

CLAIU-EU Conference – The engineering doctorate

9th February 2012, PROGRAMME Day 1

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13:45 Welcome Address

Sergio Polese, President CLAIU-EU

Session 1: Engineering doctorate: principles and policies

CHAIRMAN: Alejandro Marin, Instituto de la Ingenieria España

- 14:00 Doctoral education: the EUA-Salzburg II recommendations
- Dr. Thomas Ekman Jørgensen, Head of Unit, EUA Council for Doctoral Education
- 14:45 Strengthening the engineering doctorate in the European Research Area: The principles for doctoral training
- Stefaan Hermans, Head of the 'Skills' Unit, DG Research and Innovation at the European Commission
- 15:30 Coffee Break
- 15:45 CESAER's policies on the engineering doctorate
- Peter Scharff, Rector of T.U.Ilmenau, Germany
- 16:30 Introducing quality indicators in doctoral education
- Aris Avdelas, Professor Faculty of Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki,
 Representative of EUGENE academic network and SEFI and
- Jörg Steinbach, President T.U. Berlin
- 17:15 : What career in industry for engineers with a PhD?
- Ir. M.Ph.Sc Marc Goossens, Director SEII European Society for Engineers and Industrialists, Belgium
- 18:00 Conclusion of Day One
- 20:30 Conference Dinner



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10th February 2012, PROGRAMME Day 2

Session 2: Engineering doctorate: case studies

CHAIRMAN: José Vieira, Ordem Dos Engenheiros Portugal

08:45 Welcome coffee

09:00 Developments in the engineering doctorate in Spain.

• Jesús Félez, Dean Faculty Industrial Engineering and Full Professor Mechanical Engineering at the Technical University Madrid (UPM)

9:45 Engineering Doctorates in Australia

• Robin King, Emeritus Professor, Executive Officer Australian Council of Engineering Deans, Chair of the Accreditation Board of Engineers Australia and Chair of the Sydney Accord.

10:30 Interdisciplinarity- a modern approach to the engineering doctorate in Italy.

Massimo Guarascio, Full Professor Faculty Civil and Industrial Engineering, Member Scientific
 Council Structural Engineering PhD program at the Sapienza University Rome

11:15 Coffee Break

11.30 The Engineering Doctorate (EngD) in the U.K. – developing tomorrow's leaders with industry

Patrick Godfrey, Professor Systems Engineering, University of Bristol, Director at the
 Systems Centre and the EPSRC Industrial Doctorate Centre in Systems at the Universities of Bristol
 and Bath

12:15 Towards a European engineering doctorate

• Kees van Hee, Professor Computer Science T.U.Eindhoven and Heidi Prevoo, Policy Adviser, the Netherlands

13:00 Plenary Discussion, Chair, Denis Mc Grath, Former President CLAIU-EU

13:30 Conclusion of the Conference