



Fourth Meeting of the European Higher Education Area Advisory Group on EHEA International cooperation

Alcalá de Henares (Madrid, Spain), 30 – 31 January 2017.

Venue: Alcalá de Henares

Address: University of Alcalá. Plaza San Diego s/n. Alcalá de Henares. CP: 28801.

Monday, 30 th January	
08:30 – 9:00	Registration
09:00 – 09:30	1. Welcome and opening of the meeting (Parainfo) Jorge Sainz. Spanish Secretary General of Universities. MECD Fernando Galván. Rector University of Alcalá Introduction to the meeting (International Conferences Room) Luis Delgado (Spain), Patricia Pol (France), Ella Ritchie (UL). AG1 Co-Chairs
09:30 – 10:00	2. Adoption of the Agenda and information on the final report of the 3rd meeting <i>Documents: draft annotated agenda; AG1-Third meeting final report</i>
10:00 – 11:30	3. Feedback from the Bratislava BFUG meeting Presentation of the BPF Concept Note. Purpose, Topics, Format <i>Document: BPF Concept Note; BFUG Bratislava presentation</i>
11:30 – 12:00	Coffee break
12:00 – 14:00	4. Enhancing international cooperation between regional higher education areas. Building Regional Dialogues Structured Round Tables. Participants are asked to identify: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Three main topics for collaboration with the EHEA and recommendations to the main actors• Three activities needed to implement international cooperation• Challenges, benefits and risks 4.1 Round Table I. Latin America F. Galván (FAP-ALCUE), R. Escalante (UDUAL), L. Cruz (CCA), C. Abicalil (OEI). Facilitator: Luis Delgado. Co-Chair AG1 EHEA International Cooperation
14:00 – 15:30	Lunch

15:30 – 17:30	4.2 Round Table II. MENAA (Mediterranean, North Africa & Arabic countries) Emmanuelle Gardan (UfM), Wail Benjelloun (UNIMED), Pr. Bakkour (ANQAHE), Sultan Abu Orabi (AArU) Facilitator: Ella Ritchie. Co-Chair AG1 EHEA International Cooperation
18:00 – 19:30	Guided visit to University of Alcalá
20:30	Dinner Parador de Alcalá de Henares
Tuesday, 31st January	
09:30 -11:30	4.3 Global Round table J. Gacel (OBIRET-IESALC), M. Scalisi (UNIMED), E. Ritchie (AG1-EHEA), A. Lyambabaje (IUCEA), M. Bartes (EC). L. Simionescu (UNESCO), B. Wächter (ACA) Facilitators: L. Delgado, P.Pol (AG1-EHEA)
11:30 – 12:00	Coffee Break
12:00 – 13:30	5 Parallel Working Group on International Alliances. Shaping . Framework; Action Plan Participants split in 3 WGs Facilitators: L. Delgado, P.Pol, E. Ritchie (AG1-EHEA)
13:30 – 14:00	6. Feedback from Working Groups
14:00 – 14:15	7. Any other business
14:15	End of the meeting and farewell lunch

List of Acronyms:

AArU: Association of Arab Universities

AASU: All-Africa Student Union

AG1: Advisory Group EHEA International Cooperation

ANQAHE: Arab Network for Quality Assurance in Higher Education

BFUG: Bologna Follow Up Group

CAEU-OEI: Centro de Altos estudios Universitarios de la Organización de Estados Iberoamericanos

CCA: Consejo Centroamericano de Acreditación

EC: European Commission

EHEA: European Higher Education Area

FAP – ALC-UE: Foro Académico Permanente América Latina Caribe Unión Europea

HAQAA: Harmonization of African Quality Assurance and Accreditation

IUCEA: Inter-University Council for East Africa

OBIRET-IESALC: Observatorio Regional sobre Internacionalización y Redes en Educación

Terciaria. Instituto Internacional para la Educación Superior en América Latina y el Caribe

UDUAL: Unión de Universidades de América Latina y el Caribe

UfM: Union for the Mediterranean
UNIMED: Union des Universités de la Méditerranée