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The Corporation of Executives and Administrators (CEA) is a corporate member of the ChrisThomas Corporate Trust (CTCT).

The Admin times is the Official Newsletter for the Corporation of Executives and Administrators; covering news from various related institutions, including the European Continental University (Delaware, USA), UK Commission for Consistent Learning (UK-CCL), University of Hospitality and Care (Delaware, USA) and the European Centre for Professional Studies (ECPS). All of these institutions are collectively members of the CTCT.

Since October 2010, a new vision and conceptual path has been established for these organisations, and we look forward to sharing that vision with you through this publication.

## New CEA Honourary Rector General

The Executive Board of Governors of the Corporation of Executives and Administrators (CEA) is pleased to announce to their prospective candidates, members and well wishers of the appointment of the New Honorary Rector General. In June 14th, 2010 at the Executive Board of Governors meeting, they have selected and nominated unanimously:



### Mr. Andrew Jude Rajanathan

of Great Britain, as their Fifth Honorary Rector General for life from 1st of July 2010.

In 2009, Andrew secured an internship at the Financial Times and was placed as a journalist on the U.K Companies desk. During his time he interviewed over 15 CEOs from several LSE/AIM listed firms as well putting together features for the newspaper, covering corporate earnings, breaking news and third quarter reports.



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This experience taught him the ability to analyze company balance sheets and allowed him to further build up his networking experience. He credits this experience as the sharpest learning curve in his short career so far. The London Week of Peace, a charitable proponent of peace heard of Andrew's good work across several communities in London. Towards the end of 2009, he was awarded the 'Diversity Peace Prize' at a Gala event to celebrate the work of peace proponents across the City of London. In 2010,

Havas Worldwide the advertising agency had created a platform for 1,500 global leaders that was to take place in London. The forum was dubbed 'Davos for Young People' with a core aim to tackle the global problems the youth of today will inherit from the adult world. Andrew was awarded a full scholarship (3000euros) to represent the United Kingdom at this forum under the recommendation of Carole Stone. Here he met with distinguished councillors such as Kofi Anan, Muhammad Yunus, Clarence Seedorf and Desmond Tutu. The platform demonstrated to the world that young people do have a voice and that it can change the world.

Most Recently

## New Media Personality

We have a new addition to the CTCT family, a young man who has worked tirelessly to help bring us forward to a more modern time. Lending his creative media skills to us across a wide range of our operations, including but not limited to web design work, visual print advertising and video marketing, and even a redesign of our certificates and Logo; we welcome graphic designer and multimedia developer **Adam Henderson** to the CTCT organisation.

Graduating with Honours from the University of Westminster in London, and gaining a 'Bachelor of the Arts' Degree in Contemporary Media Practice, Adam has since been doing either freelance work with a variety of clients, or voluntary design work in the City.

Adam has studied modern media formats since he was 16, and has studied a variety of media fields including Photography, Industry Film, Contemporary design and several Critical Theories.

During his time at the University of Westminster, he embarked on several multimedia projects, that included Photography portfolios, interactive installations, Three films (including Digital Video and 16mm Black and white reels), and a documentary.

# Deputy Executive Governor General

Joel Thomas is the son and heir to Professor Ralph Thomas, the Founder of ChrisThomas Corporate Trust. During a year away he worked at the UK Toyota Headquarters, impressing them so much that he has been offered a position back at the end of his Degree in Law (Legum Baccalaureus) with Business at the specialist University of Portsmouth. His future plans revolve around working in international consumer law and trade based human rights, and Digital Intellectual Property rights.

With an entrepreneurial spirit, Joel has always had a fascination for the business world, with his inspirations lying in the success stories of the smallest ideas going global; examples including Google, the Virgin Network, Dell, and Facebook.

It is Joel that is responsible for bringing into the team Andrew and Adam, all part of a larger project to bring younger entrepreneurs to CTCT to ensure a fresh outlook and grand presence for 2011. Using his networking skills, he plans to bring many more to the fold.

## New ECU Logo Design

The European Continental University has a new logo designed in order to strengthen the image of the University, both at home in the UK, and for our operations abroad. Re-worked by Adam Henderson, the new logo features a striking colour scheme with heraldic creatures either side the ECU Shield Crest that people know and recognise worldwide.



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Belgium

Founder: UK Commission  
for Consistent Learning,  
European Continental  
University

and

University College of Hospitality and  
Care, Delaware USA

## Professor R J Thomas: Call to Service Award

Professor Ralph Thomas has been presented with the United States of America's 'Call to Service' Award in recognition of his civic and strengthening contributions and volunteer services to the United States.

Awarded by President Obama's Council, the award also contained a Pin Badge to be worn with pride, and a letter of thanks delivered from Washington D.C, signed by President Barack Obama.



# Establishment of MENA Operations



Dr Yousef M Damra  
Head of MENA Region  
Operations of CTCT.

An enterprising entrepreneur, in elevating working individuals in the MENA region to a professional status, by his dedication.

Dr Yousef Damra is a Jordanian National who was awarded a Doctor of Business Administration in Business Development and Operations by the European Continental University (ECU) in 2009. Due to his concept and vision of the ECU he was nominated by the Executive board of Governors of ECU in March '10 as the Assistant Governor General of operations and development for the Middle East and North African Region (MENA).

He took the responsibility seriously and established his first operation in Alexandria and moved his operation to the Capital City of Cairo in September. He has developed various affiliations on behalf of the ECU and is very successful in the implementation of his vision. This contribution has earned him to be nominated by the Corporation of Executives and Administrators (CEA) to be Assistant Rector General to the MENA Regions and UK Commission for Consistent Learning (UKCCL) as the Assistant Commissioner General for MENA. It is our wish that he region supports his Endeavours.

## Advisor to the Executive Governor General



Sheikh Khalifa Bin Abdulla  
Bin Mohammad Al Khalifa

An Academic Professional  
Who personally endorses &  
encourages the Knowledge  
Degree Conferred by ECU

Sheikh Khalifa joined the Royal Military Police of Kingdom of Bahrain in 1980 and became the Commander Royal Military Police in 1986. He has more than 24 years in a Senior Executive Position, leading the Royal Military and representing the country in many occasions and has met many distinguished guests from many countries as the Commander in charge. He carries out his own Contingency Planning for the entire Royal Military Police Operation of Kingdom of Bahrain. Sheikh Khalifa has many hundreds of sub-ordinates working for the protection of Kingdom of Bahrain.

Gaining a Doctorate of Philosophy in Contingency Planning (awarded by the European Continental University), Sheikh Khalifa promotes the concept and vision of ECU in Bahrain. He understands and promotes the ideal that learning doesn't end in the classroom, and the professional knowledge is gained through experience rather than simple lectures. Only through a working experience can a professional truly claim to be a master of their occupation.

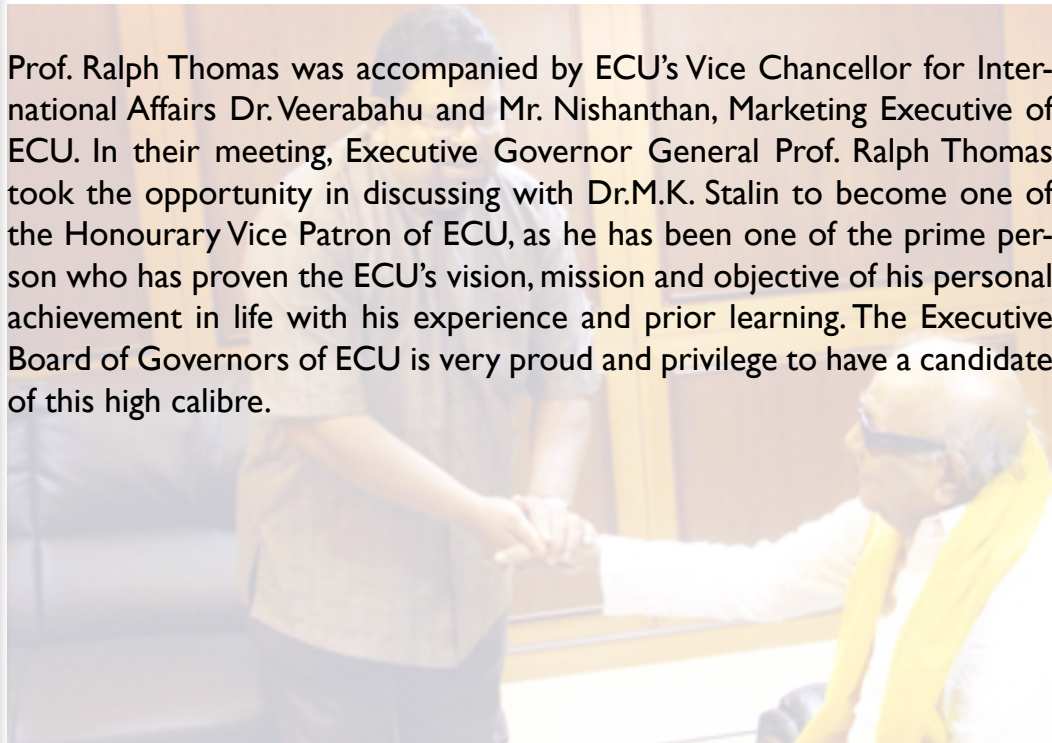




# Courteous visit to Deputy Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, India

The Executive Governor General of UK-CCL, CEA & ECU Prof. Ralph Thomas taken time off from his heavy business schedule visit to India in October 2010 to pay a courtesy call to his past pupil of his university and a good friend none other than Dr.M.K. Stalin, who is the current Deputy Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu of India. It was an unexpected meeting, but it was very cordial and they were able to recall of their past intimate relationship by sharing the photo album of their pictures. Some of the pictures are vital as Prof. Ralph Thomas was in attendance with the Chief Minister M. Karunanidhi.

Prof. Ralph Thomas was accompanied by ECU's Vice Chancellor for International Affairs Dr. Veerabahu and Mr. Nishanthan, Marketing Executive of ECU. In their meeting, Executive Governor General Prof. Ralph Thomas took the opportunity in discussing with Dr.M.K. Stalin to become one of the Honourary Vice Patron of ECU, as he has been one of the prime person who has proven the ECU's vision, mission and objective of his personal achievement in life with his experience and prior learning. The Executive Board of Governors of ECU is very proud and privilege to have a candidate of this high calibre.



## CPBU Alumni Association

The Executive Governor General Prof. Ralph Thomas is very my delighted to state that a Corporate Alumni Association will be formed under the banner of CPBU Limited which is operating as Consortium of Professional Bodies and Universities. This will bring all the candidates of European Continental University (ECU-USA), the Corporation of Executives & Administrators (CEA), UK Commission for Consistent Learning (UK-CCL), University College of Hospitality & Care (UCHC-USA) and European Centre for Professional Studies (ECPS).

Due to the personal effort of the Executive Governing Board of the above awarding bodies, Prof. Ralph Thomas is proud to announce that from small beginnings to the development of a worldwide network. Its heritage is one of strength, independence and commitment to the goal of candidates without boundaries and the betterment of the human condition. The Governing Board vision is its alumni association to be a distinctive group of world citizens with the means to become the instrumental of effective change within their communities. Benefit from the opportunities of gaining qualification from the CPBU awarding bodies.

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[www.misterseed.com](http://www.misterseed.com)

Opportunities are opening up for Kenyans through this website, be sure to visit it today!

The fundamental benefits of joining the CPBU's Alumni Association will include:

- Turn out to be part of a dynamic worldwide Professional Institutions & organization
- Increase your personal and professional network of acquaintances and contacts
- Participating CPBU's Convocation , Seminars & Conferences
- Attend regional and local meetings and the events organised by CPBU members
- To assist in developing leadership skills workshops via local and regional chapters
- Assist in organising charity training facilities for disadvantaged people benefit from the opportunities of gaining qualification from the CPBU awarding bodies.
- To be proud and privilege of CPBU's awards and assist the Executive Governor General Board in spreading the valuable Professional Knowledge Qualifications and to be acknowledged world wide as leader in progressive independent facilitator of Knowledge Qualifications.

The Executive Council members of CPBU are always interested to hear from every past candidate to be active alumni members and to help in setting up local chapters. Please let us know your strategy views and we will provide you with the full support you need to make your chapter a success. Please do not ask what your awarding bodies can do, rather do what you can taking the vision and mission of your alma mater.

## **WINNERS OF UK KENYAN ACHIEVERS AWARDS 2010**

The colourful event took place on Friday night 1st October, 2010 at Thistle Hotel, Marble Arch, in Central London. UK Kenyan achievers awards saw a number Kenyans in UK rewarded for their outstanding work in their specific disciplines. The event was very successful and especially those that paid for glamour filled event. Still, Kenyans as usual knows how to create their fun, they danced, and mingled and just interacted with everyone, even Kenyans top office holders. In attendance were the Ministers for Housing-Transport-Tourism, Kenyan High Commission to the UK and other government officials and special distinguish guest.

The Chief Guest at the event was Hon Najib Balala, the Minister of Tourism, who introduced his niece, Dr Balala, a young lady who recently acquired her PHD in law, portraying that UK Kenyans achievers need to engage with the wider community in order for the nominees and winners to be fully representative of the Kenyans in UK. Still, majority of the winners literally deserved to as they have served the Kenyan Community in the UK greatly.

The Top Academician was taken by **Mr Jim Muriithi Nyagah** who is an MBA Graduate of European Continental University of Delaware, USA. The Executive Board of Governors of ECU congratulates Mr Jim Muriithi Nyagah for this achievement and he has made the ECU proud. This achievement confirms that ECU's Knowledge Award cannot be disputed.



The Executive Governing Board of UK-CCL, CEA, ECU & UHC believes their awards are a noteworthy appreciation of accomplishment.

The Consortium for Professional Bodies and Universities is tirelessly dedicated to delivering a promise that is in the Awarding of Knowledge, and many Qualifications and Memberships that can be trusted, thanks to the Quality Seal of Endorsement.



The Founder and Executive Governer General of ChrisThomas Corporate Trust:

Professor Ralph Thomas & Professor Mervyn Pilley are the visionaries of Knowledge Qualifications

# UK University Fees set to be without limits

Universities in England should be able to charge unlimited fees, a major review of university funding has recommended.

Lord Browne's review calls for the £3,290 cap on fees, which students borrow in loans, to be scrapped. Instead it proposes a free market in fees - setting out models of charges up to £12,000 a year for a degree course. The UCU lecturers' union said the plan was "the final nail in the coffin for affordable higher education".

However, Lord Browne's review makes clear that universities that charge more than £6,000 a year would lose a proportion of the fee to help cover the cost of student borrowing. He said all universities were different and needed different amounts of money to retain their world class status, but he predicted that few would put fees very high. He acknowledged graduates would be paying significantly more back in their tuition fee and maintenance loans but insisted they were not being left with "mortgage-style debts".

More of this Story from BBC News; Source:  
<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/education-11519642>

## UK cash for education in developing countries targets conflict zones

Half of Britain's budget for education in the developing world is now to be spent on schooling in war-torn countries, the Department for International Development (Dfid) announced today.

As part the international drive to secure education for the 72 million potential students who are out of school, some £300m will be targeted at fragile and conflict-affected countries, including Somalia and the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

The UK will devote a total of £600m for bilateral spending on education, while another £400m will go through organisations such as the World Bank and the European commission.

Dfid's new strategy outlines proposals to support 5.5 million students to go to study every year, build 15,000 new classrooms in a year and train 130,000 teachers annually.

More on this Story, from [The Guardian](#)



# The Personal Advisor and Mentor of Professor Ralph Thomas

It is a privilege for Professor Ralph Thomas to have had Professor Stephen Barnhart as his mentor in the professional educational sector, for over a decade. This has helped him immensely in going forward with the vision of taking the Knowledge Qualification concept to the international market.

An excellent educator, he has earned several professional and academic achievements: Vice President WCU, BSc, MBA, (Sec-Mgmt) Ph.D.-Higher Edu. Admin, Tech-Edu (KS-USA).

Dr. Barnhart is an internationally recognized consultant, educator and author, and has received many distinguished awards, ranging from the USA Presidential Office, to the KOSOVO Peacekeeping Mission. Prof. Barnhart, Ph.D., holds several positions and brings to our community a world of business experience and education.

Dr. Barnhart has received numerous citations and awards from around the world, including a letter of thanks from the Royal Family of Saudi Arabia, the Medal of Merit from President George W. Bush, personal letters of thanks from The President, Governors, Congressmen, Senators, and Members of Parliament, Royalty, Government, Military, and other VIP's.

Dr. Barnhart was recently appointed as a Member of Parliament with The International Parliament of the States for Safety & Peace, [www.international-parliament.net](http://www.international-parliament.net) and serves as a Deputy of the National Assembly, as Minister Plenipotentiary to the State of Missouri / USA.

Dr Barnhart's respected high profile background contributed heavily to his recommendations for Professor Thomas to receive the prestigious Call to service award by Barack Obama, the President of the United States of America. He nominated Professor Ralph Thomas in July 2010.

Dr. Barnhart is the President and Founder of: Barnhart International, IBEC, International Business and Educational Consultants, Inc. ([www.ibec.ws](http://www.ibec.ws))



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