement supérieur prononce un discours à l'occasion de la nouvelle année universitaire
	Mauritania	University reforms - students' viewpoint	Cridem - Carrefour de la République Islamique de Mauritanie	06/10/2016	Mauritanie : les étudiants demandent une meilleure formation adéquate à l'emploi
Research	Canada	Research funding reduced (Quebec)	Montreal Gazette	27/10/2016	Research income is down at Quebec universities
	Namibia	Research and innovation - President	New Era	18/10/2016	Small pool of PhD holders concerns Geingob
	Nigeria	Increase in research funding - Tertiary Education Trust Fund (TETFUND)	WorldStage N		