



EUCEN
National Networks Meeting

Bergen, 30 April 2005, 12:30 p.m.
Scandic Hotel, Bergen (NO)

Present: Jean-Marie Filloque, Tony Hudson, Alison Hughes, Vaidotas Viliunas, Ulle Kesli, Patricio Montesinos, Alfredo Soeiro, Genevieve Auroi-Jaggi, Hanna-Rikka Myllymaki.
Observers: Carme Royo.

J-MF welcomed and thanked everyone for attending the lunch meeting.

1. Outstanding actions

- ◆ To send document from Limerick to CR. AH
- ◆ To put on EUCEN's web site. CR
- ◆ To talk to EUCEN's SC about opening a new section on EUCEN's web site dedicated to National Networks. J-MF
- ◆ To create a National Networks section on EUCEN's web site. CR
- ◆ To check if it is possible to have some funding to attend the Rome conference. J-MF

2. Announcements made by J-MF

- ◆ EUCEN is organising a Study Tour, which will be hold in FR (probably in Paris) in September.
- ◆ Expressed intention to examine interests of the National Networks.
- ◆ EUCEN has included a 2 hours long seminar in the EUCEN conference in Rome (November 2005) for National Networks.
- ◆ Announced the intention to build an aspect for National Network within the 'Associations project 2' proposal that will be written over summer.

J-MF invited all present to introduce themselves and to explain the current situation of their networks.

3.1. UK - FACE

Universities from the South West of UK and Bretagne in FR are holding a meeting. Also, J-MF might attend the FACE conference in Cork in June 2005. **ACTION:** FACE to send a brief information to CR about the organisation so CR can include it on the web site.

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3.2. UK - UALL

UALL is a very specific association for HE and LLL. Almost all the universities in UK are members of UALL. **ACTION:** to send a brief and updated description of the association.

AH **3.3. LT - LUCEN**

This network has recently been established. It is still an informal organisation and only have 9 - 11 member universities. The association will be meeting again at the end of May and will be voted if they want to have a representative in EUCEN. **ACTION** to inform EUCEN of the decision taken by the Board of the association. **ACTION** to send information about LUCEN for EUCEN's web site.

VV VV **3.4. EE - ENUCE**

This network is not formal yet. There is no subscription fee related, this is why is not formal. They organise seminars for teachers in different topics. They also publish articles from partners for staff and students. **ACTION** to send information about ENUCE to CR to be published on EUCEN's web site.

UK **3.5. ES - RUEPEC**

PM attended the meeting in representation of Mónica López, who had not been able to go to Bergen. The network was created during the EUCEN conference in Barcelona in spring 2001. The Spanish universities have felt the pressure of the Bologna process. The network intends to facilitate the lobbying and forum for CE for CE Managers. They develop workshops in each meeting on CE Management. RUEPEC is also very much connected to the South American association RECLA. RUEPEC's next meeting will be held in Salamanca in April 2006. **ACTION** to send brief information about ENUCE to CR to be published on EUCEN's web site.

PM **3.6. PT - AUPEC**

This network was established four years ago as a formal association. AS is its founder and current President. The network is a forum for debate and lobbying. They are in contact with the ministries and try to influence policies. AS pointed out the important to find some funding to help continue meeting. **ACTION** to send brief description to CR for EUCEN's web.

AS **3.7. CH - Swissuni**

This association has recently become a formal network. It has 11 members (i.e. all the universities in CH) represented by the Directors of their CE Centres. They meet 3 times a year, usually in Bern. They have sub-groups in specific matters that meet more often. Swissuni is considered a pool of experts and they are asked their opinion on the Bologna process for ULLL. They

are now working in Validation and are carrying out some Federal Statistics. They have recently decided to include CE as well. They are developing a database where all CE courses offered will be listed. **ACTION** to send brief description to CR to be included on EUCEN's web site.

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3.8. **FI - UCEF**

This is not a formal association yet. However, all the universities in Finland participate on their meetings and are members. The network has a total of 34 members. This network is continuously in contact with the Ministry of Education. They try to influence the attitude of the Rectors about Adult Education. They also facilitate all centres in Finland for self-assessment. **ACTION** to send brief description to CR to be included on EUCEN's web site.

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3.9. **FR - CDSUFC**

This association has recently become a formal network. All the universities in France are members for free and about 75 universities are active in the network. To receive services they have to pay a subscription. They are continuously in contact with the "rectors conference" and the Ministry of Education.

ACTION to send to CR a brief description so CR can include it on EUCEN's web site.

J-MF

The meeting finished on Saturday 30 April at 14:00.
