

International Workshop



THE ROLE OF AN ERASMUS+ CAPACITY BUILDING PROJECT IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN RWANDA



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EnRHed

ENHANCEMENT OF **RWANDAN**
HIGHER EDUCATION
IN STRATEGIC
FIELDS FOR SUSTAINABLE GROWTH



THE PROJECT



In the framework of the institutional agreements promoted by the University Center for International Cooperation (CUCI) of the University of Parma with some higher education institutions in Rwanda, the exchanges of teachers and students between Europe and Rwanda are becoming increasingly intense. These relationships have also intensified thanks to the recent funding of the Erasmus+ EnRHED project, which involves 7 partner institutions, namely:

- **University of Parma** (Italy) (consortium leader) - **UNIPR**
- **University of Liège** (Belgium) - **ULIEGE**
- **University of Applied Science of Cologne** (Germany) - **RFH**
- **University of Rwanda** (Rwanda) - **UR**
- **Institute of Applied Sciences INES-Ruhengeri** (Rwanda) - **INES**
- **IPRC Polytechnic School of Musanze** (Rwanda) - **IPRC**
- **University of Technology and Arts of Byumba** (Rwanda) - **UTAB**

The workshop intends to initiate a comparison between different actors who, at different academic levels, have already participated or are preparing to participate in exchange actions with Rwanda. In particular, the workshop intends to lay the foundations for strengthening cooperation and collaboration activities in the fields of research, training, teaching between European and Rwandan higher education institutions.

The workshop will focus on how a Capacity Building Project like EnRHed can contribute to reach the above mentioned objectives, with particular reference to university training in strategic sectors for sustainable development, such as “Food Science and Technology” and “Environmental Protection, Safety and Management”.

PROGRAMME

- 8.30 – 9.00** **Arrival of guests and registration**
- 9.00 – 9.20** Introduction and welcome remarks
Prof. Paolo Andrei - *Rector of the University of Parma*
- 9.20 – 9.40** European policy of Cooperation in Rwanda
Amb. Nicola Bellomo - *Head of EU Delegation in Rwanda*
- 9.40 – 10.00** University of Parma Spreads Internationalization
Prof. Guglielmo Wolleb - *Delegate for Internationalization at University of Parma*
- 10.00 – 10.20** Policy of International Cooperation at the University of Parma
Prof. Nadia Monacelli - *Director of CUCI*
- 10.20 – 11.00** **Coffee break**
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IMPACT OF THE EnRHEd PROJECT IN THE PROGRAMME PARTNER INSTITUTIONS

- 11.00 – 11.30** University of Parma
Prof. Roberto Valentino - *Project Coordinator*
- 11.30 – 12.00** University of Applied Science of Cologne
Dr. Luciana Stortoni - *Project Manager at RFH*
- 12.00 – 12.30** University of Liège (Belgium)
Prof. Roland Billen - *Project Manager at ULIEGE*
- 12.30 – 14.00** **Lunch**
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IMPACT OF THE EnRHEd PROJECT IN THE BENEFICIARY PARTNER INSTITUTIONS

- 14.00 – 14.30** University of Rwanda
Prof. Alexandre Lyambabaje - *Vice Chancellor of UR*
Dr. Djamali Nambajimana - *Project manager at UR*
- 14.30 – 15.00** Institute of Applied Sciences INES-Ruhengeri (Rwanda)
Dr. Fr. Fabien Hagenimana - *Vice Chancellor of INES*
Dr. Silas Uwabasigaye - *Project manager at INES*
- 15.00 – 15.30** IPRC Polytechnic School of Musanze (Rwanda)
Dr. Emile Abayisenga - *Principal of IPRC Musanze*
Dr. Francois Sekarigenge - *Project manager at IPRC*
- 15.30 – 16.00** University of Technology and Arts of Byumba (Rwanda)
Dr. Eliezer Niyonzima - *Deputy Vice Chancellor of UTAB*
Dr. Lucien Hakizimana - *Project manager at UTAB*
- 16.00 – 16.15** Message from the Ambassador of Rwanda in France and Italy
H.E. Mr. Francois Xavier Ngarambe
- 16.15 – 16.30** Concluding remarks and future perspectives
Prof. Roberto Valentino - *Project Coordinator*

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