ON-LINE QUALITY ASSURANCE AND EUR-ACE ACCREDITATION OF ENGINEERING PROGRAMMES IN MEDITERRANEAN AREA

FINAL DISSEMINATION CONFERENCE

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23rd-24th June 2021
The MEDACCR project is promoted by the European Commission in the scheme of the Erasmus+ programme. It will run from October 2017 until July 2021. Its wider objective is to set up and implement an on-line Quality Assurance (QA) system and an accreditation system of Engineering Study Programmes (ESPs) in Algeria, Jordan and Tunisia, consistent with the EUR-ACE Framework Standards and Guidelines (EAFSG).

**SPECIFIC PROJECT OBJECTIVES**

- To promote the design of student-centred ESPs focused on the definition of learning outcomes consistent with the programme outcomes shared at European level.
- To bring the internal QA of ESPs into line with the Standards and Guidelines for QA in the European Higher Education Area (ESG).
- To promote transparency and comparability of ESPs through an on-line documentation of their QA.
- To identify/create national centres/agencies for the EUR-ACE accreditation and to promote international recognition of ESPs.
- To sustain the project by agreements with Ministries of Higher Education of the Partner Countries for the recognition / recommendation of EUR-ACE accreditation at national level.
- To disseminate the project results by involvement of the academic and administrative staff of the Partner Countries Universities.

**MEDACCR Partnership**

- P01 UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI GENOVA, Italy (Coordinator)
- P02 ECOLE NATIONALE POLYTECHNIQUE DE CONSTANTINE, Algeria
- P03 PRINCESS SUMAYA UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, Amman, Jordan
- P04 JORDAN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, Amman, Jordan
- P05 UNIVERSITE DE TUNIS, ECOLE NATIONALE SUPERIEURE D’INGENIEURS, Tunisia
- P06 UNIVERSITE DE SOUSSE, Sousse, Tunisia
- P07 UNIVERSITE DE MONASTIR, Tunisia
- P08 INSTITUTO POLITECNICO DO PORT, Porto, Portugal
- P09 ECOLE CENTRALE NANTES, Nantes, France
- P10 UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI FIRENZE, Florence, Italy
- P11 UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI FIRENZE, Florence, Italy
- P12 ECOMM Campus UNIVERSITY, Novegrade (CO), Italy
- P13 CINECA Consortium, Casalecchio di Reno (BO), Italy
- P14 QUACING AGENCY, Rome, Italy
- P15 INSTITUTE NATIONALE EVALUATION, ASSURANCE QUALITÉ ET ACCRÉDITATION, Tunis, Tunisia
- P16 JORDAN ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION, Amman, Jordan
- P17 MINISTERE DE L’ENSEIGNEMENT SUPERIEUR ET DE LA RECHERCHE SCIENTIFIQUE DE L’ALGERIE, Algeria
- P18 JORDANIAN MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, Amman, Jordan
- P19 TUNISIAN MINISTRY OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH, Tunis, Tunisia
- P20 AGORA KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT, Alicante, Spain
- P21 ECOLE NATIONALE POLYTECHNIQUE D’ORAN, Oran, Algeria
- P22 ENGINEERING ASSOCIATIONS MEDITERRANEAN COUNTRIES, Rome, Italy
- P23 COMMISSION DES TITRES D’INGÉNIEUR, Paris, France
Wednesday 23rd June 2021

09:30 - 10:00  **REGISTRATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS**

10:00 - 13:30  **CONFERENCE PLENARY SESSION**
Moderated by Prof. Ahmed Ben Cheikh Larbi, ENSIT

(including breaks)

Institutional greetings by academic authority of ENSIT

Institutional greetings by the representatives of the Ministries of Higher Education

Institutional greetings by Prof. Paola Renata Dameri, deputy rector for international cooperation of UNIGE

Welcome speeches from Partner Countries and Member States participants

General overview on MEDACCR project by Mr. Angelo Musaio and Prof. Alfredo Squarzoni, UNIGE

Achievements of MEDACCR project in Algeria
presentation coordinated by Prof. Khaled Belarbi, ENP_Constantine

Achievements of MEDACCR project in Jordan
presentation coordinated by Prof. Walid Salameh, Princess Sumaya University of Technology, Amman

Achievements of MEDACCR project in Tunisia
presentation coordinated by Prof. Ahmed Cheikh Larbi, ENSIT

Greetings from the chairman of the MEDACCR External Quality Control Team, Prof. Gustavo Capannelli

13:40 - 14:30  **ROUND TABLE**
Moderated by Prof. Jose Carlos Quadrado, Polytechnic Institute of Porto; ENAEE - European Network for Accreditation of Engineering Education

Further opportunities of development of the MEDACCR experience and synergies in South and East Mediterranean Area
OVERALL PROGRAMME

MEDACCR Project Final Dissemination Conference
Online meeting hosted by ENSIT, Tunisia

Thursday, 24th June 2021
10:30 - 13:00 MEDACCR Session

Endorsements towards the implementation and enlargement of the MEDACCR network. Recommendations for fostering the accreditation processes

Agreement between UNIGE and CINECA aimed at availability and maintenance of the software platform over the project lifecycle

Digital printing of the MEDACCR documentation material

Planning of tasks for the making of the project final report

Any other matter

Partnership wrap-up

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