





# Projects Related to the Bologna Process by Universities Austria How to Assure Quality in New-Style Doctoral Studies?

**Date:** 29 October 2009

**Duration** 9.30 – 17.00

**Venue:** Vienna University of Economics and Business

Festival Hall Augasse 2-6

1090 Vienna, Austria

# **Programme**

9.30 - 10.00 **Registration** 

#### 10.00 - 10.20 **Opening Ceremony**

Christoph **Badelt**, Rector of Vienna University of Economics and Business, President of Universities Austria Elisabeth **Westphal**, Policy Advisor for the Bologna Process, Higher Education in Europe and Teaching, Universities Austria

# 10.20 – 11.05 Overview of the Latest Trends in Doctoral Education in Europe with the Focus on Quality

Alexandra **Bitusikova**, Senior Advisor in Research and Innovation, EUA Thomas **Jorgensen**, Senior Programme Manager in Research and Innovation, EUA

## 11.05 - 11.50 Case Study: University of Vienna (Austria)

Lucas **Zinner**, Vice Director of Research Service and International Relations, University of Vienna

#### **11.50 – 12.00 Plenary Discussion**

12.00 - 13.00 Lunch Break

#### 13.00–13.45 Case Study: Robert Gordon University (Great Britain)

Alan **Davidson**, Dean of the Department for the Enhancement of Learning, Teaching and Assessment, Robert Gordon University

## 13.45 – 14.30 Case Study: University of Bergen (Norway)

Anne Gro Vea Salvanes, Prorector, University of Bergen

14.30 – 15.00 Coffee break

## 15.00 – 15.45 Case Study: University of Siena (Italy)

Ugo **Pagano**, Director of the Doctoral School in Economics, University of Siena

# 15.45 – 16.45 **Plenary Discussion on** *Quality Assurance in Doctoral Studies and Programmes*

**16.45 - 17.00 Closing Ceremony** 

**Chair:** Arthur **Mettinger**, Vice Rector for Educational Programme Development and Internationalisation, University of Vienna

For further information please consult: <a href="http://www.uniko.ac.at/bologna\_projekte/index.php?lang=EN">http://www.uniko.ac.at/bologna\_projekte/index.php?lang=EN</a>

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