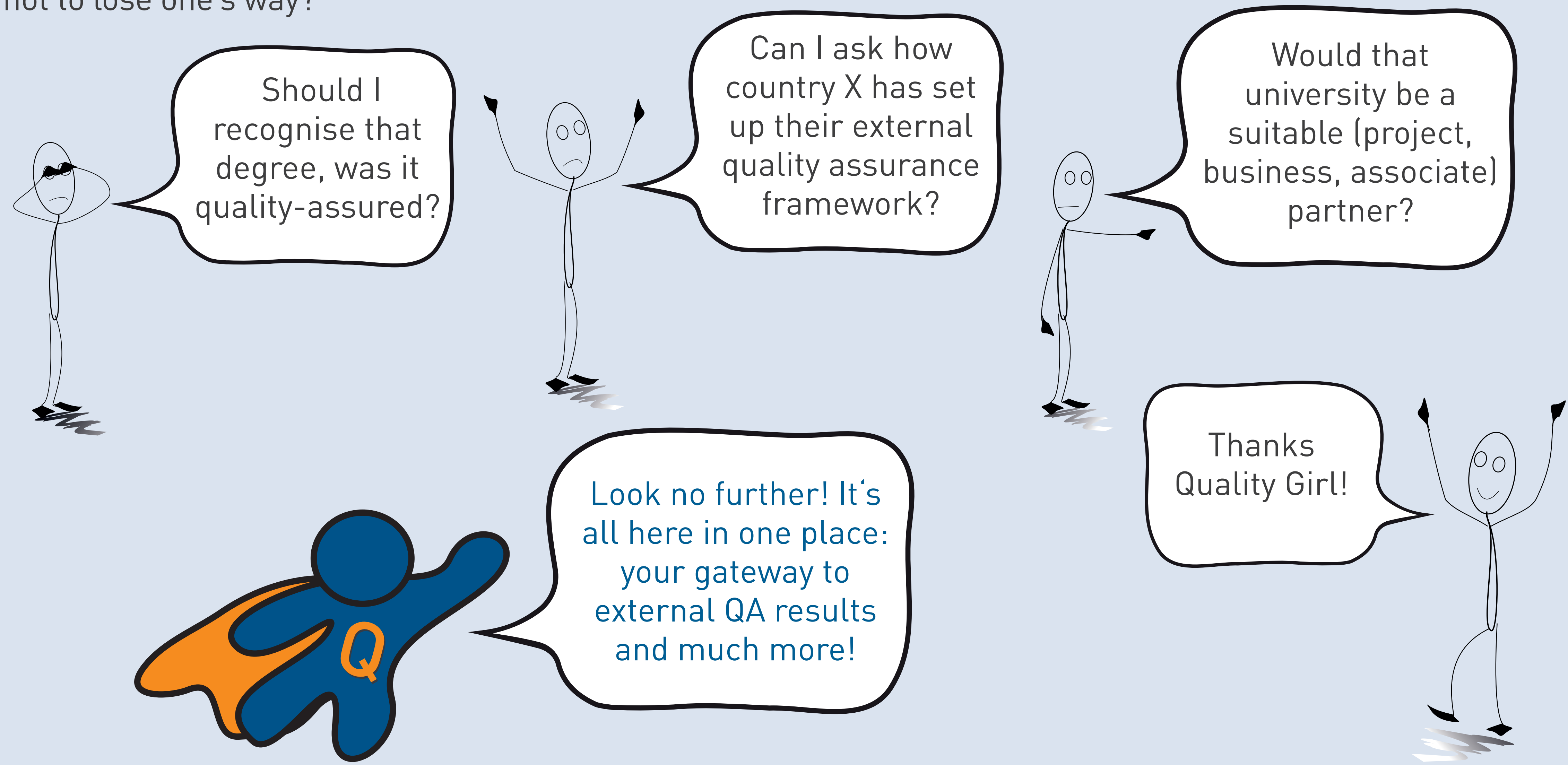eqar ////

A EUROPEAN DATABASE OF EXTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE RESULTS

A. Quality at your Fingertips

The complexity and diversity of the European Quality Assurance Frameworks (system openness, language, programme versus institutional accreditation, national external QA requirements, etc.) can be daunting. How not to lose one's way?

DEQAR collects external QA reports & decisions produced by EQAR-registered agencies in line with the ESG. DEQAR also keeps country profiles of EHEA countries bringing to light their QA frameworks.

Should I recognise that degree, was it quality-assured?

Can I ask how country X has set up their external quality assurance framework?

Would that university be a suitable (project, business, associate) partner?

Look no further! It's all here in one place: your gateway to external QA results and much more!

Thanks Quality Girl!

B. Goals

C. What's in it for you?

WHO	WHAT	WHERE	INNOVATIVE FEATURES
ENIC NARICs, admission officers, credential evaluators	Easy access to external quality assurance (EQA) results and reports: faster and more efficient recognition & admission process.	D A T A B A S E	■ Free and accessible one-stop shop
Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)	Objective source of QA related info & info on QA agency's previous activities before teaming up with a foreign HEI or contracting a foreign agency. More (international) exposure.		■ Knowledge hub of HE systems: exchange of data & link with other tools (i. e. ETER)
Student organisations and students	Easy access to EQA results and reports. Source of objective QA info when choosing to study abroad.		■ Web API: embed search funcionality in your website
Researchers and policy makers	Maps diversity of external QA frameworks in Europe. Basis for Europe-wide thematic studies using data-dump or other advanced analytical tools.		■ Data dump: download data sets with one click

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