



Recognition of Prior Learning in Higher Education

March 16, 2021, 9.30 to 14.45 CET

9.30 – 9.40 Welcome and introduction

9.40 – 10.00 Main conclusions of the RPL in practice project

Anders Ahlstrand, Coordinator of the RPLip project, The Swedish Council for Higher Education

10.00 – 10.20 Current status of Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)

David Crosier, Education System Analyst, EACEA, Eurydice

10.20 – 10.30 Break

10.30 – 10.50 Firm foundations for RPL practices – institutional commitment

Irene Sheridan, Head of Extended Campus, Munster Technological University (MTU)

10.50 – 11.50 The phases of validation – practical peer-learning

Group discussions based on the phases of validation and a self-assessment template developed in the project.

11.50 – 12.30 Lunchbreak

12.30 – 13.30 Firm foundations for RPL practices – programme design, learning outcomes, Qualifications Framework and RPL

Susanna Björklund, Education Coordinator, Lund University

Ann Toebes, Curriculum Development Facilitator, Munster Technological University (MTU)

13.30 – 13.40 Break

13.40 – 14.30 Present and future perspectives on RPL; Panel discussion

Moderator: Michal Karpíšek, Secretary-General, EURASHE

Cecilia Christersson, Vice-Rector, Malmö university

Diane Freiburger, Managing Director, FIBAA - Foundation for International Business Administration Accreditation

Koen Nomden, Team Leader for “Transparency and Recognition of Skills and Qualifications”, DG Employment, European Commission

Pegi Pavletić, Executive Committee Member, The European Students' Union (ESU)

Jean-Philippe Restoueix, Administrator, Education Policy Division, Council of Europe

14.30 – 14.45 Sum-up and goodbye



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