



9th UNICA PR & COMMUNICATION ONLINE WORKSHOP

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University PR & Communication from behind the mask

Thursday, 8 October 2020 | 13:30 - 17:15 PM CEST

PROGRAMME (as of 1 October 2020)

Overall Chair: Jón ÖRN GUÐBJARTSSON, Chair of the UNICA PR & Communication Working Group, Head of Marketing and Communications, University of Iceland

13:30 – 13:40	Welcome addresses
	László BORHY, Rector, Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest Lycione SASO, LINICA Bresident
	Luciano SASO, UNICA President
13:40 - 13:45	Introduction to the workshop
	by Jón ÖRN GUÐBJARTSSON , Chair of the UNICA PR & Communication Working Group and Head of Marketing and Communications, University of Iceland
13:45 – 15:15	Session 1. Universities in uncertain times: crisis communication and lessons learned
	Chair: Olga MAMAEVA, Deputy Head for Communications, eLearning Office, National Research University - Higher Shool of Economics
13:45 – 14:00	University communications in the times of COVID. Providing information and support, by Pall ASGEIR TORFASON , Head of e-Learning, University of Iceland
14:00 – 14:15	The social role of universities in COVID-19 crisis: The rise of knowledge, by Darja LISJAK, University of Ljubljana
14:15 – 14:30	Online Events: What We Should Keep When the Emergency is Over, by Alessandra BARBERIS (Head Communications Office, Sapienza University of Rome) and Daniela
	VINGIANI (Manager, Strategic Planning and Communications Area, Public Relations Office, Sapienza University of Rome)
14:30 – 14:45	Maintaining the image: university PR & Communication between uncertainty and
	authoritativeness in the COVID-19 era, by Ákos TESLÁR, Head of Communications Department, Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest





14:45 – 15:15	Q&A and discussion
15:15 – 15:30	Confort break
15:30 – 17:00	Session 2 – University branding and advertising to support the recruitment of international students in the COVID-19 era
	Chair: David SMITH, Head of Marketing, University of East London
15:30 – 15:45	Brand-led marketing communications: full funnel engagement with prospective international students in uncertain times, by David SMITH , Head of Marketing, University of East London
15:45 – 16:00	International recruitment strategies during and after the pandemic, by Katalin IGAZ- ÖHLER , Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest
16:00 – 16:15	Connecting with students via social media during the pandemic, by Aswin LUTCHANAH , Social media specialist, University of Luxembourg
16:15 – 16:30	Switching from blended to digital-only international student recruitment strategies in a fast-moving pandemic-situation, by Daisy BOCCHI , Project Coordinator International Marketing and Recruitment, Vrije Universiteit Brussel
16:30 – 17:00	Q&A and discussion
17:00 – 17:15	Conclusions of the meeting, by Jón ÖRN GUÐBJARTSSON , Chair of the UNICA PR & Communication Working Group and Head of Marketing and Communications, University of Iceland

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