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Danubius University in partnership with Centre of Academic Excellence, within the 8th International Conference on European Integration – Realities and Perspectives, organizes a workshop dedicated to the Europeanization of the Higher Education Studies.

Academic Excellence – Fostering Internationalisation of Romanian Universities

Chairwoman

Mihaela Carausan, National School of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest, Romania

The objectives of the proposed event

The modernisation of the Romanian Higher Education is an imperative if we really wish to play a full role in the Europe of Knowledge. This stage is necessary, so that the higher education institutions can face the challenges posed by globalisation and contribute more effectively to the training of the European workforce.

The topics covered by the event are:

- 1. European teaching methods and technology (virtual campuses, interacting with students);
- 2. Curriculum design and competences (course design, curriculum development);
- 3. ECTS and DS label (credits design, subject's code, students' guide);
- 4. European accreditation (quality assurance);
- 5. Linking professionals around Europe (organising international cooperation best practices, Erasmus programme best practices).

Outcomes

We would like to share and discuss our findings with experts from other universities and even member states. Analytical papers capable of offering examples of best practices within the field of internationalisation of the higher education institutions are highly important. The best papers presented within this workshop will be published in the BDI Conference Proceedings, EIRP Proceedings.

Paper Types

There are four types of paper for the Conference, namely: - Full Papers: Papers allocated 6-8 pages in the conference proceedings; - Short Papers: Papers allocated 4-6 pages in the conference proceedings; - Posters: Papers presented (http://www.posterpresentations.com/html/free_poster_templates.html) as poster are assigned a 4-page limit in the conference proceedings; - Student Papers: Papers allocated 4-6 pages in the conference proceedings.

The total number of pages will be considered after the paper is correctly formatted according to the template.

Every presenter will be given 12 minutes for presentation plus 3 minutes for questions and answers. The author who has an accepted paper, irrespective of the paper type (full paper, short paper, poster or student paper), must be registered as a participant.

A maximum of 4 co-authors per paper is allowed.

Each author has the right to submit no more than 3 papers (one paper and two additional papers).

Paper Template

The provided template should be used for all paper formats: MS Word TEMPLATE

Submission procedure

For participation please submit your paper proposal until the August 31st, 2013.

Submit your paper by email: conferences@univ-danubius.ro, specifying in the email's subject: Academic

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Fees and registration as participant: <u>Registration</u> (http://conferences.univ-danubius.ro/index.php/EIRP/EIRP2013/schedConf/registration) page.

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