



## UMinho's International Week 2014: IRO's Programme 16 - 20 June, 2014

### Monday (16/06)

- 9h30-10h00 Registration
- 10h00-10h45 Formal Welcome by the Rectorate Team: Rector, Prof. António A. M. Cunha, and Vice-Rector, Prof. Rui Vieira de Castro  
Presentation of UMinho and its internationalisation strategy
- 10h45-11h15 Coffee Break
- 11h15-12h30 Presentation of Partner Universities  
(oral presentation of up to 5 minutes each participant, where you are supposed to introduce yourself, your function and professional background, your motivation towards the IW and give some introductory words about your Institution. A PPT presentation on your institution should be provided to be made available for all participants)
- 12h30-14h00 Lunch at the University Restaurant (offered by UMinho)
- 14h00-16h30 "Portuguese Language and Culture: a sneak peek"  
Prof. Orlando Grossegeesse, BabeliUM/Institute of Arts and Human Sciences, University of Minho
- 19h30 Networking Dinner with *Fado* at "Mercado das Tapas" Restaurant (offered by UMinho)  
*Fado* is a traditional Portuguese music genre that features mournful tunes and lyrics, often about the sea or the life of the poor, and is infused with feelings of resignation, fatefulness and melancholia. *Fado* is generally sung by one person called a *fadista*, and normally accompanied by the Portuguese guitar and the classical guitar. On 27 November 2011, *Fado* was considered UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage.

### Tuesday (17/06)

- 9h30-10h45 Erasmus+: +Quality?  
Introduction to the Topic  
Internationalization of Universities: The Challenges of Quality  
Rui Vieira de Castro, Vice-Rector, University of Minho  
Quality in ERASMUS+: A New Role for Welcome Offices?  
Angela Alessio, International Mobility Office, Università degli Studi di Trieste  
QA in HE: What kind of Quality need to be assured for Erasmus Exchange students?  
Helene Simoni, Head of the International Relations Office, University of Patras  
Opportunities and Expectations for the Óbuda University in ERASMUS+  
Tibor Virág, Coordinator in the International Relations Office of the Faculty of Light Industry and Environmental Protection Engineering  
Shanghai University Internationalization Strategy: Key for development  
Qingwei Su, International Office



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| 10h45-11h15 | Coffee Break   |
| 11h15-12h45 | Erasmus+: +Quality? (continuation)<br>Directed debate and Discussion on:<br>Assessment (strategy, partnerships, activities/mobilities and services)<br>Orientation Programmes<br>Language Preparation and Requirements<br>Placements<br><br>SWOT Analysis...in construction  |
| 13h00-14h00 | Lunch  |
| 14h30-17h00 | Joint Programmes: Added value for Internationalisation or a Big Headache?<br>Institutional Perspectives<br><br>Brief introduction to the topic and presentation of UMinho's Case<br>Adriana Lago de Carvalho, Head of the International Relations Office<br><br>The Experience of the Faculty of Social and Political Science, Université Libre de Bruxelles<br>Caroline Hourdry, Head of the International Relations Office<br><br>Joint programs – Double-edged sword<br>Dan Yang, Sun Yat-Sen University<br><br>Joint-PhD degrees at the University of Hamburg<br>Dr. Yi Wang, Coordinator/International student mobility<br><br>Joint Programmes at the University of Innsbruck<br>Christine Anich and Christina Liepert, International Relations Office<br><br>General Debate |

### **Wednesday (18/06)**

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| 9h00-13h00  | “Intercultural Dialogue” Workshop<br>Certified training   |
| 12h30-14h00 | Lunch   |
| 14h00       | Departure to Tibães Monastery   |
| 14h30-17h00 | Guided visit to Tibães Monastery<br><br>The foundation of the Church and Monastery of Tibães dates back to before the nation was founded. In the late 9th century the Roman monastery was founded, and in 1110 it received the <i>Carta do Couto</i> , given by the Count D. Henrique.<br><br>In 1567 it became the headquarters of the Congregation of S. Benedict of Portugal and Brazil. Its restoration and cultural promotion began after have been bought by the Portuguese Government in 1986, empty and derelict. Today it has been restored back to its former glory combining different architectural styles with picturesque green outdoor spaces. |
| 17h00       | Departure to Braga  |



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### **Thursday (19/06)**

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| 9h30-11h00  | Health, Safety and Crisis Management: Can we prepare for all emergencies?<br>Introduction to the topic<br>Working in Groups  |
| 11h00-11h30 | Coffee Break   |
| 11h30-13h00 | Health, Safety and Crisis Management: Can we prepare for all emergencies? (continuation)<br>Rapporteurs' presentations<br>General debate<br>Drafting conclusions and lines of action |
| 12h30-14h00 | Lunch  |
| 14h00       | Departure to Guimarães   |
| 14h30-17h00 | Guided visit to Guimarães – UNESCO World Heritage Site and European Capital of Culture 2012.   |
| 17h00-18h00 | Free time  |
| 18h00       | Departure to Braga   |

### **Friday (20/06)**

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| 9h30-10h30  | Assessment and exchange of general impressions |
| 10h30-11h00 | Coffee Break                                   |
| 11h00-13h00 | Visit to Schools/Units                         |
| 13h00       | End of Official Programme                      |

### **Main Venue:**

School of Law, Campus of Gualtar, Braga

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