European Quality Assurance Register for Higher Education



Introduction to the EQAR strategy

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History



- 1st EQAR strategy 2013-2017
- 2nd EQAR strategy 2018-2022

What is taken up in the current EQAR strategy 18-22?



Vision

EQAR's vision is a coherent quality assurance framework for the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) in which higher education institutions have the freedom to turn to a suitable EQAR-registered agency for their external quality assurance reviews, and in which qualifications are thus universally recognised.

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Strategic Goal 1:Transparency and Information

EQAR provides reliable and widely-used information on registered quality assurance agencies as well as on which higher education institutions or programmes have been subject to external quality assurance in line with the ESG.

Strategic Goal 2: International Trust and Recognition

EQAR-registered agencies and their QA results are recognised across the EHEA. On that basis, qualifications that were subject to external quality assurance by registered agencies (whether at institutional or programme level) are recognised and, in line with national requirements, higher education institutions are allowed to work with a suitable registered.

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Activities in order to reach those goals

- 1. Transparency and information
- Register, DEQAR, monitoring, analysis, cooperation with ENQA
- 2. Trust and recognition
- Knowledge base on legal frameworks, recognition of QA results, exchange with ENIC-NARICs, contribute to EHEA, reach out to new member countries

Indicators to monitor progress

New EQAR strategy 24-28



Discussion on following topics

- 1. EQAR as a major actor in European QA
- 2. Representation of our members
- 3. Our mission to the general public
- 4. EQAR in the international arena
- 5. Projects and funding
- 6. Internal organisation