

Linking Academic Recognition and Quality Assurance

Conference agenda

22nd May, 2019

Vilnius, Lithuania

8.15 – 9.00 Registration. Welcome coffee.

9.00 – 9.30 **Recognition as a key to quality, access, and internationalization for students.**

Adam Gajek, President of European Student Union

9.35 – 10.15 **Is development of quality assurance and quality culture panacea for everything?**

Tia Loukkola, European University Association

10.20 – 10.50 **Monitoring of implementation as a tool to improve recognition.**

Gunnar Vaht, President of Lisbon Recognition Convention Committee

10.55 – 11.25 *Coffee break*

11.25 – 12.05 **External review of QA agencies: addressing effectiveness of internal quality assurance by external quality assurance.**

Caty Duykaerts, Vice-President of ENQA

12.10 – 12.45 **Peer review of ENIC/NARIC centres and tools for HEIs to improve recognition practices.**

Bas Wegewijs, Nuffic (Dutch ENIC/NARIC), The Netherlands

12.50 – 13.25 **Recognition and Quality Assurance in Higher Education Institutions: Connecting the Dots.**

Aurelija Valeikienė, Deputy Director of SKVC

13.25 – 14.25 *Lunch*

14.25 – 16.00 **Discussion of recommendations aimed at HEIs, QA agencies, and ENIC/NARIC centres.**

Work in groups.

16.00 – 16.40 *Wrap-up.*

16.40 – 17.00 *Farewell coffee.*

Venue: Lithuanian Science Academy, Gedimino av. 3, Vilnius