Global Engagement SPEAKER SERIES

This guest lecture series brings individuals of distinction from higher education, global organizations, and philanthropies who have had profound experience in university outreach and engagement to share their thoughts, research, and practice with the MSU community. Advancing fundamental human rights and meeting basic human needs will serve as the primary foci for the MSU Global Engagement Speaker Series.

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**Tuesday, October 23, 2018**
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Talk and Reception
Kellogg Center

**Norbert Steinhaus**
Coordinator, Living Knowledge: The International Science Shop Network
Board Member, Wissenschaftsladen Bonn (Bonn Science Shop)

Norbert Steinhaus holds a master’s degree in agriculture from Bonn University. He has been a board member of Wissenschaftsladen Bonn (Wila Bonn) since 1990. For the last 18 years he has cooperated with international projects on citizen participation in science and technology or responsible research and innovation. He is directly involved in EC-funded projects as a coordinator or consortium partner and is on the advisory boards of various Horizon 2020 (European Research Framework) projects.

**Tuesday, February 19, 2019**
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Talk and Reception
International Center

**Pauline Mujawamariya Koelbl**
Managing Director, African Innovation Foundation

Pauline Mujawamariya Koelbl is a leading expert and influencer on the transformation of developing countries to emerging economies by designing programs and policies fostering inclusive innovations.

As managing director of the African Innovation Foundation (AIF), Koelbl is responsible for its strategic planning and management. She is a member of AIF’s executive committee and is its secretary of the board. She leads the Innovation Prize for Africa (IPA) program and

**Tuesday, March 12, 2019**
3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Talk and Reception
International Center

**Iman Nuwayhid**
Dean and Professor, Faculty of Health Sciences
American University of Beirut

Iman Nuwayhid is professor and dean of the Faculty of Health Sciences (FHS) at the American University of Beirut (AUB), Lebanon. He received his M.D. from AUB in 1984 and his M.P.H. (1985) and Dr.P.H. (occupational health, 1991) from Johns Hopkins University. He is American Board Certified in occupational medicine. He was elected as a Fellow to the Collegium Ramazzini in 2004, and was inducted into the Johns Hopkins University Society of Scholars in 2012. He is a co-editor of the landmark
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Since the end of 2007 he has been coordinator of Living Knowledge, the international science shop network.

In 2014 he was a member of the steering committee for the Science, Innovation and Society: Achieving Responsible Research and Innovation (SIS-RRI) conference, organized by the National Research Council of Italy. He is active in the network of National Contact Points in Horizon 2020 Science with and for Society (SwafS).

He serves on the advisory board for Gateways: International Journal of Community Research and Engagement and as an associate editor for the Research for All journal (UK). He was invited to be an auditor for European proposals in H2020 calls as well as a transfer auditor of cooperation strategies for a German university, initiated by Stifterverband for German Science and the North-Rhine Westphalian Ministry for Culture and Science.

Steinhaus is an active member of the Global Alliance on Community Engaged Research, the Asian Pacific University Community Engagement Network, and several other local, regional, national, and international networks.

Pauline Mujawamariya Koelbl cont.

AIF’s work related to innovation ecosystems.

During the last seven years, she has worked to catalyze marketable, scalable, and impactful home-grown innovations for African-led growth across the continent, building strategic partnerships and innovation ecosystems that will invigorate economic growth and actively promoting innovation-catalytic policies at the highest governmental levels. She especially champions investments in African youth and women.

Prior to joining AIF, Koelbl matured her multicultural, management and leadership skills as an employee of various UN bodies and international organizations in Africa, Europe, and the U.S., including the World Health Organization (WHO) in Geneva, the Research Corporation for Science Advancement Foundation (RCSAF) in the U.S., the UNESCO in Paris, the ENDA Tiers Monde in Senegal, and the UNICEF in Democratic Republic of Congo.

She has a master’s degree in poverty and development from the Institute of Development Studies, Sussex University, United Kingdom, where she attended as a Fulbright Scholar. She also successfully completed the Harvard Kennedy School’s executive education program on innovation for economic development.

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His professional career and research interests have mostly focused on the impact of work and the work environment on the health of workers, especially working children and marginalized populations. His research has informed several health policy decisions, particularly for working children (Decree 8987 on Worst Forms of Child Labor in Lebanon, September 2012).

In his capacity as dean, Nuwayhid oversees and is engaged in the substantial research, practice, and policy work of FHS faculty members on multiple health priorities in Lebanon and the region with a particular focus on conflict and health. These projects are mostly led and facilitated by the FHS Center for Public Health Practice, Center for Research on Population and Health, and Knowledge to Policy (K2P) Center.

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