

DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES FOR THE EUROPEAN KNOWLEDGE SOCIETY

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Thursday, 3rd February 2005

13:30 - 15:00

Registration

15:00 - 15:30

Welcome Addresses to the Plenary Session

Heinrich Schmidinger

Rector, University of Salzburg, Austria

Elisabeth Gehrler

Minister of Education, Science and Culture, Austria

Wolf-Michael Catenhusen

State Secretary, Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Germany

Eric Froment

President, European University Association (EUA)

Moderator: Heinrich Schmidinger

15:30 - 16:00

Opening Addresses

The Bologna Process

Germain Dondelinger, *Coordinator for Higher Education, Ministry of Culture, Higher Education and Research, Luxembourg*

The European Research Area

Raffaele Liberali, *Director, DG Research*

Moderator: Germain Dondelinger

16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 - 18:00	<p>Statements from key stakeholders on the role of doctoral programmes</p> <p>Doctoral candidates and young researchers Renzo Rubele, <i>President, EURODOC</i></p> <p>Universities as research training institutions Peter Gaetgens, <i>President, German Rectors' Conference</i></p> <p>The reform of doctoral education in France and the link between universities and public research organizations Jean Marc Monteil, <i>Director General, French Ministry of Education</i></p> <p>Discussion</p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Germain Dondelinger</p>
20:00	Concert and buffet dinner hosted by the organising ministries and the City and Province of Salzburg

Friday, 4th February 2005

9:00 - 10:30	<p>The EU and the European Knowledge Society Guy Haug, <i>DG Education and Culture</i></p> <p>Comments from the industry and trade unions on employability of doctoral candidates Maria Rimini-Döring, <i>Robert Bosch GmbH, Corporate Research and Development</i> Gerd Köhler, <i>The German Education Union</i></p> <p>Summary presentation of the EUA "Doctoral Programmes Project" Lesley Wilson, <i>Secretary General, EUA</i></p> <p><i>Moderator:</i> Arnold Schmidt, <i>Vienna University of Technology; Member of the Austrian Academy of Sciences, Austria</i></p>
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 - 13:00	<p>Working Groups</p> <p>Structure/ organisation of doctoral programmes (I)</p> <p>Chair: Helmut Schwarz, <i>Vice President, German Research Association (DFG)</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Jean Chambaz, <i>Coordinator Doctoral Schools, Université Pierre et Marie Curie, Paris, France</i></p>

Rapporteur:
Kate Runeberg, *Nordic Council of Ministers, Denmark*

Structure/ organisation of doctoral programmes (2)

Chair:
Baiba Rivza, *Chairperson, Latvia Higher Education Council*

Facilitator:
Katarina Bjelke, *Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden*

Rapporteur:
Conor o'Carroll, *Conference of Heads of Irish Universities, Dublin, Ireland*

Quality of doctoral programmes

Chair:
Sakari Karjalainen, *Director Science Policy Division, Finnish Ministry of Education*

Facilitator:
Ella Ritchie, *University of Newcastle, United Kingdom*

Rapporteur:
Andrée Sursock, *EUA*

Different roles of doctoral candidates/ Individual conditions for doctoral candidates

Chair:
Irina Veretennicoff, *Free University of Brussels (VUB); Vice Chair EC External Advisory Group Human Resources and Mobility, Marie Curie Actions*

Facilitator:
Toni Gabaldon, *EURODOC*

Rapporteur:
Dagmar Meyer, *Marie Curie Fellowship Association*

Comparing "good and innovative practices" at/among institutions

Chair:
Aleksa Bjelis, *Vice Rector, University of Zagreb, Croatia*

Facilitator:
Rune Nilsen, *University of Bergen, Norway*

Rapporteur:
Sandra Bitusikova, *EUA*

13:00 - 14:30

Lunch hosted by the organising Ministries

14:30 - 16:00	Working Groups
16:00 - 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 - 18:00	Presentation of the Working Groups Reports by the Chairs Discussion <i>Moderator: Georg Winckler, Rector, University of Vienna, Austria; EUA; European Research Advisory Board</i>
20:00	Dinner hosted by the organising ministries

Saturday, 5th February 2005

9:30 - 11:00	Wake up panel on doctoral programmes in the light of world wide competition Magda Lola, <i>Marie Curie Fellowship Association and University of Patras, Greece</i> Louise Ackers, <i>Director of the Centre for Study of Law in Europe, University of Leeds, United Kingdom</i> Debra Stewart, <i>President of the Council of Graduate Schools, USA</i> <i>Moderator: Christiane Ebel-Gabriel, Secretary General, German Rectors' Conference</i>
11:00 - 11:30	Coffee Break
11:30 - 12:00	Presentation of Final Recommendations including a proposal for the "Bergen Communiqué" by the General Rapporteur Kirsti Koch Christensen, <i>Rector of the University of Bergen, Norway</i>
12:00 - 12:30	Closing Speeches Eric Froment <i>President, European University Association</i> Peter Greisler <i>Deputy Director General for Higher Education, Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Germany</i> Sigurd Höllinger <i>Director General for Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Science and Culture, Austria</i> Heinrich Schmidinger <i>Rector, University of Salzburg, Austria</i> <i>Moderator: Christiane Ebel-Gabriel</i>