

# Welcome to the 12<sup>th</sup> Department of Electronics International Week

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# Welcome and Greetings



Ioannis Chatzakis, Head of the  
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HMU



Ioannis Daliakopoulos, Academic  
Coordinator HMU IRO





# Welcome



**12th International Week**

HELLENIC MEDITERRANEAN UNIVERSITY,  
CHANIA, CRETE  
2-7TH OF JUNE 2025

**REGISTRATION FORM**



**DOCTORAL STUDIES**  
**VIRTUAL INTERNATIONALIZATION**  
**SCIENCE DIPLOMACY**  
**SOFT SKILLS TEACHING**

**MORE INFO**  
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  **ATHENA**  
EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY



**IMPACT**  
Inter-Mediterranean Peace And Collaboration

**COIL in Leadership**

Start Date: 3rd of March 2025  
End Date: 12th of May 2025

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**IMPACT**  
Inter-Mediterranean Peace And Collaboration

**COIL in Research Skills for AI era**

Start Date: 16/10/2024  
End Date: 5/03/2025

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**AI ICON CONFERENCE**

Exploring the Impact of Artificial Intelligence Across Disciplines

**4th June 2025**

15:30 – 18:30 (Greek Time)  
14:30 – 17:30 (CET)  
08:30 – 12:30 (New York Time)

**Hybrid Event – Join Us Online or On-Site**



Can you believe it? AI is shaping every decision we make!

Exactly That's why I'm attending IMPACT AI Icon, even from York!

See you there—online or in Crete



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***340 participants from 30 different countries from 40  
different Institutions from four different continents***



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# Purpose of the Event

## Learning Outcomes

- To be introduced to Virtual Internationalization Actions
- To be aware of the internationalization of Higher Education policies and tools
- To learn how to collaborate more efficiently through the Edu Scrum Method
- To network between you (and us, of course) for more sustainable internationalization synergies





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# For Staff

	Monday, 2nd of June	Tuesday, 3rd of June	Wednesday, 4th of June	Thursday, 5th of June
09:30 – 10:00	Welcome to the 12th International Week (MR) (Konstantinos Petridis)	Digital Bridges for Real-World Peacebuilding (Yuliana Lavrysh & Iryna Simkova)	The Internationalization Plan of the University of Vigo (Maria Pardal)	The EduScrum Effective Collaboration Framework (Willy Wijnands & Kristina Fritsh)
10:00 – 10:30	Navigate through Virtual Exchange: An Introduction to VE and COILs (Sara Pittarello)	How to setup your Virtual Exchanges (Elena Mizrahi)	Key developments of international education projects at UVigo (Lorena Diana Gatea)	
10:30 – 11:00	Virtual Exchange in the Internationalization of Higher Education (Kyria Rebeca Finardi)	Leveraging Africa – Europe Academic Partnerships for Sustainable Development Opportunities and Strategies (Mary Mutisya & Abdelilah Kadili)	Unlocking Macro & Micro Credentials: The Power of Digital Proof (Kim Steenkjær Mortensen)	
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break			
11:30 – 12:00	COILs and Co-Teaching (Hubertus, Weyer)	A process of challenge-based learning within the context of internationalization (BIP)(Sandra Cristina Rodrigues Santana Lopes)	Prison's Break: Digital Escape Rooms in Higher Education for Educators and Administrative Staff (Carla M.A. Pinto)	The EduScrum Effective Collaboration Framework (Willy Wijnands & Kristina Fritsh)
12:00 – 12:30	Optimising International Student Mobility through Virtual Exchange (Angela Alonso)	Leveraging Alumni and Giving Data to build a fundraising pipeline for future success (Erin Titter)		
12:30 – 13:00	The Virtual Exchange Project IMPACT: Lessons Learnt (Konstantinos Petridis)	Transformative Learning through International Internships (George Lioudakis)	International Marketing of Higher Education (Anna Opalka)	



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	Tuesday, 3rd of June	Wednesday, 4th of June	Thursday, 5th of June	Friday, 6th of June
09:30 – 10:00	UFES in the world and the world in UFES (Kyria Finardi)  Al Balqa Applied Sciences University (Omar Suleiman Arabeyyat)	Global Impact, Local Roots The Story of YVC (Rony Stein Peri)  University of Murcia (Maravillas Ríos Salmerón & Carolina Pérez Jiménez)	The Internationalization of Western Galilee College (Oshrat Atias)  Servire Est Vivere: York College of Pennsylvania (Kristen Gurreri & Erin Titter)	Excursion to the Botanical Garden
10:00 – 10:30	Virtual Exchange Center Global Learning and Internationalization (Elena Mizrahi)  Mediterranean Minds, Global Goals: Discover Mediterranean University of Albania (Nerajda Feruni)	University of Almeria (Emilia Cruz Oliver)  Lucian University of Sibiu (Olga Precup)	Beyond the Third Mission: the dimension of the Public Engagement at the University of Bologna (Carlotta Viani)	
10:30 – 11:00	Internationalization Actions of GACE (Rhonda Sofer)  West University of Timosoara (Roxana Dogaru)	The University of Hannover (Gabriele Herok)  Introducing the University of Banja Luka (Ljiljana Surucic)	Science Diplomacy in Higher Education (Nikolaos Moraitakis)	
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break			
11:30 – 12:00	AI@VIVES (Stefaan Haspelagh)  Tamkine Internationalization Actions (Aya Azaddou)	Excellence in Education at the Romanian American University (Elena Museanu)  University of Maribor (Tatjana Welzer)	About Students' Mobility (Konstantinos Petridis)	Excursion to the Botanical Garden
12:00 – 12:30	SGH Warsaw School of Economics (Agnieszka Kinel)  Batumi Shota Rustaveli State University (Nana Kurshubadze)	FONTYS University of Applied Sciences (Ralph Peters)  International Telematic University Uninettuno (Dario Assante)	University of Prishtina (Majlinda Daci)  Polytechnic Institute of Beja – Fundamental and Applied Research (Fernando Teixeira)	
12:30 – 13:00	Empowering Students for Global Tomorrow (Ioanna Grajdeanu)  A University that thinks like a think tank (Malgorzata Galecka)	Tamtech Digital Solutions (Abdellilah Kadili)  Romanian American University – mission, vision and values (Luminita Horhota)		
	End of Session			



# For Students

14:00 – 14:30	Leading Across Cultures (Anna Stefanowicz-Kocol & Tatjana Welzer)		Leadership, Soft Skills and Performativity (Yoel Tawil)	Applied Creativity (Elad Segev)
14:30 – 15:00				
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15:30 – 16:00	Creating Champions: How Great Leaders Build Great Teams (Agnieszka Zielinska)	How to Kickstart an Innovative Process (even if you only have a few hours) (Ralph Peters and Yelda Ozturk)	Students' Conference about AI Tools in Communication & Research	Data Driven Citizenship for Young Leaders (Stefania Oikonomou)
16:00 – 16:30				
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17:00 – 17:30	Conventional project management: could or should it survive in the age of AI?  (József Györkös & Tatjana Welzer)	Effective and Appropriate Communication and How to make a presentation (Samia Zeid)		How to organize your next international event (George Vardalachakis)
17:30 – 18:00				
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# Agenda



Dinner for Students –  
Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> of June at MAICH  
(120 / 130)



Dinner for Staff –  
Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> of June  
at MAICH (170 / 200)



**Botanical Park Excursion** (92  
Registered) – Departure at 10:30 AM



**Visit Archeological Museum –**  
Saturday, 7<sup>th</sup> of June (30)



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# Acknowledgments



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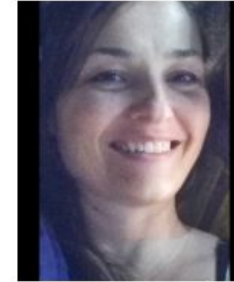
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**Agenda for Staff & Students**



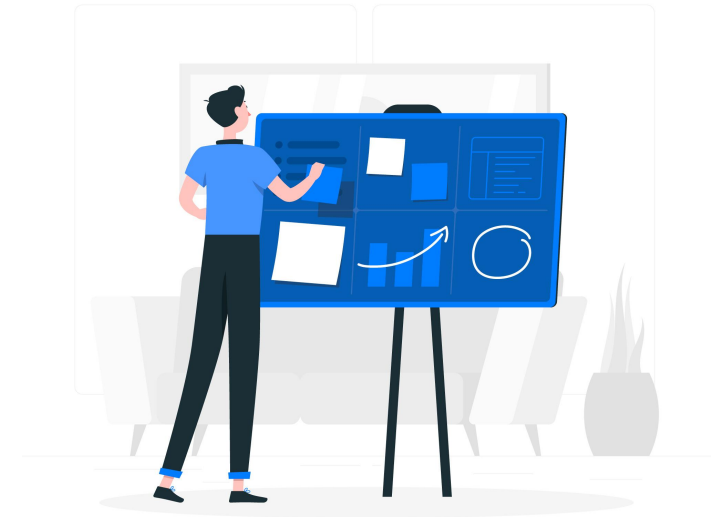
**Attendance: IW and Events**



# Housekeeping Information



**Coffee Breaks / Lunches**



**Presentations**



# Housekeeping Information



**Group Photo & Photos**



**Podcasts**





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## International Relations Office



Erasmus+



ICM Participants - Contact



Rest Information



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# Engagement Guidelines

- Attend all the sessions/ Make a plan of the sessions you wish to attend – Ask Questions
- Interact with each other during breaks and social events
- Use the application to identify the contact details of all the participants
- Introduce yourself in the Padlet
- There is no room of politics in our events

***‘Stay hungry; Stay Foolish’***



# The Speakers

## Virtual Internationalization



Virtual Exchange in the Internationalization of Higher Education

Kyria Rebeca Finardi



Navigate through VE: an introduction to Virtual Exchanges and COILs

Sara Pitarello



COILs and Co-Teaching: Internationalizing Future Skills, Language and Subject-Specific Teaching

Hubertus Weyer



How to setup your Virtual Exchanges

Elena Mizrahi



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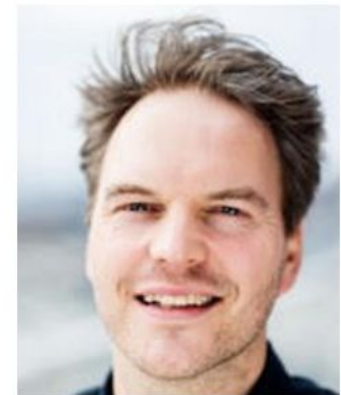
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Internationalization of Higher Education

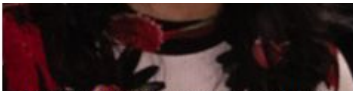


HEI Alumni Actions



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**Leveraging Africa – Europe Academic Partnerships  
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**Abdelilah Kadili**





# The Speakers

## Workshops



The Eduscrum Effective Collaboration Framework

Willy Wiljanda



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Kristina Fritsch



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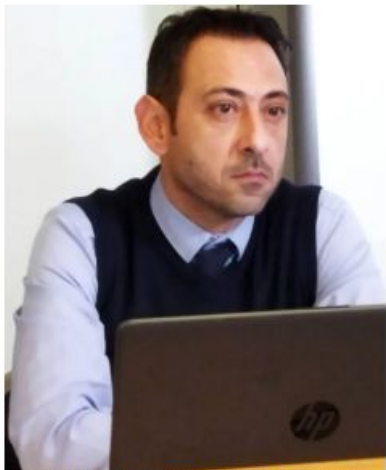


# Panel



Servire Est Vivere: York College of Pennsylvania

Kristen Gurreri



Science Diplomacy in Higher Education

Nikolaos Moraitakis



Empowering Students for Global Tomorrow

Ioanna Grajdeanu



About Students' Mobility

Konstantinos Petridis



University of Prishtina

Majlinda Daci



Polytechnic Institute of Beja - Fundamental and Applied Research

Fernando Teixeira

PORTIS University of Applied Sciences

Ralph Peters



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Maravillas Ríos Salmerón

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Dario Assante



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Carolina Pérez Jiménez

FAIRTECH Digital Solutions

Abdelilah Kadili



Romanian American University - mission, vision and values

Luminita Horhota



The Internationalization of Western Galilee College

Oshrat Atias



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# Expectations and Outcomes



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