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**2ⁿᵈ plenary meeting of the
Council of Europe Platform on Ethics, Transparency and Integrity
in Education
ETINED
Council of Europe, Room 09
15-16 February 2018**

Programme

Thursday 15 February 2018

8.30-9.30   Registration of participants

9.30-10.00   Opening session
Chaired by Sjur Bergan, Head of the Education Department, Council of Europe

Addresses:
Snežana Samardžić-Marković, Director General of Democracy, Council of Europe

Promoting ethics, transparency and integrity through the Reference Framework of Competences for Democratic Culture of the Council of Europe, presentation by Călin Rus, Intercultural Institute of Timisoara

Discussion

10.00-11.00   Plenary Session 1 – Ethics in education
Chaired by Villano Qiriazi, Head of the Education Policy Division, Council of Europe

Draft recommendation on *Promoting the development of codes of ethics in the teaching profession*, update on the work of the ETINED Working Group on ethics in education by Jens Vraa-Jensen, Education International

Presentation of the study on the *Review of the Code of Professionalism and Conduct (COPAC) by the General Teaching Council for Scotland* by Tom Hamilton (United Kingdom)

Discussion

11.30-12.30   Plenary Session 2 – Education fraud
Chaired by Stefania Kruger, ETINED Project Manager, Council of Europe

Fighting education fraud, update on the work of the ETINED Working Group on Education Fraud by Phil Newton, Swansea University Medical School

The role of accreditation and quality assurance bodies in tackling corruption in higher education, presentation by Irene Glendinning, Coventry University

Discussion

12.30-14.00   Lunch

14.00-15.30 **Parallel working group sessions**

Working Group A – Ethics in Education
Discussion within the Working Group
Presentation of examples of good practices

Case studies:
Presentation of the Gothenburg University model for Academic Integrity by Sonja Bjelobaba (Sweden)
Presentation of the study *Innovative practices in higher education regarding the implementation of codes of ethics, a selection of best practices* by Teddi Fishman, Higher Education Consultant

Discussion on the Draft recommendation on *Promoting the development of codes of ethics in the teaching profession.*

Working Group B – Fraud in Education
Discussion within the Working Group
Presentation of examples of good practices

Case-studies:
A legal approach to tackling contract cheating by Michael J. Draper (United Kingdom)
Types of Fraud in International Higher Education; Situation and Main Concerns in Armenia by Ani Hovhannisyan (Armenia)

Discussion: exchange of ideas on the main features of a cooperation instrument on education fraud.

16.00-17.00 **Plenary Session 3: Academic integrity**
Chaired by Stefania Kruger, ETINED Project Manager, Council of Europe

Presentation of the study *South-East European Project on Policies for Academic Integrity,* by Tomas Foltynek and Dita Dlabolová, Mendel University in Brno

New assessment methods: experiential learning, authenticity and improvisation in the service of academic integrity, presentation by Teddi Fishman

Discussion

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9.00 – 10.15 **Plenary Session 4: Promoting a culture of academic integrity in practice**
Chaired by Sarah Keating, Head of the Cooperation and Capacity-building Division, Council of Europe

Presentation of the main results and achievements of the EU/CoE Joint Programme *Strengthening Integrity and Combatting Corruption in Higher Education in Armenia* by Katia Dolgova, Programme coordinator, Council of Europe

Presentation of the *Toolkit and the online platform to enhance transparency and accountability in governance of higher education institutions in Armenia* by Ruben Markosyan, Vice-Rector of the Yerevan State University on Students, Alumni and Public Relations Issues

Discussion

10.30-11.15 **Plenary Session 4 continued**

Presentation of the EU/CoE Horizontal Facility Projects in Serbia, Montenegro and Kosovo*: *Strengthen integrity and combat corruption in higher education* by Vesna Atanasova, Programme Manager, Council of Europe

Presentation on *Higher Education in Serbia: the current issues on Academic Integrity* by Professor Vladimir Bumbaširević, Rector of Belgrade University

Discussion

11.15-12.15 **Closing session**
Chaired by Sjur Bergan, Head of the Education Department, Council of Europe

Strategic orientations for 2018-2019 by Villano Qiriazi, Head of the Education Policy Division, Council of Europe

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