# ERASMUS STAFF TRAINING IN LIÈGE - BELGIUM

8—12 May 2017
University of Liège

# 3 topics for 3 target groups:

- 1 Open Access
- 2 In Search of HR Excellence in Research
- 3 Joint Masters & PhDs: a Tool for Your Institutional Strategy

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# **Topic 1: « Open Access »**



# **Description**

For the third year, the Libraries Network of the University of Liege (ULg Library) organizes an "Open Access Erasmus Staff Week" to expose, question and reflect on the new roles and opportunities which emerged from the Open Access & Open Science movement for the academic libraries.

Based both on ULg Library's expertize and on each participant's experience in Open Access, the main OA components will be addressed: mandates, author rights, Open Science, libraries roles, etc. Some sessions will be collaborative and, for others, participants will be invited to expose their own open access experiences.

# **Target group**

Librarians, or any staff member working in an academic library/institution and concerned by the development and implementation of open access/science tools and services.

**Size of the group** 20 participants max. (limited to one candidate per institution)

#### **PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME**

# **DAY 1—8 MAY**

am Welcome session & presentations

pm General presentation of ULg Library,History of OA at ULgDoNum the digitization project & platform

#### **DAY 2— 9 MAY**

am Current Challenges of Open Access
ORBi, the ULg institutional repository:
an added value

pm What about you? Your open access/ science/data project

#### **DAY 3— 10 MAY**

am Bibliometrics / altmetrics : helpful tools for assessing research and scientific career Matheo & PoPups : ULg Master thesis & Journals Open Access platforms

pm Visit of a library or social programme

#### **DAY 4— 11 MAY**

am Author rights & Open Access
From Open Access to Open Science

pm The library role in promoting Open Access

**DAY 5— 12 MAY** 

am Conclusions and debriefing

# Topic 2: « In Search of HR Excellence in Research »



# **Description**

HR excellence in research will be the main topic of this target group.

The R&D administration of the ULg will give you the opportunity to address it from different perspectives: HR strategy for researchers, *Open - Transparent and Merit-based recruitment*, merit assessment methodologies, best practices between supervisors and PhD candidates. External experts and reference persons inside the ULg will help you to deal with this challenging issue.

# **Target group**

Research administration staff, administrative staff in contact with researchers, scientific staff interested in the recruitment of researchers.

**Size of the group** 20 participants max.

#### **PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME**

#### **DAY 1—8 MAY**

am Welcome session & presentations

pm HR strategy for researchers
PhDs & researchers evaluation

#### **DAY 2— 9 MAY**

am What is merit? How is scientific merit assessment conducted?

pm OTMR (Open, Transparent and Merit-based recruitment) and case studies in different institutions & organisations

#### **DAY 3— 10 MAY**

am Brainstorming in groups

pm Social programme

#### **DAY 4— 11 MAY**

am • Workshop 1 : Research excellence and gender

 Workshop 2 : Best practices between supervisors and PhD candidates

pm Team work on deliverables.
It is expected from the candidates that they define a concrete objective before coming to the staff training week. We will work together on its implementation.

# **DAY 5— 12 MAY**

am Presentation of deliverables & debriefing

# Topic 3: « Joint Masters & PhDs: a Tool for Your Institutional Strategy »

# Description

Joint programmes are more and more encouraged (by the European Union, by the authorities, by the accreditation agencies,...). How relevant are they for your institution? What are the benefits for the stakeholders? What are the obstacles and how can they be avoided? We will try to answer these questions with the help of experts and by sharing the experience of the participants.

# **Target group**

Staff members involved in joint programmes management (IRO directors, IRO officers, R&D officers, faculty members, ...)

**Size of the group** 15 participants max.

# **PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME**

#### **DAY 1—8 MAY**

am Welcome session & presentations

pm Joint programme: what is it?

- various practices after Bologna
- case study: joint PhD

# **DAY 2—9 MAY**

am What about your University? Sharing

tips and good practices

Workshop: identification of obstacles

and benefits

pm Joint programme: to whose benefit? +

testimonies

### **DAY 3— 10 MAY**

am Joint programme: development tool?

pm Social programme

#### **DAY 4— 11 MAY**

am Joint programme: internationalisation

tool?

pm What about your university? Sharing

tips and good practices

**DAY 5— 12 MAY** 

am Conclusions and debriefing

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