

Short Introduction to PRIDE

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Short background – PRIDE Project (2013-2016) - Goals

- Contribute to professionalisation of administrative staff in doctoral education
- Create a network for Professional in DE



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Short background – PRIDE Project (2013-2016) – Actions/results

- Survey about Professionals in Doctoral education (222 resp.)
- Handbook on Professionals in DE (including good practices)
- Training for Professionals in DE (professionalization of staff)
- Final Conference Berlin (8/9. Sept. 2016, 75 registered participants)
- Feasibility study about professional network (118 resp.)



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Professionals in Doctoral Education – Keywords



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Professionals in Doctoral Education – Third space

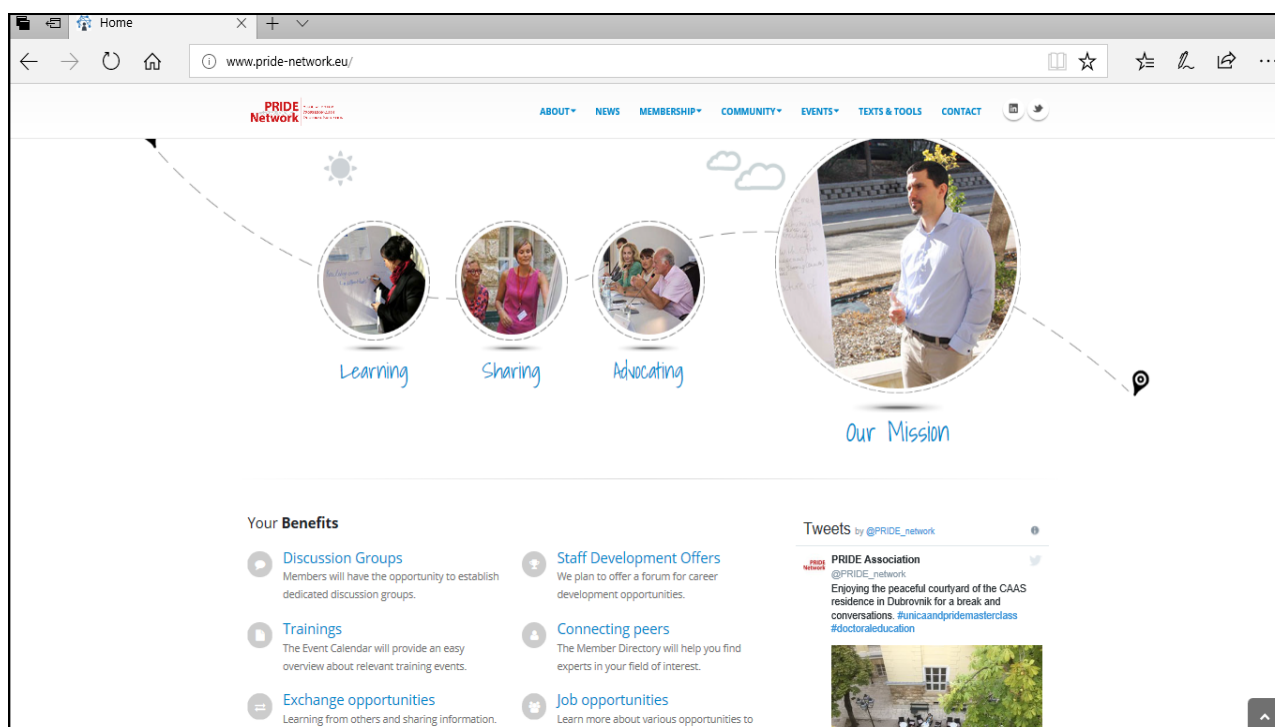
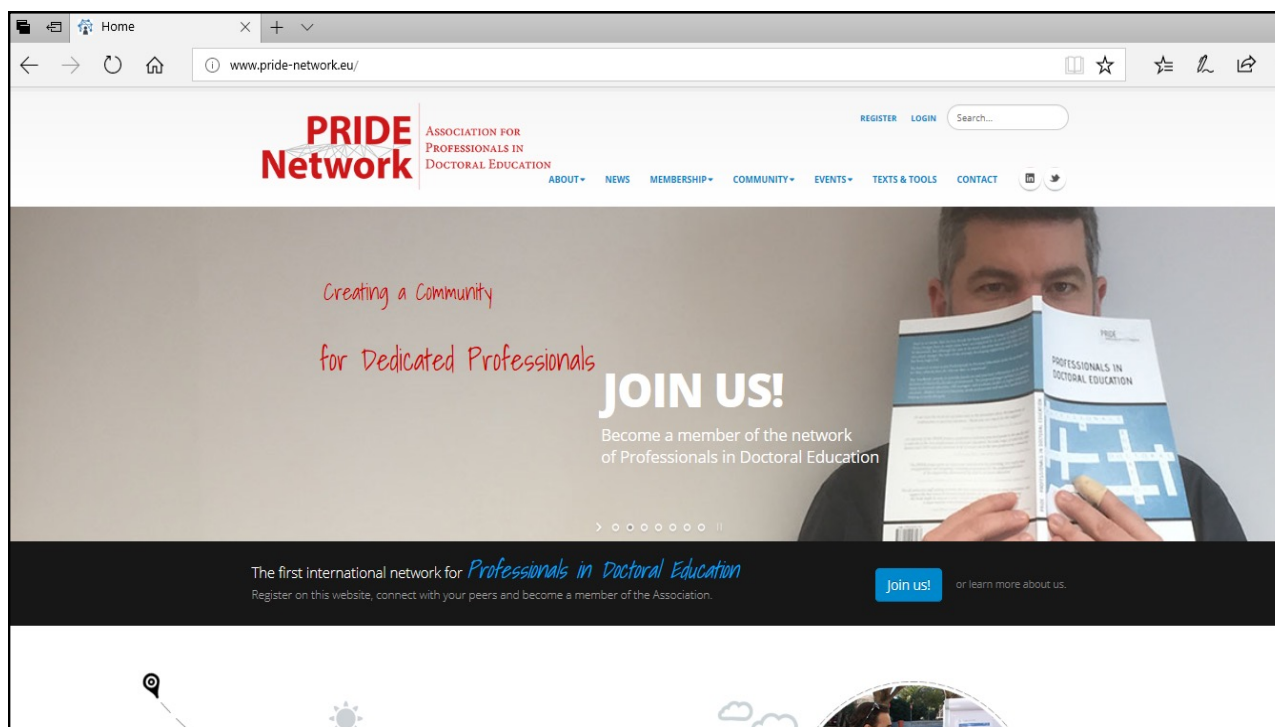
- **Role within the Higher Education System.** Professionals in higher education specialised in doctoral education are persons who are working in the higher education sector, having a profound and holistic understanding of the systematic level of doctoral education globally and being able to translate their knowledge for the benefit of their own institution and doctoral education in general.
- **Role within the Institution and the Community.** Professionals are aware of the context of their work. They are well embedded and connected within their institution and with their peers. They understand the great importance of networking with other sectors and with other institutions across Europe and globally.
- **Merits and Skills** Professionals continuously develop their knowledge and skills. They have the capability of identifying and solving problems and providing options for decision-making in the field of doctoral education and make autonomous decisions within the limits of their responsibilities. Professionals contribute to the further development of doctoral education within their own institutions.

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Association - Feasibility Study 2016: membership benefits/activities of



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WHO WE ARE

Our members are contributing to the connection of the European Research Area and the European Higher Education Area. The PRIDE-network provides training, professional development, and networking opportunities to its members and promotes the professional status and visibility in the higher education community. Membership in the PRIDE-network is open to individuals and organisations who foster a positive association within the community, whose terms of affiliation are not contrary to the goals of the PRIDE-network, and who uphold the responsibilities and integrity of the association without conflict of interest.

OUR SHORT HISTORY

2017 Based on a feasibility study, which was undertaken at the end of the PRIDE project, and encouraged by a number of our peers from different institutions throughout Europe the team at the University of Vienna registered the PRIDE Network Association under Austrian law in spring 2017.

2016 The PRIDE handbook was published in September as major output of the PRIDE project. Moreover, hosted by the Centre for Advanced Academic Studies University of Zagreb in Dubrovnik, Croatia, the first PRIDE Trainings "Practicing Professionalism in Doctoral Education" took place from Sunday 28 August-Wednesday 31 August 2016

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