

TENTATIVE AGENDA

2016 MQA INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR ON QUALITY ASSURANCE OF HIGHER EDUCATION

17-18 OCTOBER 2016, KUALA LUMPUR

Day 1

17 October 2016 (Monday)

| TIME | SESSION |
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| 8.30 am – 9.00 am | Registration |
| 9.00 am – 9.15 am | Welcoming Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dato' Prof. Dr. Rujhan Bin Mustafa Chief Executive Officer Malaysian Qualifications Agency |
| 9.15 am – 9.30 am | Remarks by the President of Association of Quality Assurance Agencies of the Islamic World (IQA) <ul style="list-style-type: none">Dr. Jawaher Al-Mudhahki |
| 9.30 am – 9.45 am | Opening Speech <ul style="list-style-type: none">Y.B. Dato' Seri Idris Bin Jusoh Honourable Minister of Higher Education Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia |
| 9.45 am – 9.55 am | Photography Session |
| 9.55 am – 10.15 am | Refreshment |
| 10.15 am – 10.45 am | Session 1: Flexible Education: The Development, Scope, System and How it is Quality Assured <u>Keynote Address:</u> Flexible Education – Policy, Practices and Quality Assurance Prof. Dr. Linda Harasim Professor, Simon Fraser University, Canada |
| 10.45 am – 11.45 am | <u>Presenter 1:</u> Dr. Wafa Al-Mansoori Director at Directorate of Higher Education Reviews, National Authority for Qualifications and Quality Assurance of Education and |

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| | Testing (QQA), Bahrain <u>Presenter 2:</u> Flexible Education: Malaysia's Case Dato' Prof. Dr. Mohamed Amin Embi Professor, Faculty of Education, National University of Malaysia |
| 11.45 am – 12.45 pm | Dialogue Session 1: Open, Blended and Flexible Learning <u>Chair:</u> Mr. Adam Brimo Founder and CEO of Open Learning Malaysia <u>Panelist:</u> 1. Dr. Mouhamad Mpezamihigo Vice Chancellor, Kampala International University, Uganda 2. Dr. Andy Liew Teik Kooi Registrar and Director, Directorate of Quality Assurance and External Relations, Wawasan Open University Malaysia |
| 12.45 pm – 2.00 pm | Lunch |
| 2.00 pm – 2.30 pm | Session 2: Flexible Education: How far it is Reflected in the Qualifications Framework <u>Keynote Address:</u> TBC |
| 2.30 pm – 3.00 pm | <u>Presenter 1:</u> AQRF and Flexible Learning Prof. Zita Mohd Fahmi Fellow Consultant (Quality Assurance) Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA), Malaysia <u>Presenter 2:</u> Generic Arab Qualification Framework and Flexible Learning Dr. Tariq Al-Sindi Secretary General of Arab Network for Quality Assurance (ANQAHE) |
| 3.00 pm – 4.00 pm | Dialogue Session 2: Flexible Learning in the National Qualifications Framework (NQF) <u>Chair:</u> Prof. Dr. Maria Cynthia Rose B. Bautista Commissioner, Commission on Higher Education, Philippines |

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| | <p><u>Panelist:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prof. Gordon Suddaby Consultant, New Zealand 2. Mr. Mohamad Dzafir Mustafa Senior Director (Accreditation) Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA), Malaysia |
| 4.00 pm – 5.00 pm | Coffee Break |
| 7.30 pm – 10.00 pm | Dinner |

Day 2

18 October 2016 (Tuesday)

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| 9.00 am – 9.30 am | <p>Session 3: Flexible Education: How it Could Facilitate Mobility of Students</p> <p><u>Keynote Address:</u> Flexible Learning and Mobility of Students Mr. Adam Brimo Founder and CEO of Open Learning</p> |
| 9.30 am – 10.00 am | <p><u>Presenter 1:</u> Credit System to Facilitate Flexible Learning: ASEAN Credit Transfer System (ACTS) Perspectives Prof. Nantana Gajasen Executive Director, ASEAN University Network (AUN), Thailand</p> <p><u>Presenter 2:</u> The AEI-ASEM Summer Camp: Towards Balanced Mobility Prof. Dr. Azirah Hashim Executive Director, Asia-Europe Institute, University of Malaya</p> |
| 10.00 am – 10.30 am | Coffee Break |
| 10.30 am – 11.30 am | Dialogue Session 3: Current Development of National and Interregional Credit Transfer System in the Context of Flexible Education |

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| | Chair: Prof. Mahmut Ozer Council of Higher Education, Turkey | | |
| | Panelist: 1. Prof. Dr. Hazman Shah Abdullah Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Quality Assurance) Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA), Malaysia 2. Dr. Taiji Hotta International Education Division, Hiroshima University, Japan | | |
| 11.30 am – 12.00 pm | Conclusion | | |
| 12.00 pm – 2.00 pm | Lunch | | |
| 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm | Parallel Session 1 Flexible Education: MOOCs and Open Education – Its Impact to the Higher Education Chair: Mr. Muhammad Muammar Gadaffi Omar Speakers: 1) Open for nomination 2) Open for nomination 3) Open for nomination 4) Open for nomination 5) Open for nomination 6) Open for nomination | Parallel Session 2 Flexible Education: Recognition of Prior Experiential Learning – Current Development Chair: Dr. Andy Liew Teik Kooi Speakers: 1) Open for nomination 2) Open for nomination 3) Open for nomination 4) Open for nomination 5) Open for nomination 6) Open for nomination | Parallel Session 3 Flexible Education: Work-based Learning – Experience and Good Practices: Country’s Case Chair: Prof. Gordon Suddaby Speakers: 1) Ms. Esmat Jaafar, Director, General Directorate of National Qualifications Framework, National Authority for Qualifications and Quality Assurance of Education and Testing (QQA), Bahrain |

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| 4.00 pm – 5.00 pm | <p>Session 4: Sharing of Outcomes (all participants)</p> <p>Chair: Prof. Dr. Hj. Hazman Shah Abdullah Deputy Chief Executive Officer (Quality Assurance), Malaysian Qualifications Agency, Malaysia</p> | | |
| 5.00 pm – 5.15 pm | Closing Ceremony | | |

CLOSED EVENT (for IQA Members only)

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| 2.00 pm – 3.00 pm | IQA Executive Board Meeting |
| 3.00 pm – 5.00 pm | 2016 IQA Roundtable Meeting |