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ICAE President Visits Rio

The ICAE will be present in both the official UNCED '92 and the NGO '92 Global Forum which will take place in May and June 1992 in Rio de Janeiro. In the UN Conference, the ICAE will be represented by a delegation of three people and in the Forum, by the entire Executive Committee.

Before participating in these two meetings, the Executive Committee members will hold their annual meeting which will be followed immediately by a workshop concentrating on environmental education.

In preparation for these important events, Francisco Vio Grossi travelled to Rio de Janeiro in September to meet with Moema Viezzer, Coordinator of the ICAE Environmental Programme, and the Coordinator of the Global Forum, Mr. W.H. Lindner. The ICAE plans to launch its "Learning For Environmental Action Programme" at the time of these meetings. A detailed summary of the discussions will be covered in the next issue of ICAE News.

While in Rio, Pancho met with Paulo Freire, Honorary President of ICAE at his home and it was agreed that Paulo would speak to the Executive at their meeting in Rio on June 5, 1992, the International Day of the Environment. The objective of this meeting will be to launch an official



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declaration on Environmental Education during a ceremony in which many social organizations and Brazilian NGOs will participate.