

# Founding statement

## of the Global University Disability & Inclusion Network (GUDIN)

The undersigned organizations, gathered today 8<sup>th</sup> of April 2019 at the Hémicycle 'Simone Veil', Conseil Régional d'Ile de France in Paris, hereby declare their will to cooperate in order to contribute to the enhancement of inclusion of persons with disability within higher education at global level.

For this purpose, they also agree to be the founding members of the Global University Disability & Inclusion Network (GUDIN), which is officially launched today in the presence of representatives of illustrious higher education institutions from all over the world.

Paris, 8<sup>th</sup> of April 2019

**Hervé Bernard**

Head of Social&Inclusion Direction


on behalf of Federation Handicap  
International -Humanity&Inclusion



**Kristie Orr**

President

on behalf of AHEAD (Association on  
Higher Education and Disability)



**AHEAD**

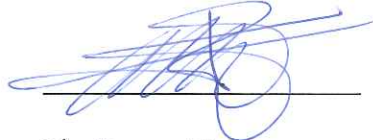
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**Pierre Deniziot**  
Special Delegate for  
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On behalf of  
Conseil Régional  
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Executive Director

On behalf of the Institute of  
Disabilities and Public  
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University



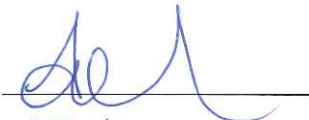
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On behalf of Conférence  
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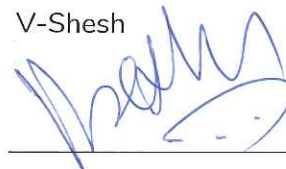
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On behalf of  
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opportunity to ambition

\*pending ratification by the Standing Committee CRIF

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**Andrew Imparato**  
Executive Director

On behalf of AUCD  
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Centers on Disabilities)



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**Robbyn Wacker**  
President

On behalf of St. Cloud  
State University

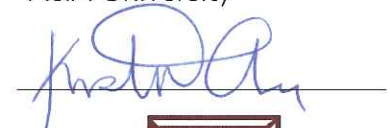


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**Kristie Orr**  
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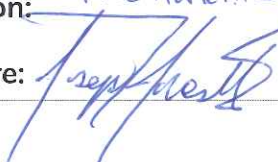
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