

9th UNICA PhD MASTER CLASS

The role of doctoral schools to enhance quality in doctoral education



Sunday, 2 September - Wednesday, 5 September 2018



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Until 15:30		Arrivals of Participants
15:30-16:30		Registration of participants Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Main Hall</i>
16:30-17:00		Welcome Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Jacques LANARÈS, UNICA Steering Committee Member & Chair of UNICA Group on Doctoral Education, former Vice-Rector for Quality, Human Resources & Development of Teaching, University of Lausanne ▪ Lucas ZINNER, President of the PRIDE Network, Head of Research Services and Career Development, University of Vienna Welcome on behalf of CAAS and practical information for participants <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Vlasta BRUNSKO, Head of the Centre for Advanced Academic Studies (CAAS)
17:00-18:00		Icebreaking activity Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i> Facilitator: Lucas ZINNER, President of the PRIDE Network, Head of Research Services and Career Development, University of Vienna

18:00-19:00		<p>"Out of the box" talk by Ivo IVANIŠ, Croatian oenologist and wine-maker</p> <p>followed by tasting of wines from the Dubrovnik region</p> <p>Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i></p>
19:00-21:00		<p>Dinner at Orhan Restaurant</p> <p>Venue: <i>Orhan Restaurant (www.restaurant-orhan.com)</i></p>




Monday, 3 September 2018




07:00-08:00		Morning swim
08:00-09:00		<p>Buffet breakfast at CAAS</p> <p>Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i></p>
09:00-09:30		<p>Introduction to the programme</p> <p>Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Lecture Room</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jacques LANARÈS, UNICA Steering Committee Member & Chair of UNICA Group on Doctoral Education, former Vice-Rector for Quality, Human Resources & Development of Teaching, University of Lausanne
09:30-10:30		<p>Plenary session</p> <p>Can you change doctoral education? Some results from the field by Slaven MIHALJEVIĆ, Senior Adviser, University of Zagreb</p> <p>Questions & Answers, Discussion</p> <p>Guiding questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>What is the role of doctoral schools in a non-stimulating environment?</i>



10:30-11:00		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>How to have stabilize doctoral schools in an unstable system?</i> • <i>What happens if we set the criteria too high?</i> • <i>Is doctoral school enough to have quality doctoral education?</i> • <i>Can a doctoral school be established without a reform of the whole university?</i> • <i>Do we really need doctoral schools?</i>
11:00-12:00		<p>Plenary session</p> <p>Different doctoral education models by Melita KOVAČEVIĆ, Professor at University of Zagreb, Vice-President of the PRIDE Network, former Vice-Rector for Research and Technology, University of Zagreb, former Chair of EUA-CDE Steering Committee</p> <p>Questions & Answers, Discussion</p>
12:00-13:00		<p>Guiding questions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Do you have a preferred model of doctoral schools? Can you explain why?</i> • <i>What was the main trigger for establishing a doctoral school? It is generally welcome all the stakeholders?</i> • <i>What has been the biggest quality change in doctoral education in the last ten years?</i> • <i>How significant is the role of professionals in doctoral schools in your university?</i>
13:00-14:00		<p>Working groups: What are the pros and cons of each model?</p> <p>Lunch</p> <p>Venue: Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</p>

14:00-15:30		Working Groups (continued): Where are you now?
15:30-15:45		Short 'grab a tea/coffee' break
15:45-16:45		Plenary session Reports from Working Groups: Pros and cons of different approaches on how to organize doctoral education
16:45-17:00		Closing the day: Conclusions of WG discussions and getting ready for Day 3 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Melita KOVAČEVIĆ, Professor at University of Zagreb, Vice-President of the PRIDE Network, former Vice-Rector for Research and Technology, University of Zagreb, former Chair of EUA-CDE Steering Committee Mick FULLER, Professor of Plant Physiology at University of Plymouth, Director of FULLER Education Ltd, former Head of Graduate School at the University of Plymouth, former Chair of the UK Council for Graduate Education (UKCGE), former EUA-CDE Steering Committee Member
17:00		Free time for Participants






Tuesday, 4 September 2018






07:00-08:00		Morning swim
08:00-09:00		Buffet breakfast at CAAS Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i>
09:00-09:15		"Rewind to play" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Melita KOVAČEVIĆ, Professor at University of Zagreb, Vice-President of the PRIDE Network, former Vice-



		<p>Rector for Research and Technology, University of Zagreb, former Chair of EUA-CDE Steering Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Kenneth WANN, PRIDE Network Board Member, former Deputy Dean of Graduate College at Cardiff University
09:15-10:45		<p>Plenary session</p> <p>Organising doctoral education: how to enhance quality of experience and output within an Institution</p> <p>Mick FULLER, Professor of Plant Physiology at University of Plymouth, Director of FULLER Education Ltd, former Head of Graduate School at the University of Plymouth, former Chair of the UK Council for Graduate Education (UKCGE), former EUA-CDE Steering Committee Member</p> <p>Questions & Answers, Discussion</p> <p>Guiding questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>What defines quality of experience for the candidate, the supervisor and the institution?</i> • <i>What defines quality of output for the candidate, the supervisor and the institution?</i> • <i>How can an institution organise its doctoral education model to maintain or improve quality ?</i> • <i>How can an institution set incentives and rewards to enhance quality ?</i> • <i>The challenge of maintaining quality of experience and output in a culture of expanding numbers</i>
10:45-11:15		<p>Plenary session</p> <p>Overview of questionnaire results and introduction to the Matrix exercise by Lucas ZINNER, President of the PRIDE Network, Head of Research Services and Career Development, University of Vienna</p>
11:15		<p>Departure from CAAS</p> <p>Meeting point: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Main Hall</i></p>

11:15-17:00		MASTER CLASS RETREAT, LOKRUM ISLAND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lunch ▪ Intervision exercise on difficult cases in doctoral education <p>Group Chairs: Bibiane FRÉCHÉ, Jacques LANARÈS, Lucas ZINNER</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Speaker's Corner & Doctoral Education Projects' Roundtable (chaired by Bibiane FRÉCHÉ & Lucas ZINNER)
19:00-21:00		Return and dinner at the Dubrovnik Old Port




Wednesday, 5 September 2018

07:00-08:00		Morning swim
08:00-09:00		Buffet breakfast at CAAS Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i>
09:00-09:15		"Rewind to play" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Kenneth WANN, PRIDE Network Board Member, former Deputy Dean of Graduate College at Cardiff University ▪ Jacques LANARÈS, UNICA Steering Committee Member & Chair of UNICA Group on Doctoral Education, former Vice-Rector for Quality, Human Resources & Development of Teaching, University of Lausanne
09:15-12:00		Working groups: Work on Matrix (<i>coffee & tea break included</i>)
12:00-13:00		Plenary session: Roles and drivers in doctoral education Chair: Kenneth WANN, PRIDE Network Board Member, former Deputy Dean of Graduate College at Cardiff University

		<p>Reporting of Working Groups & plenary discussion:</p> <p><i>What kind of changes have been done?</i></p> <p><i>What kind of changes are needed?</i></p>
13:00-14:00		<p>Lunch</p> <p>Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i></p>
14:00-15:00		<p>Working groups (2): Our key takeaways & action plans: What kind of changes I want to introduce at my institution?</p>
15:00-15:30		<p>Coffee, tea, and networking</p> <p>Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i></p>
15:30-16:00		<p>Plenary session: "Third space" professionals and professionalisation in doctoral education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lucas ZINNER, President of the PRIDE Network, Head of Research Services and Career Development, University of Vienna ▪ Bibiane FRÉCHÉ, Head of Postgraduate Unit, Université libre de Bruxelles, PRIDE Network Board Member
16:00-17:00		<p>Plenary session: General reflection, evaluation and wrap-up</p> <p>Concluding remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Interview with Participants conducted by Kenneth WANN, PRIDE Network Board Member, former Deputy Dean of Graduate College at Cardiff University ▪ Jacques LANARÈS, UNICA Steering Committee Member & Chair of UNICA Group on Doctoral Education, former Vice-Rector for Quality, Human Resources & Development of Teaching, University of Lausanne ▪ Lucas ZINNER, President of the PRIDE Network, Head of Research Services and Career Development, University of Vienna

17:30-18:30		Farewell drink Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i>
18:30		Free time for Participants Optional social programme: Pizza dinner and drinks at Buža Café (€)* * <i>Costs to be covered by Participants themselves</i>

Thursday, 6 September 2018

07:00-08:00		Morning swim
08:00-09:00		<div>Buffet breakfast at CAAS Venue: <i>Centre for Advanced Academic Studies, Courtyard</i></div> <div>08:30-10:00 UNICA Doctoral Education Core Group meeting</div>
morning- afternoon		Departures of Participants