

## XII International conference

# «European Integration of Ukraine' Higher Education in the context of Bologna Process. Higher Education Digitalisation and Quality Assurance»

14 December 2023, ZOOM PLATFORM

### ORGANIZERS:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine</li> <li>National Academy of Educational Sciences of Ukraine</li> <li>Institute of Higher Education, NAESU</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>National Higher Education Quality Assurance Agency</li> <li>Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv</li> <li>National Erasmus+ Office – Ukraine &amp; HERE team</li> </ul> |
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### PROGRAMME

**Objectives.** Competencies obtained to implement study programmes in traditional (face-to-face/onside), digital/blended mode considering Bologna principles, especially Quality Assurance and Enhancement in line with ESG, to understand and use approaches to digital/blended mode study programmes assessment in frame of the accreditation, prepared recommendations.

**Learning Outcomes** - to identify the ways of overcoming the specific challenges that Ukrainian higher education institutions face in aligning with the principles and goals of the Bologna Process, including the QA considering the martial law and large-scale war in Ukraine

- to understand and use approaches to Enhancing Quality within the context of the Bologna Process, including actual digital transition impact on higher education development and quality in EHEA and Ukraine

**Target Audience:** HERE team, students and staff of HEIs, Ministry of Education and Sciences of Ukraine, National QA Agency, Parliament's Committee of Education, Science and Innovations, research institutions, National Academy of Educational Sciences of Ukraine (NAESU), Ukrainian Association of Rectors, organisations of employers, associations of students

**Moderators:** Svitlana KALASHINKOVA, HERE; Zhanna TALANOVA, NEO – Ukraine

9.45-10.00 CONNECTION TO ZOOM PLATFORM	
10:00 - 10.45	<p><b>OPENING &amp; WELCOME SPEECH</b> (<i>speech up to 6'</i>)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Volodymyr BUGROV, Rector, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv</li> <li>Mychailo WYNNYCKYJ, Deputy Minister, Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, HERE (MESU)</li> <li>Svein HULLSTEIN, Policy Officer, Higher Education Policy, Directorate-General for Education, Youth, Sport and Culture (DG EAC)</li> <li>Vasyl KREMEN, President, National Academy of Educational Sciences of Ukraine (NAESU)</li> <li>Andriy BUTENKO, Chairman, National Agency for Higher Education Quality Assurance (NAQA)</li> <li>David AKRAMI FLORES, Head of Section Erasmus+ Key Action 3: Policy Support at the DAAD</li> <li>Svitlana SHYTIKOVA, Coordinator, National Erasmus+ Office – Ukraine</li> </ul>
<b>SESSION 1</b>	<b>BOLOGNA PROCESS AND DIGITAL TRANSITION IN HIGHER EDUCATION</b>
10:45 - 11.50	<p><i>Harmonization of the Ukrainian legislation on Higher Education Quality Assurance: bringing normative and legal documents into compliance with ESG 2015</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Andriy BUTENKO, Chairman, National Agency for Higher Education Quality Assurance (NAQA) (15')</li> </ul> <p><i>Enhancing Quality of Higher Education based on Ranking and Accreditation synergy</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Volodymyr LUGOVYY, First Vice-President, National Academy of Educational Sciences of Ukraine (15')</li> </ul> <p><i>Internal QA for study programmes in digital/blended mode: peculiarity, opportunities and obstacles</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Andriy GOZHYYK, Vice Rector, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv (15')</li> </ul> <p><i>Bologna process implementation and digital transition in Ukraine's higher education under the martial law and large-scale war</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Oleg SHAROV, Director General, Directorate for vocational pre-tertiary and higher education, Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, HERE (20')</li> </ul>

11.50-12.05 COFFEE-BREAK

<b>SESSION 2</b>	<b>SPECIFIC CHALLENGES THAT UKRAINIAN UNIVERSITIES ARE FACED IN ALIGNING WITH THE PRINCIPLES AND GOALS OF THE BOLOGNA PROCESS</b>
12.05 - 12.55	<p><i>Erasmus+ project "Bologna Hub Peer Support II": goal and objectives</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Iryna ZOLOTARIOVA, Member of the National Agency for Higher Education Quality Assurance; Professor, the Simon Kuznets Kharkiv National University of Economics, HERE (5')</li> </ul> <p><i>Bologna Hub Peer Support II: challenges, experience, dialog</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Ukrainian Universities in the BHPSII project (30')  <u>Speakers:</u> Odesa Polytechnic National University (6')  Simon Kuznets Kharkiv National University of Economics (6')  Khmelnyskyi National University (6')  National University "Yuri Kondratyuk Poltava Polytechnic" (6')  Donetsk State University of Internal Affairs (Kropyvnytskyi city) (6')</li> </ul> <p><u>Participants:</u> Bogdan Khmelnsky Melitopol State Pedagogical University  Lviv State University of Physical Culture  Nizhyn Mykola Gogol State University  Odesa I. I. Mechnikov National University  Kyiv National University of Culture and Arts</p> <p><i>Bologna Hub Peer Support II: outcomes and prospects</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Kathrin HERRES, Senior Desk Officer Erasmus+ Key Action 3: Policy Support, Erasmus+, National Agency Higher Education, DAAD – German Academic Exchange Service (15')</li> </ul>
12.55- 13.10	Q&A SESSION
<b>SESSION 3</b>	<b>INTERNATIONAL HERE EVENTS OUTCOMES: TRENDS AND PROSPECTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT</b>
13.10 - 13.45	<p><i>Towards the 2024 Tirana Ministerial Conference: Implications and points of interest for higher education systems in Partner Countries neighbouring the EU (HERE Seminar, 7-8 November 2023, University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Maria MYSHLOVSKA, HERE, student, Ukrainian Catholic University (Lviv) (10')</li> </ul> <p><i>Higher Education Policy Reform for Impact (HERE Annual Conference, 4-5 December 2023, University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain) (20')</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Volodymyr BAKHRUSHYN, HERE Chairman; Professor, Chair of the Academic Council, National University "Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic"; Chairman of the Higher Education Unit, the Scientific and Methodical Council, Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine</li> <li>▪ Olena KOZIEVSKA, HERE, Head of the Secretariat, Committee on Education, Science and Innovations, Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine – Parliament</li> <li>▪ Yuriy RASHKEVYCH, HERE, Member of the National Qualifications Agency; Professor, the Lviv Polytechnic National University; Deputy Minister of Education and Science of Ukraine (2018-2019)</li> </ul>
13.45- 14.00	Q&A SESSION
<b>14.00-14.15 OUTCOMES</b>	

**Working languages:** Ukrainian / English (*simultaneous translation (English/Ukrainian)*)  
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