

# **INTERHED**

# **The Internationalisation of Higher Education**

## **An on-line training course**

**Giovanni Finocchietti**

**Punto nazionale di contatto Erasmus Mundus - Italia**

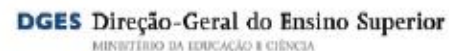
**INTERUV Training Seminar  
for Erasmus Mundus National Structures,  
National Tempus Offices and Higher Education Reform Experts**

**Warsaw, 9 May 2013**

## An Erasmus Mundus Action 3 project

### Partner National Structures:

Italy (c), Belgium (French), Ireland,  
Lithuania, Malta, Portugal



### Project duration

November 2011 - September 2014

## **Goal of the project**

to develop and run an on-line training course focusing on the internationalisation of Higher Education Systems.

## **Course editions**

1<sup>st</sup> edition: February - September 2013

2<sup>nd</sup> edition: February - September 2014

## **Participants**

1<sup>st</sup> edition: mainly from HEIs and NSs;

2<sup>nd</sup> edition: in addition to the above, HEIs and national authorities EU and worldwide, Higher Education networks, organisations and associations, EACEA, European Commission (to be decided after pilot edition)

## **MODULE 1 - UNDERSTANDING HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEMS**

**1.1 Characteristics of Higher Education systems**

**1.2 Higher Education institutions**

**1.3 Degree structures and qualifications frameworks**

**1.4 Higher Education in emerging countries: Brazil, Russia, India, China (BRICs)**

**1.5 Terminology and information resources in Higher Education systems**



**INTERHED**

THE INTERNATIONALISATION OF HIGHER EDUCATION:  
AN ON-LINE TRAINING COURSE FOR ERASMUS MUNDUS ADMINISTRATORS



European Commission  
**ERASMUS  
MUNDUS**

## **MODULE 2 - DEVELOPING JOINT PROGRAMMES**

**2.1 Characteristics of joint programmes**

**2.2 Characteristics of joint degrees**

**2.3 Networks and partnerships among Higher Education institutions**

**2.4 Student management in the framework of joint programmes:  
VISA, services, and selection**

**2.5 Terminology and information resources on joint programmes**

## **MODULE 3 - RECOGNITION PROCEDURES**

- 3.1 Academic recognition procedures: national, European and international legal frameworks**
- 3.2 Professional recognition procedures qualifications**
- 3.3 Awarding and recognition of joint qualifications**
- 3.4 Bologna process instruments for recognition**
- 3.5 Terminology and information resources on recognition procedures**

### **FACE-TO-FACE SESSION**

**How to create and manage an international consortium**

## **FIRST EDITION - SOME DATA IN PROGRESS**

**Participants:** 10 from EM national structures, 25 from EU Higher education institutions, 5 from non-EU institutions (total 40 participants)

**Countries represented:** 14 EU, 5 non-EU (total 19 countries)

**Performance:** 1 drop out, with replacement from reserve list; 31 over 40 progressing as scheduled

**Assessment** (interim, after Module 1): largely positive for e-learning platform, management, support; a few critical comments for scientific contents and workload.

## **NEXT STEPS**

**Consortium meeting:** Brussels, 16 May 2013

**Promotion of the Second edition:** August - November 2013

**End of the First edition (face-to-face):** November 2013

**Application to the Second edition:** 1 October - 15 November 2013

**Consortium meeting:** November 2013 (after face-to-face session)

**Selection for the Second edition :** December 2013 - January 2014

**Start of the Second edition:** February 2014 (40 participants)



**For more information:**

**web: [www.interhed.eu](http://www.interhed.eu)**

**mail: [info@interhed.eu](mailto:info@interhed.eu)**

**Thank you for attention!**