



Peer Support Activity on distribution of work and responsibilities among the competent authorities that carry out recognition procedures

The role of higher education institutions

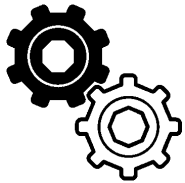
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5° TPG on LRC meeting, 27 April 2023





CIMEA has a long experience of cooperation and networking with HEIs (and CRUI), Ministries, ENIC-NARIC Centres.



Different ways of development

- 1. Training session with HEIs*
- 2. Response in time of crisis*
- 3. Webinars and meetings*
- 4. The creation of the first Italian association of Credential Evaluation (APICE)*



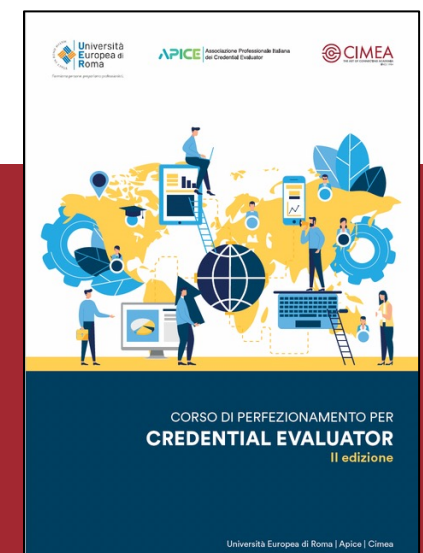
Training courses for credential evaluators in Italy (2020, 2021, 2022)

Scope: to gain advanced professional skills in the management and resolution of problems arising from the evaluation of qualifications and recognition procedures.

- around **120 participants** coming mainly from student offices and international relations offices of Italian HEIs.
- A way to **build awareness** and to push the recognition of micro-credentials in the HE sector.



Joint initiative of CIMEA with Università Europea di Roma and Associazione Professionale Italiana dei credential evaluator (APICE).



Webinar series: the effects of Covid-19 on higher education institutions and recognition of qualifications

Scope: to offer an **overview** of the effects of COVID-19 on higher education at international and national level, and the main **critical points** for those involved in the recognition of qualifications.

- Open to the **staff of Italian higher education institutions** and those involved in the recognition of qualifications at various levels.
- **Starting point:** the information note on this topic published by CIMEA.
- Four webinars in total (May 2020).



Focus Ukraine/1



2. Response in time of crisis

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- 1 Information sources on the Ukrainian system.
- 2 Ministry of University and Research (MUR) – [Support measures for the Ukrainian emergency](#).
- 3 CIMEA webinar on Ukrainian Higher Education system and qualifications (10 March 2022).
- 4 CIMEA DOC 136 - *UKRAINE - Education system*.
- 5 Ukrainian qualifications database with more than 300 titles.
- 6 Online webinar with DG EAC: Online Training for Fast-track Recognition of Ukrainian Academic Qualifications (6 April 2022).



Focus Ukraine/2



2. Response in time of crisis



1. CIMEA DOC 136 - UKRAINE Education system



3. Webinar online con DG EAC: Online Training for Fast-track Recognition of Ukrainian Academic Qualifications - (6 april 2022)



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Info

COUNTRY: Ukraine

AWARDING INSTITUTION (IN ORIGINAL LANGUAGE): Kyiv State Academy of Higher Transport named after Hryhorii Petrusi Karadzhievich-Sagaidachnyy / Київська державна академія вищої транспортної технічної освіти імені Григорія Петруся Караджевича-Сагайдачного

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AWARDING YEAR: 2016

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2. Database with Ukrainian qualifications (more than 300 titles)



4. Guidelines On Fast-track Recognition Of Ukrainian Academic Qualifications



Automatic recognition: policies, practices and tools at national and international level



Riconoscimento automatico:
politiche, prassi e strumenti
a livello nazionale e internazionale

16 Febbraio 2023
ore 14.30 – 16.00

WEBINAR



- Different stakeholders joined the event: credential evaluators, admission officers from higher education institutions (HEIs), staff of HEIs international relations offices.

Representatives of the:

- Ministry for Universities and Research.
- Ministry of Interior.
- Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation.
- Conference of Italian University Rectors.
- ANVUR – Italian National Agency for the evaluation of Universities and Research Institutes.

 **574 participants**



The preparatory survey

Due to the number of participants, some activities were delivered in asynchronous.

Some results:

- General knowledge of automatic recognition.
- Uneven awareness about the Council Recommendation.
- Possible misunderstanding among students.

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Riconoscimento automatico: tra percezione ed esperienza sul campo

In preparazione al webinar "Riconoscimento automatico: politiche, prassi e strumenti a livello nazionale del 16 febbraio p.v., organizzato da CIMEA nell'ambito del progetto Erasmus+ I-AR, ecco qualche breve riconoscimento automatico per capire quanto e come lo conosciamo, approfondendo alcuni aspetti della implementazione che hanno risolto nel nostro lavoro quotidiano.
Le risposte, anonime, verranno elaborate e riprese dai relatori durante il webinar.

Qual è il tuo ruolo nella tua istituzione di appartenenza? *

- Credential evaluator
- Segreteria studenti
- Personale amministrativo
- Ufficio Rettorato
- Ufficio relazioni internazionali

Equo riconoscimento della qualifica estera secondo la convenzione di Lisbona

Corrispondenza di due qualifiche che, rilasciate da istituzioni ufficiali e facenti ufficialmente parte del sistema nazi...

Nessun tipo di procedura riconoscimento

A tuo giudizio, l'Unione Europea ha potere giuridico in ambito di educazione e, quindi, anche di riconoscimento automatico? *

- Sì
- No

Pensi che il termine "riconoscimento automatico" possa creare fraintendimenti da parte degli studenti? *

- Sì
- No

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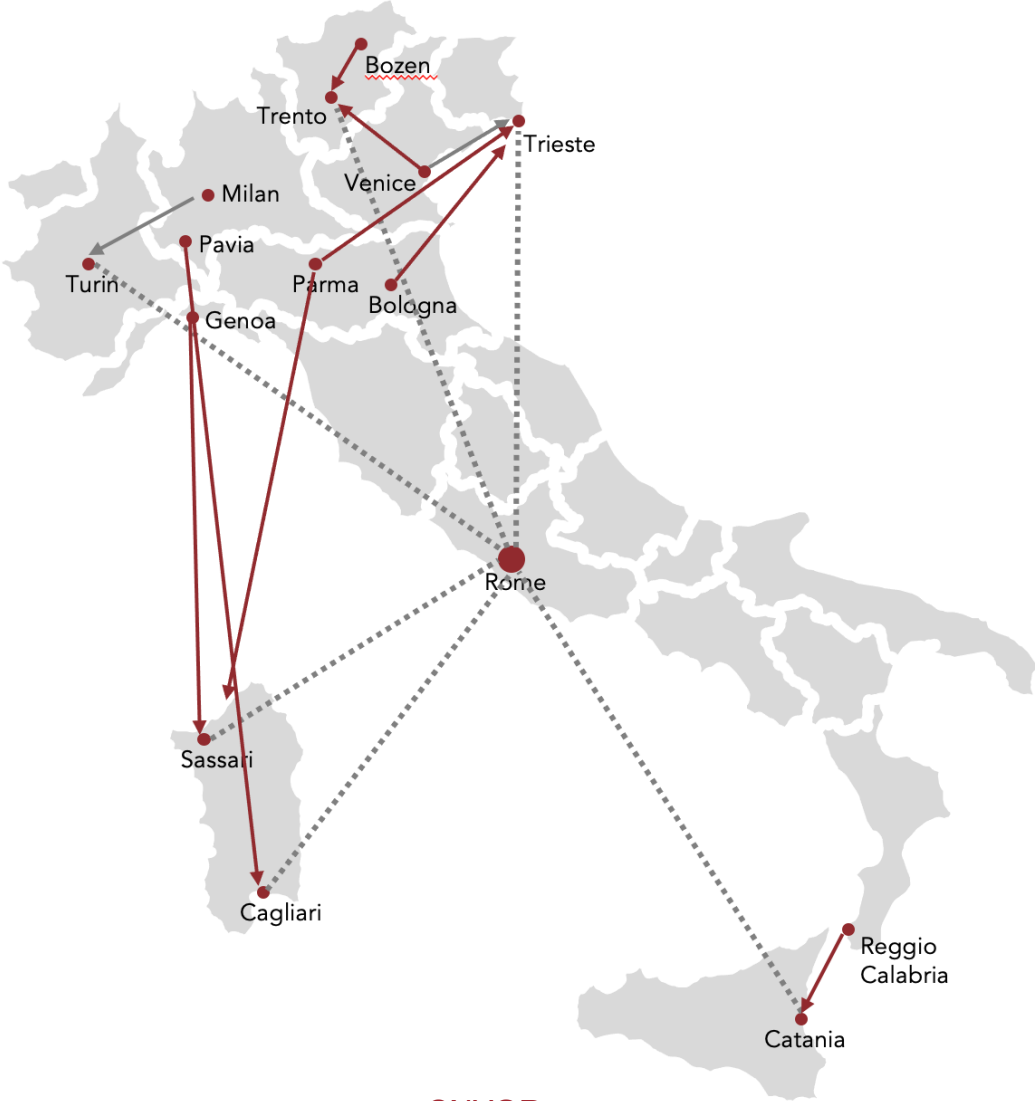


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CNVQR (National Coordination for the Evaluation of Refugee Qualifications)

Aim:

- Creation of an **informal network** of experts from the administrative sector who operate inside higher education institutions and who deal with recognition of qualifications, to share evaluation procedures, problem cases, sources of information and methodological practices in cases of evaluation of qualifications held by refugees, even in cases of little or no documentation.
- Since 2017 up to now, **34 voluntary members (33 higher education institutions and APICE – Association of Professional Italian Credential Evaluators).**



First CNVQR Meeting – 7 April 2017

- 25 higher education institutions, with the participation of MIUR, UNHCR and NOKUT.
- Presentation of the **Refugee Qualifications Academic Pass**.
- Start of the testing phase of the Refugee Qualifications Academic Pass (June-July 2017).



APICE – the first italian association of Credential Evaluation

➤ The UNI Reference Practice 120:2021

Transparent and analytic framework of the requirements related to the professional figure of the Credential Evaluator in terms of knowledge, skills, abilities.



- The first **national network** of experts in the evaluation and academic recognition of qualifications.



[APICE website](https://www.apice.it)



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