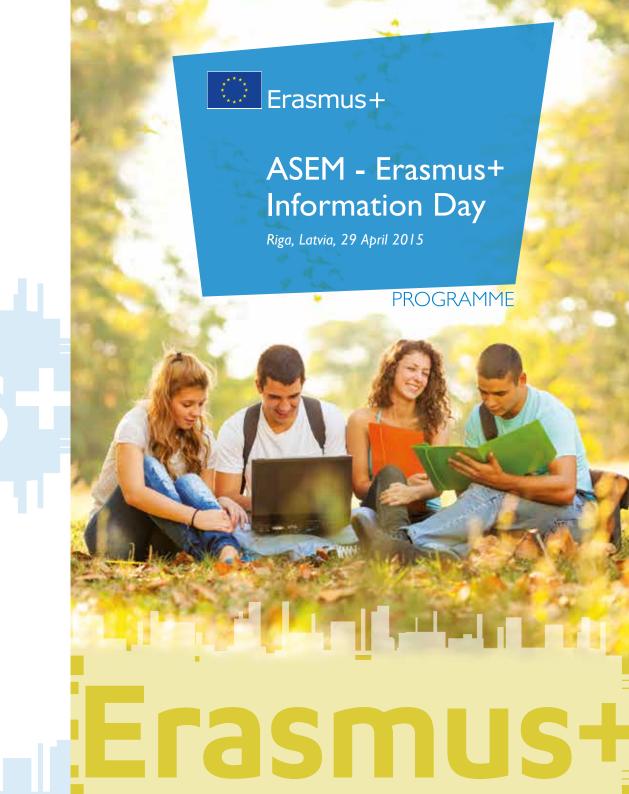
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ASEM - Erasmus+ Information Day

University of Latvia - 19 Raina blvd, Riga

29 April 2015

28 April

From 18:30 Registration

20:00 – 22:00 Welcome dinner

(Bellevue Park Hotel Riga, I Slokas Street, Riga, LV-1048)

29 April

08:30 - 09:00 Registration

Morning session

Chairman: **Ralf Rahders** Head of Unit, European Commission, Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency

09:00 — 09:10 Welcome speech by **Gunta Arāja**, Deputy State Secretary - Director of the Department of Structural Funds and International Financial Instruments, Ministry of Education and Science, Republic of Latvia

09:10 – 09:20 Welcome speech by **Indrikis Muizhnieks**, Vice-rector of the University of Latvia

09:20 – 09:40 Opening speech: "Asia-Europe Cooperation within the framework of the Erasmus+ Programme", by **Brian Toll**, Policy Officer, European Commission. DG Education and Culture

09:40 - | | : | 0 Session I: Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees

Speaker: **Christine Voelkl,** Project Adviser, Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency

"Introduction to the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees action"

Case study: Ralf Aschemann, Project Coordinator, University of Graz (AT)

"Erasmus Mundus Master's programme in Industrial Ecology: objectives of the programme and impact at university/individual level"

11:10 - 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 13:00 Session 2: Credit Mobility

Speaker: **Brian Toll**, Policy Officer, DG Education and Culture - "Introduction to the Credit Mobility action"

Case study: **Antra Mengele**, Erasmus+ Higher Education International Contact Point, Latvian Erasmus+ National Agency - State Education Development Agency

"The experience of a European country: example of Latvia"

13:00 - 14:30 Lunch

AFTERNOON SESSION

Chairman: Ralf Rahders Head of Unit, Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency

14:30 – 16:00 Session 3: Capacity Building in the field of higher education

Speaker: **Philippe Ruffio**, Head of Sector, Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency "Introduction to the Capacity Building action"

Case Study: **Shaizada Tasbulatova**, Coordinator, National Erasmus+ Office in Kazakhstan

"The impact of Capacity Building activities in a Partner Country: the example of Kazakhstan"

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee break

16:30 – 18:00 Session 4: lean Monnet and Marie Skłodowska-Curie

Speaker: **Brian Toll**, Policy Officer, DG Education and Culture - "Introduction to the Jean Monnet action"

Case Study: **Tatjana Muravska**, Professor, Jean Monnet Chair ad personam and Academic Coordinator of the Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence, University of Latvia

"The Jean Monnet programme: its impact on the modernisation of higher education in Latvia"

Speaker: **Talis Laizans**, Senior Expert, Horizon 2020 National Contact Point of Latvia – State Education Development Agency "Introduction to the Marie Skłodowska-Curie action"

18:00 — 18:30 Concluding remarks by **Brian Toll**, Policy Officer, DG Education and Culture

19:30 Dinner (restaurant Biblioteka, Terbatas iela 2, Riga, LV-1050)