

Objectives

The 2013 CLAIU EU Conference will focus on the achievements of the Bologna process since its first declaration in 1999. Has it produced a more homogeneous European education landscape? Did the Bologna process stimulate more creativity? Did the Bologna process enhance more student mobility and employability?

The CLAIU-EU Conference is organised in collaboration with Consiglio Nazionale degli Ingegneri, the Ordine Provinciale di Bologna, Alma Mater Studiorum - Università di Bologna and the Istituzione Biblioteche del Comune di Bologna, in particular the Biblioteca dell'Archiginnasio.

The Conference language will be English.

The topics to be covered will include:

- Fourteen years after the Bologna Declaration is there a more homogeneous shape of the European higher education?
- The Bologna Process - has it improved Student Mobility and Employability?
- Did the Bologna process stimulate more creativity?
- Perspective on the competences of today's engineering graduates

About CLAIU-EU

CLAIU-EU (Council of Association of long-cycle Engineers, of a university or higher school of engineering of the European Union) provides a Forum for consultation and collaboration within Europe among associations of engineers who have broadly been educated to Master degree level. The objectives of CLAIU-EU serve to promote the interests of engineers who have followed a more theoretically oriented education and who are concerned with fundamental concepts and their practical application.

Participants

The conference will be of particular interest to engineering academics, professional bodies, accreditation agencies and HR personnel in industry.

Accommodation

A number of hotel rooms have been reserved in Hotel ROMA in the old centre of Bologna.

Bookings can be made up to APRIL 1, 2013. To avail of the preferential rate for single room of €75, for double room/single use €90, for double or twin room €115, breakfast included, please use the [registration form](#) or go to www.claiu.org, activities CLAIU-EU Conference 2013.

HOTEL ROMA

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Reservation form send

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Registration Fees

CLAIU EU members: € 150

Non-members: € 200

Students: € 20

Conference Dinner: € 75

(pp/ delegate or accompanying person)

Registration

Please complete the [registration form](#). An invoice will be sent and full payment is required upon registration. Cancellation must be made in writing (letter) and reach our office not later than April 4, 2013

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CLAIU – EU Conference

The Bologna Process and the Engineering Education

To be held at

Alma Mater Studiorum – Università di Bologna
Biblioteca dell'Archiginnasio
Bologna, Italia

Thursday - Friday, 11th -12th April 2013

Thursday 11th April 2013, Programme Day 1

LOCATION:

[School of Engineering and Architecture](#),
University of Bologna,
Viale del Risorgimento, 2, 40136 • Bologna, Italy

[Roadmap](#)



- 13:00 Registration and buffet lunch
- 13:45 Welcome Address, Sergio Polese, President CLAIU-EU
Welcome address, Armando Zambrano, President CNI
Opening remarks, Prof. Ivano Dionigi, Rector of Bologna University

CHAIRMAN Day 1:

Denis Mc Grath, Past President CLAIU-EU

- 14:00 Fourteen years after the Bologna declaration is there a more homogeneous shape to European higher education? - Cornelia Racké, Higher Education Consultant, EHEA Consulting

SESSION 1:

DISCUSSION FACILITATOR, PROF. MASSIMO GUARASCIO, UNIVERSITÀ DI SAPIENZA ROMA

Discussion topics:

- Comparative remarks on Bachelor, Master and Doctoral degrees
- Impact on "students' mobility and degrees " recognition' in the EU - countries
- The factors which helped the process among others credit system, diploma supplement, quality assurance ...
- The circular effect: homogenization encourages mobility while mobility facilitates homogenization

- 15:30 Coffee break

- 16:00 The Bologna Process- has it improved Student Mobility and Employability? - Marc Goossens, Member of the Board of Directors of SEI - European Society for Engineers and Industrialists, Belgium
- Discussion topics:

- Did the Bologna process enhance mobility and employability?
- 'Vertical' versus 'horizontal' mobility
- Quality assurance versus employability
- Impact on the labour market

- 18:00 Conclusion of Day One

- 20:30 Conference Dinner



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Friday 12th April 2013, Programme Day 2

LOCATION:

[Biblioteca Comunale dell'Archiginnasio](#),
Sala dello Stabat Mater,
Piazza Galvani, 1, 40124 • Bologna, Italy

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CHAIRMAN Day 2:

Alejandro Marin, IIE- Instituto Ingenieria de España, Member CLAIU-EU Executive Board

- 08:45 Welcome and coffee

- 09:00 Did the Bologna process stimulate more creativity? - example Italy, Prof. Dr.Eng. Fabrizio Vestroni, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering Università di Sapienza Roma

SESSION 2:

DISCUSSION FACILITATOR, PROF. MASSIMO GUARASCIO, UNIVERSITÀ DI SAPIENZA ROMA

Discussion topics:

- Creativity oriented versus applications oriented engineering education programmes
- Impact in the professional labour market
- Perspectives on Engineering Doctoral degrees in the labour market
- European young talents selection: the triple I- concept (internationalization, intersectoral, interdisciplinary) in doctoral training programmes
- Innovation in engineering education and programmes

- 11:00 Perspective on the competences of today's engineering graduates, Bernard Remaud, Former President CTI - Commission des Titres d'Ingénieurs, France

- 11:30 Continuation of the discussion

- 12:30 Coffee break

- 13:30 Conclusion, Chairman's Summary



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