



## MINUTES FROM THE KICK-OFF MEETING AT IVAN FRANKO LVIV NATIONAL UNIVERSITY Lviv, 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>, April 2016

### Participants

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P3	Audrius	Gargasas	Aleksandras Stulginskis University
P4	Vassilis	Stylianakis	University of Patras
P7	Victor	Klabbers	The Network University
P8	Konstantin	Kyrychenko	Sumy State University
P9	Svitlana	Grygoruk	Khmelnitsky National University
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P10	Mykhailo	Aleksieiev	National Mining University
P10	Svitlana	Us	National Mining University
P10	Olena	Churikanova	National Mining University
P11	Vitalyi	Kucharskyy	Ivan Franko Lviv National University
P11	Ola	Oseredchuk	Ivan Franko Lviv National University
P12	Igor	Lyman	Berdyansk Pedagogical University
P13	Vladimir	Zaslavskiy	Taras Shevchenko Kyiv National University
P14	Igor	Cherevko	Chernivtsi National University
P15	Sergii	Glebov	Odessa National University
P16	Olexandr	Smyrnov	Educational and methodical centre on QA
P16	Liza	Sozinowa	Educational and methodical centre on QA
P17	Olena	Rusnak	Ukrainian Association of Student Self-Government
P18	Lyubov	Shchitka	Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine
P18	Alla	Rybalko	Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine
-	Olena	Orzhel	National ERASMUS+ Office, Ukraine



## PART 1.

1. Special monitoring session for Ukrainian partners delivered by representatives of National Erasmus+ Office in UA - Olena Orzhel.
2. Welcome Speech by Host - Vitalyi Kucharskyy, Vice-Rector Ivan Franko Lviv National University.
3. Opening speech of project QUAERE - Mariusz Mazurkiewicz, Wrocław University of Science and Technology, coordinator.
4. Presentation of participating institutions:
  - a. Ivan Franko Lviv National University, Host of the meeting, Vitalyi Kucharskyy,
  - b. Wrocław University of Science and Technology, Jan Kwiatkowski,
  - c. Koblenz-Landau University, Serge Chernyschenko,
  - d. Aleksandras Stulginskis University, Aurdrius Gargasas
  - e. University of Patras, Vassilis Stylianakis,
  - f. The Network University, Victor Klabbers,
  - g. Sumy State University, Konstantin Kyrychenko,
  - h. Khmelnytsky National University, Svitlana Grygoruk,
  - i. National Mining University, Olena Churikanova, Vsevolod Chernyschenko,
  - j. Berdyansk Pedagogical University, Igor Lyman,
  - k. Taras Shevchenko Kyiv National University, Vladimir Zaslavskiy,
  - l. Chernivtsi National University, Igor Cherevko, Information about achievements of TEMPUS project TRUST, related field to QUAERE project, needs of pay attention to utility of TRUST results,
  - m. Odesa National University, Sergii Glebov,
  - n. Educational and methodical centre on QA, Olexandr Smyrnov,
  - o. Ukrainian Association of Student Self-Government, Olena Rusnak.
5. Ukrainian System of Higher Education, current state, legal aspects, agenda of reforms - short information by Alla Rybalko and Lyubov Shchitka.
6. Institutional teams - selection procedures, additional explanations by partners on request of Olena Orzhel, National ERASMUS+ Office, Ukraine
7. Closing information.

## PART 2.

1. Explanatory presentation about adaptation of ERASMUS+ rules in project day by day activity, examples of best practices in previous TEMPUS projects in comparison to current ERASMUS+ rules. Introduction to main ideas of project. European Standards and Guidelines of Quality Assurance in HEIs. Serge Chernyschenko.
2. Introductory presentation about general financial rules in ERASMUS+ projects, financial rules within QUAERE projects, budget of partners, staff costs, travel costs, cost of stay, equipment, sub-contracting etc. Organisation of meetings, travels, enumeration for work - conditions and constraints. Mariusz Mazurkiewicz.



3. Partnership agreement prepared by coordinator, overview of template. Request to partners for preliminary evaluation of partnership agreement template by legal departments of participating institution. Decision about translation of text from English to Ukrainian to speed up formal decisions of partners. Mariusz Mazurkiewicz.
4. Project Bodies. Composition of Governing Board. Structure of National coordination team. Institutional work groups. Organizational structure of GB, LCT. Introduction of Vitalyi Kucharsky (P11) as one of the member of National Coordinator Team responsible on internal quality assurance matters in the framework of QUAERE project. Mariusz Mazurkiewicz
5. European Standards and Guidelines of Quality Assurance in HEIs. The overview of project methodology. Key ideas of ESG 2015. General description of project's goals and objectives. Introduction to Work Plan. Konstantin Kyrychenko.
6. Preliminary Project Work Plan. Distribution of duties and responsibilities. Work Package's Leaders, Deliverable's Leaders. Mariusz Mazurkiewicz.
7. General remarks and conclusions:
  - a. Number of members in institutional workgroup. The requirement to having minimum 4 members at least to "cover" all staff categories within the project.
  - b. The deadline for participating institutions to send to coordinator information of their representatives in Project Governing Boards (one person per partner institution) - **15.04.2016, 23.59 GMT+01** (information via e-mail: [mariusz.mazurkiewicz@pwr.edu.pl](mailto:mariusz.mazurkiewicz@pwr.edu.pl), message with attachment: scan copy of document signed by legal representative of institution with (if possible) stamp. Allowed languages: English, Ukrainian, German, Dutch, Greek, Lithuanian).
  - c. The deadline for participating institutions to send to coordinator information of composition of local work groups (information as text in e-mail body to [mariusz.mazurkiewicz@pwr.edu.pl](mailto:mariusz.mazurkiewicz@pwr.edu.pl)) - **18.04.2016, 23.59 GMT+01**.
  - d. Preliminary information about "Summer School" for project participants in Koblenz-Landau University, Koblenz, Germany in July 2016.
  - e. Approved by voting of participants proposition to start preparation for finding new logo on request of participants of the meeting.
  - f. The deadline to sign partnership agreement in QUAERE projects, **May 2016**.



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