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TRANSFORMING
UNIVERSITIES OF THE
DIGITAL AGE



INTERNATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

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Maison Suger, FMSH, 16-18 rue Suger, 75006 Paris

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Morning

Welcome breakfast (9.00-9.30)

9.30-10.30 F. Thibault (FMSH)

Welcome and presentation of the participants

10.30 -11.00 A. Procoli (FMSH), D. Zarka (BME), A. Karpati (Eötvös Loránd University)

The D-Transform project (goals, scope, agenda, consortium, quality insurance)

The role of the International Advisory Committee

11.00 - 11.15 *Coffee break*

11.15 - 12.15 A. Boyer (UL), F. Thibault (FMSH), P. Bacsich (Sero)

Presentation of the Guidelines about the transformation of universities and e-learning

Participants' discussion

12.15 – 12.30 S. Sancassani (Politecnico di Milano), *The D-Transform open online course*

12.30-1.30 pm *Lunch*





Afternoon

1.30 pm – 3.30 Andrea Karpati (Eötvös Loránd University) and A. Szucs (EDEN)

Round table: **Designing successful workshops for university leaders: motivation, timing, topics, methodology and follow-up**

Participants will discuss these issues one by one, listing alternatives for each organizational item. In particular, they will be invited to:

- draft a list of aims and objectives that university leaders hope to achieve through e-learning
- give to partners their experience of existing digital leaders (Sloan, Jisc etc) and senior leaders training programs and make recommendations as to which parts of these partners could incorporate
- determine the best timing for university leaders to be available for participating at leadership schools
- draft a list of relevant topics for leadership schools (see also syllabus here below)
- draft a list of good speakers for leadership schools
- define the methodology and follow up
- define a dissemination strategy

3.45-4.00 *Closing the meeting and coffee*





Syllabus for work packages in the project¹

- Implications for universities of the digital learner and European policies on e-learning
- Handling relationships with governments and government agencies in respect of e-learning, and implications on funding
- How to TRANSFORM and restructure your university to focus on e-learning
- Developing an e-learning strategy and reviewing e-learning annual plans
- Market research/finding the students you want from where you want
- Developing and rewarding digital staff in respect of e-learning
- Understanding and managing the different cost patterns of e-learning
- Managing quality, accreditation and reputational risk in e-learning
- Managing research in e-learning (should you encourage it?)
- What leaders need to know about pedagogy
- Leading the decisions on e-learning systems (LMS, etc)
- Leading the opening up of e-learning with OER and MOOCs

¹ This topic list was generated from the following sources: standard headings for the current European benchmarking schemes MIT90s, Pick&Mix and E-xcellence; critical success factors schemes (UKeU, Re.ViCa, Pick&Mix, VISCED); discussion with leaders over many years and consultancy work for government agencies and universities.





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