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Dr. Arthur Keiser Participated in International Forum in Switzerland ***Topic of discussion is on "Upskilling out of the downturn"***

Geneva, Switzerland – March 31, 2010 – Dr. Arthur Keiser was honored to have been approved by the Governing Body of the International Labour Office (ILO) to be an employer delegate to the Global Dialogue Forum on Strategies for Sectoral Training and Employment Security.

"It was wonderful to work with my peers on this opportunity to examine the employer/employee needs, across the different sectors, in order to enhance business productivity and competitiveness in the post-economic crisis employment environment," stated Arthur Keiser, Chancellor of Keiser University.

The purpose of the forum was to examine current and future skills needed across the different sectors and to then propose strategies to support how businesses can remain competitive and productive in the recovering global economy. There were multiple panels for the ten employers, ten worker participants and representatives of all interested governments relating to ILO policies and tools to help for a balanced and sustainable social and economic recovery.

Dr. Keiser has over 30 years of experience within the career school industry which makes him an invaluable source for the ILO since they are committed to pursuing opportunities to help people obtain decent working conditions. Over the years, in an effort to help the higher education industry, he has been appointed to numerous boards and commissions at the federal and state level by the US Secretary of Education, the Florida Commissioner of Education and the Governor(s) of the State of Florida.

Keiser University is Florida's leading statewide provider of career-focused, post-secondary education and is regionally accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. Keiser University serves approximately 18,000 students seeking associate, bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees in over 50 high demand degree programs at its 14 campuses and through its online, Graduate School and College of Golf divisions. Keiser University's educational reach extends globally through its international programs including the Latin Division and cooperative agreements in China and the Eastern European nation of Moldova.

According to a Community College Week analysis of U. S. Department of Education data released June 16, 2008, Keiser University was named the nationwide leader in production of Associate of Science graduates in Health Professions and Related Sciences for the third straight year (2006-2008).

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