

# **COBISEC CONFERENCE** **KING'S COLLEGE, MADRID**

**THEME: Post fourteen education with specific emphasis on quality management and the post sixteen curriculum**

**20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> October 2006**

## **Focus**

This conference is designed for Head Teachers, Deputy Head Teachers, Curriculum Managers, Heads of Sixth Form and University Advisors. It follows on from a smaller conference held last year to discuss the post fourteen curriculum. The conference is appropriate for IB or UK curriculum schools.

This is the first in a series of conferences organized in conjunction with COBISEC. The purpose of the conference is to discuss the rapidly changing secondary curriculum, identify the issues which all secondary schools will have to face in the next three years and the sharing of good practice.

The program is designed to be practical and informative and allows time for the sharing of good practice and for delegates to be able to discuss with their peers the issues arising from the presentations.

**Format:** There will be four presentations on the first day as well as a series of workshops. The day will include a buffet lunch and the opportunity to meet exhibitors. A black tie meal will provide a chance to meet with peers to discuss ideas and develop contacts

The second day will have two presentations. The second presentation will discuss the relative merits of the A Level versus the International Baccalaureate.

**Location:** The conference is being held in **Tres Cantos, Madrid, Spain**. The conference centre is a short distance from Madrid. ( Please see following sheet for Hotel Booking Options).

Madrid is easily accessible from around Europe with excellent flight, rail and road links.

## **Recognition:**

All delegates will receive a Certificate of Attendance

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# Hotel Booking Options

Please note that delegates must book and pay for their own accommodation

## 1. Hotel Foxa, Tres Cantos 4\* ( Conference Hotel)

Ronda de Europa 1, Tres Cantos, Madrid

Tel: ( 00 34) 91 805 4800

Fax: ( 00 34) 91 805 4800

**Quote: 'King's College' when booking**

This is an excellent hotel offering high quality accommodation and has very good gym facilities which are available to guests for a small extra fee. All rooms include breakfast.

**Option A:** Thursday night and Friday night ( 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> October)

Individual Suite 192€

Double Suite 235.40€

( Please inform hotel when booking if you require two beds)

**Option B:** Friday night only ( 20<sup>th</sup> October)

Individual Suite: 87.40€

Double Suite 87.40€

## 2. Quo Fierro 4\* ( 3 minutes walk from the conference centre)

Plaza de la Estacion 2, 28760 Tres Cantos, Madrid

Tel: ( 00 34) 91 804 4837

Fax: ( 00 34) 91 803 3085

**Thursday Night and Friday Night** ( prices include breakfast)

Individual room: 185.60€

Double Room: 203€

**Friday Night Only**

Individual Room 75€

Double Room 75€

## 3. Holiday Inn Express ( 5 minutes walk from the conference centre)

Ronda de Poniente 16, 28760 Tres Cantos, Madrid

Book via Internet for best price: [www.hiexpress.com](http://www.hiexpress.com)

Double Room: 63€( including breakfast) per night