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National Bologna Event What do we mean when we talk about recognition in higher education?

October 23, 2025 Venue: Faculty of Electrical Engineering (Ceremonial hall)

AGENDA

Moderator: p	rof. Biljana Šćepanović, HERE team member, University of Montenegro
8:30 - 9:00	Registration and Welcome Coffee
9:00 - 9:15	 Why recognition? Vanja Drljević, Head of National Erasmus+ Office Dragana Ćetković, General Director of the Directorate for Higher Education and Students' Standard, Ministry of Education, Science and Innovation of Montenegro
9:15 - 11:00	Session 1 - Recognition of study periods (i.e. parts of study experience)
	9.15 - 9.45: Necessary provisions and tools for recognition of study periods; recognition of formal, non-formal and informal learning; recognition of prior learning and micro-credentials - prof. Raimonda Markevičienė, Head of International Relations Office at Vilnius University, Bologna expert
	9.45 - 10.30: The role of universities, procedures and internal quality assurance; perspective and vision of policy makers - Representative of University of Montenegro - prof. Maja Delibašić, University Mediterranean - prof. Maja Drakić Grgur, University of Donja Gorica - Representative of University Adriatik (tbc) - Representative of the ACQAHE (tbc) - Milica Žižić, Head of ENIC (tbc)
	10.30 - 11.00: Comparative case studies (Montenegro vs EHEA) – Discussion
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee break

11:15 - 13:00	Session 2 - Recognition of degree
	11.15 - 11.45: Recognition in the context of procedures, compliance with ESG, different purposes (education continuation vs employment); prerequisites for automatic recognition
	- prof. Raimonda Markevičienė, Head of International Relations Office at Vilnius University, Bologna expert
	11.45 - 12.30: Trends and challenges in Montenegro; procedures at universities; role of ENIC Center
	- Representative of Quality Assurance Centre, UoM - prof. Maja Delibašić, University Mediterranean - prof. Maja Drakić Grgur, University of Donja Gorica
	- Representative of University Adriatik (tbc) - Milica Žižić, Head of ENIC (tbc)
	12.30 - 13.00: Comparative case studies (Montenegro vs EHEA) – Discussion
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:45	Session 3 - Joint study programmes and their recognition. Is it the future of the European Education landscape?
	14.00 - 14.30: State-of-the-art, vision, trends and challenges of joint degrees in EU/EHEA; European Degree Initiative - prof. Raimonda Markevičienė, Head of International Relations Office at Vilnius University, Bologna expert
	14.30 – 15.15: Level of readiness/preparedness, challenges and vision regarding joint study programmes and their recognition in Montenegro - Representative of Quality Assurance Centre, UoM - prof. Maja Delibašić, University Mediterranean - prof. Maja Drakić Grgur, University of Donja Gorica - Representative of University Adriatik (tbc) - Milica Žižić, Head of ENIC (tbc)
	- Representative of the ACQAHE (tbc)
	15.15 - 15.45: Q&A Discussion
15:45 – 16:00	Wrap-up:
	How, where to go further?
	Recommendations and conclusions