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1st plenary meeting of the Council of Europe Platform on Ethics, Transparency and Integrity in Education ETINED

Council of Europe, Room 09 24-25 November 2016

Programme

Thursday 24 November 2016

Room 9, Palais de l'Europe

8.30-9.30 Registration of participants

9.30 Opening session

Chaired by Villano Qiriazi, Head of the Education Policy Division, Council of Europe

Welcoming speeches:

Matthew Johnson, Director for Democratic Citizenship and Participation, Council of Europe

Jindřich Fryč, Chair, Steering Committee for Educational Policy and Practice (CDPPE)

10.00 Plenary Session 1 "Setting the framework: the work of the Council of Europe in the field"

Chaired by Jindřich Fryč, Chair, Steering Committee for Educational Policy and Practice (CDPPE)

- An introduction to the work on Ethics, Transparency and Integrity in Education done by the Council of Europe, Presentations by Ian Smith (University of the West of Scotland) and Tom Hamilton (General Teaching Council for Scotland)
- Strengthening Integrity and combatting corruption in higher education in Armenia, Presentation by Robert Sukiasyan, Head of Department of Higher and Post Graduate Specialised Education, Ministry of Education and Science, Republic of Armenia

Questions and answers

11.00-11.20 Coffee break

11.20 -12.30 Plenary Session 2 "First results of the study related to the codes of conduct for school teachers"

Chaired by Stefania Kruger, Project manager ETINED, Education Policy Division

- Preliminary findings from the study: presentation by Ms Maria Golubeva, Centre for Public Policy PROVIDUS, Latvia
- Contribution by Muriel Poisson, International Institute for Educational Planning (IIEP-UNESCO)

12.30-14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.30 Parallel working group sessions

A. Ethical behaviour of all actors in education

Chaired by Carita Blomqvist, Finnish National Board of Education

Case studies:

- Code of ethics in Armenia, Arevik Anapiosyan, Institute of Public Policy, Republic of Armenia
- Assessment of the implementation of the PACA project results as regards ethical codes in Albania, Astrit Dautaj, Institute for the Development of Education, Albania

B. Academic integrity / Plagiarism

Chaired by Azis Polozhani, Mother Theresa University, Skopje

Case studies:

- The "Refairance Project" for plagiarism prevention in universities, Ansgar Schaefer, University of Konstanz
- Ghost-writing in the United Kingdom, Phil M. Newton, University of Swansea

C. Recognition of qualifications

Chaired by Stefan Delplace, EURASHE, Member of the Bureau of the CDPPE

Case studies:

- Education fraud: degree of deception, Cloud Bai-Yun, ENIC-NARIC UK
- The experience of the Swedish ENIC-NARIC Office in dealing with fraudulent credentials and diploma mills, Erik Johansson, Department of Qualifications Recognition, ENIC-NARIC Sweden

15.30-16.00 Coffee break

16.00-17.00 Group sessions continued

17.00 Meeting of the General rapporteur with working group rapporteurs

Friday 25 November 2016

9.00 – 10.15 Discussion on the priorities for 2017 for the ETINED Platform

Chaired by Villano Qiriazi, Head of the Education Policy Division, Council of Europe

- Feedback from the working groups: presentations by the Working Group rapporteurs of lessons learnt and key messages;
- Update on the study comparing policies for academic integrity in South-East Europe by Tomáš Foltýnek (Mendel University, Brno);
- Discussion about the priorities for 2017.

10.15 – 10.45 Coffee break

10.45- 12.15 Strategic orientations for 2018-2021 – Roundtable debate followed by exchanges from the floor

Chaired by Sjur Bergan, Head of the Education Department, Council of Europe

Input from:

- Cloud Bai-Yun, ENIC-NARIC UK
- Dennis Farrington, President of University Board, SEEU
- Lea Meister, European Students Union
- Muriel Poisson, IIEP-UNESCO

12.15-12.30 Closing session

Chaired by Jindřich Fryč, Chair of the CDPPE

Preliminary conclusions by Inese Voika, Riga Graduate School of Law, General Rapporteur of the ETINED plenary meeting

Concluding remarks:

Jindřich Fryč, Chair of the CDPPE, and Sjur Bergan, Head of the Education Department, Council of Europe