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Conference “Quality Assurance in Higher Education (HE) and Vocational Education and Training (VET)” Programme

University of Graz, Universitätsplatz 3, A-8010 Graz
11 – 12 May 2006

Conference languages: from DE, EN, FR to DE, EN, FR
Workshop language: EN



2006

Day of Arrival	Wednesday, 10th May 2006
17:00	<p>Evening reception with award ceremony of the Leonardo da Vinci Award for Vocational Mobility 2006 and dinner</p> <p><i>Fachhochschule Joanneum Audimax, Eggenberger Allee 11, 8020 Graz</i></p>
Conference	Thursday, 11 May 2006
08:15	Registration of the participants
09:00 – 10:30	<p>Day Chair: Friedrich Faulhammer <i>(Director General for HE, Austrian Federal Ministry for Education, Science and Culture)</i></p>
	<p><u>Plenary Session</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Welcome Address <i>Alfred Gutschelhofer (Rector, University of Graz)</i> ○ Opening Address Theodor Siegl <i>(Director General for VET, Austrian Federal Ministry for Education, Science and Culture)</i> Odile Quintin <i>(Director General, European Commission, Education and Culture)</i> ○ ENQA-VET Address <i>Barbara Kelly (Board, member, ENQA-VET)</i> ○ ENQA Address <i>Seamus Puirseil (Vice-President, ENQA)</i> ○ Thematic Introduction, Aims of the Conference & Conference Run Jürgen Horschinegg <i>(Austrian Federal Ministry for Education, Science and Culture)</i>
10:30 – 11:00	Coffee break <i>(College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz)</i>
11:00 - 12:30	<p>The Study on Cases of Good Practice in Quality in HE & VET</p> <p>Presentation of the Study “Quality in Education and Training”</p> <p>Kim Faurschou <i>(International VET Expert)</i> Lorenz Lassnigg <i>(Institute for Advanced Studies)</i> Thomas Mayr <i>(Institute for Research on Qualifications and Training for the Austrian Economy)</i></p>
12:30 – 14:00	Buffet <i>(College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz)</i>
14:00 – 17:30	<p>8 Parallel Workshops <i>(individual coffee break from 15:00 to 16:00 , sponsored by Spar Akademie)</i></p>

WS 1 (Self-)Evaluation, Reporting, Feedback

WS 2 Structural Conditions for Change/Improvement

WS 3 Quality Assurance in a System(atic) Perspective

WS 4 Monitoring by Statistical Indicators

WS 5 Peer Review in VET and HE

WS 6 Quality Assurance after Bergen: Implementing the
European Standards

WS 7 QIBB – QualitätsInitiative BerufsBildung. The Austrian
Approach to Quality in VET

WS 8 Creation of Quality in HE

17:30

Coaches will leave to the hotels

19:30

Evening reception and dinner

*Old University Graz/Assembly Hall
Hofgasse 9, 8010 Graz*

Conference

Friday, 12 May 2006

09:00 – 10:30

Day Chair: Theodor Siegl
(*Director General for VET, Austrian Federal Ministry for Education,
Science and Culture,*)

Plenary Session

8 short reports of the Workshop Rapporteurs

10:30 – 11:00

Coffee break (*College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz*)

11:00 – 13:00

Plenary Session

Plenary Discussion

Chair: Roberta Maierhofer
(*Vice Rector, University of Graz*)

Panel:

Henrik Toft Jensen (*Roskilde University/DK*)

Franz Reithuber (*Headmaster, HTL Steyr/AUT*)

Barbara Kelly (*Board Member, ENQA-VET*)

Seamus Puirseil (*Vice-President, ENQA*)

Philip Pedersen (*Danish Ministry of Education/Dep. Vocational
Upper Second. Education*)

Julia Gocke (*Confederation of German Employers' Associations*)

Petri Lempinen (*Finnish Confederation of Salaried Employees*)

Fernanda Oliveira-Reis (*European Commission, DG Education and
Culture – Vocational Training and Adult
Education*)

Peter van der Hijden (*European Commission, DG Education and
Culture – School Education and Higher Education*)

Conclusion

HE: Helmut Konrad (*University of Graz, CEENET, board member*)

VET: Aviana Bulgarelli (*CEDEFOP*)

Closing Words

Marta Ferreira-Lourenco

(European Commission, Directorate A: Lifelong Learning: Education and Training policies)

Friedrich Faulhammer

(Director General for HE, Federal Ministry for Education, Science and Culture)

13:00 – 14:30

Buffet (*College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz*)

End of the conference

14:30 – 18:00

ENQA-VET Board Meeting *for members of the ENQA-VET Board*

