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Friday May, 12th

ELA EXPERTS' SEMINAR

*Sala Anziani, Palazzo d'Accursio
Bologna City Hall
Piazza Maggiore, 6
Working language: English*

8.30 – Experts' registration

8.45 – Welcome and introduction:

Angelo Paletta

Director, Department of
Management, Alma Mater
Studiorum – Università di Bologna
Jan De Groof
President, European Association for
Education Law and Policy

9.00 – Panel 1

DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION FOR EDUCATION RIGHTS

Keynote speaker:

Pablo Meix Cereceda

Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha
(Spain)
Panelists:

Aušrinė Pasvenskienė

Vytautas Magnus University
(Lithuania)

Sally Varnham *(remotely)*

University of Technology Sydney
(Australia)

Genc Alimehmeti

University of Tirana (Albania)

Boróka Balla

Pázmány Péter Catholic University
(Hungary)

Open debate

10.30 – Coffee break

10.50 – Panel 2

REPHRASING INTERNATIONAL LAW ON EDUCATION IN LIGHT OF THE 2030 AGENDA

Keynote speaker:

Klaus Beiter

North-West University (South Africa)

Panelists:

Maria Smirnova

United Nations OCHR

Ingo Richter

University of Tübingen (Germany)

Nadia Bernoussi

CoE Venice Commission and UNHRC
(Morocco)

Alexandre Magno Fernandes

Moreira

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven
(Belgium)

Magali Fia

Alma Mater Studiorum – Università
di Bologna (Italy)

Open debate

12.30 – Lunch break

14.30 – Panel 3

SCREENING NATIONAL FRAMEWORKS AND BEST PRACTICES FOR EQUAL EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Keynote speaker:

Kurt Willems

KU Leuven Centre for Public Law
(Belgium)

Panelists:

Merilin Kiviorg

University of Tartu (Estonia) and
Oxford University (United Kingdom)

Mariëtte Reyneke *(remotely)*

University of the Free State (South
Africa)

Margherita Fort

Alma Mater Studiorum – Università
di Bologna (Italy)

Balázs Gerencsér

Pázmány Péter Catholic University
(Hungary)

Open debate

16.00 – Panel 4

TEACHERS' RIGHTS: NATIONAL, COMPARATIVE, AND INTERNATIONAL SCOPE OF TEACHERS' RIGHTS AND LEGAL STATUS

Keynote speaker:

Evelien Timmermont

Vrije University Brussel (Belgium)

Panelists:

Antonio Pedro Barbas Homem

Universidade de Lisboa (Portugal)

Monica Mincu

University of Turin (Italy) and Institute
of Education University College
London (United Kingdom)

Hans-Peter Füssel

Leibniz Institute for Research and
Information in Education (Germany)

Paul Zootjens

Tilburg University (The Netherlands)

Daniele Vidoni

European Commission

Open Debate

17.30 – **Concluding roundtable**

opened by remote contributions of:

Charles Glenn

Boston University (United States of
America)

Nikoleta Mita

University of Tirana (Albania)

Pieter Huisman

Tilburg University (The Netherlands)

17.55 – Future planning remarks

18.00 – Coffee Break

18.15 – **ELA EXECUTIVE MEETING**

20.30 – Social dinner (invited
speakers)

Saturday May, 13th

DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION FOR INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

Auditorium Biagi, Sala Borsa

Bologna Public Library

Piazza del Nettuno, 3

*Working language: Italian,
English live translation provided*

8.30 – Participants' registration

9.00 – **INSTITUTIONAL SETTINGS**

Rebecca Montanari

Vice Rector for Digital
Transformation, Alma Mater
Studiorum – Università di Bologna

Paola Salomoni

Regional Minister, School, University,
Research and Digital Agenda,
Emilia-Romagna Region

Massimo Bugani

Deputy Mayor for Digital Innovation,
Municipality of Bologna

Matteo M. Zuppi

His Most Reverend Eminence
Cardinal, Archbishop of Bologna,
President of the Italian Bishops'
Conference (CEI)

9.30 – **OPENING CONTRIBUTIONS**

Jan De Groof

President, European Association for
Education Law and Policy
Keynote speakers *(remotely)*:

Andreas Schleicher

Director, Directorate of Education
and Skills, OECD

Stefania Giannini

Assistant Director General for
Education, UNESCO

Tech break

10.15 – **ROUNDTABLE AND OPEN
DEBATE**

Chair:

Angelo Paletta

Director, Department of
Management, Alma Mater
Studiorum – Università di Bologna

Speakers:

Adriano Fabris

Board Member, Fondazione Golinelli

Andrea Gavosto

Director, Fondazione Agnelli

Cristina Grieco

President, INDIRE, National Institute
for Documentation, Innovation and
Educational Research

Giulia Guglielmini

President, Fondazione per la Scuola
della Compagnia di San Paolo

Roberto Ricci

President, INVALSI, Italian National
Institute for Educational Evaluation

Stefano Versari

Director General, Regional School
Office, Emilia-Romagna

12.30 – **CONCLUSIONS**

by Angelo Paletta and Jan De Groof

12.45 – Light refreshment

(invited speakers)

14.00 – Visit to the Alma Mater

Studiorum – University of Bologna
By invitation only

Bologna University Library

University Museums system

Magna Charta Universitatum

Signature of the DiSA-ELA

memorandum of understanding

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