

## ENQA Seminar – Quality Assurance in the European Context 3-4 November 2016

### Venue:

University Foundation  
Rue d'Egmont 11  
1000 Brussels  
Belgium

### Day 1 – Thursday, 3 November

- 12.30 Registration and lunch
- 13.30 Opening and welcome to the seminar  
[Maria Kelo, Director, ENQA](#)
- 13.45 The Bologna process and the EHEA: achievements, aspirations, and challenges ahead  
[Una Strand Vidarsdottir, Senior Adviser, Ministry of Education, Science and Culture, Iceland](#)
- 14.30 Reviewing the EU's modernisation agenda for higher education: update and future priorities  
[Simon Roy, Policy Officer, Directorate General for Education, Culture, Multilingualism & Youth of the European Commission](#)
- 15.15 Coffee break
- 15.45 Understanding the ESG and the expectations on QA agencies  
[Maria Kelo](#)
- 16.30 EQAR – what it is, how it works, and what it does  
[Colin Tück, Director, European Quality Assurance Register for Higher Education \(EQAR\)](#)
- 17.15 Reception

### Day 2 – Friday, 4 November

- 9.00 Internal quality assurance: perspective of the European universities  
[Tia Loukkola, Director for Institutional Development, European University Association \(EUA\)](#)
- 9.45 Expectations of students on higher education reforms and quality assurance in Europe  
[Lea Meister, President, European Students' Union \(ESU\)](#)  
[Blazhe Todorovski, Vice President, ESU](#)



- 10.30 Coffee break
- 11.00 Quality assurance in practice I – the European approach for quality assurance of joint programmes  
[Mark Frederiks, Coordinator International Policy, NVAO \(the Netherlands\)](#)
- 11.30 Quality assurance in practice II – The use and usefulness of QA reports: outcomes of the EQAREp project  
[Orla Lynch, Head of Cyclical Reviews, QQI \(Ireland\)](#)
- 12.00 Quality assurance in practice III – QA of cross-border higher education: outcomes of the QACHE project  
[Paula Ranne, Deputy Director, ENQA](#)
- 12.30 Wrap-up and closing words
- 12.45 Farewell lunch