



INGENIUM INSIDER

INGENIUM European University is an alliance of 10 European Universities that use the unique culture, diverse background and educational goals brought in by each partner to create a strong alliance that focuses on the core areas of the Alliance: digitalisation, research, teaching innovation, academic quality, programmes, sustainability, inclusivity, multilingualism, and communication. Common values strengthen the alliance and improves cooperation in the pursuit of excellence in education and research. Read more about the start of our journey **here**!

INGENIUM PARTNERS

- University of Ovivedo (UNIOVI Spain)
- Medical University Sofia (MUS Bulgaria)
- 3 University of Crete (UoC Greece)
- 4 Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences (HKA Germany)
- 5 South Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences (XAMK Finland)
- Gabriele d'Annuzio" University Chieti-Pescara (Ud'A Italy)
- University of Skövde (HIS Sweden)
- Munster Technological University (MTU Ireland)

University of Rouen Normandy (URN - France)"Gheorghe Asachi" Technical University of Iasi (TUIASI - Romania)



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June 2023

Exploring diversity and excellence: Juniors and Seniors Summer School, Staff Academy and Science Factory

Biannually, the INGENIUM European University convenes the '10 DAYS OF INGENIUM' event, providing a platform for students, professors, and administrative staff to engage in multicultural activities and lay the foundation for future collaborations. This year Hochschule Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences (HKA) in Germany and the University "G. d'Annunzio" (Ud'A) in Italy hosted the inaugural event, marking a significant milestone in the alliance. Representatives from the ten partner universities celebrated this occasion by symbolically planting a tree on the HKA Campus, signifying the enduring growth of our collaborative academic initiatives.



Junior Summer School at Hochschule Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences (HKA)

Engaging the intellectual curiosity of undergraduate students, the event provided a platform for active participation and enjoyment in diverse learning and exploration activities. The organizing institution curated a stimulating environment through a series of workshops, lectures, and interactive games, fostering an atmosphere that encouraged young minds to dive into various cultures. Additionally, the event aimed to prompt participants to step out of their comfort zones, offering a break from the influence of social media and encouraging authentic connections in the pursuit of a richer, more culturally diverse educational experience.

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Senior Summer School at University "G. d'Annunzio" (Ud'A)

Master's and Ph.D. students, along with early career researchers, engaged in intellectually stimulating activities designed to provoke critical thinking and foster collaborative skills. During a team-building exercise, participants were tasked with the construction of a cardboard boat capable of supporting an individual in a competitive sea race. Furthermore, the Science Factory activities provided a rigorous test of teamwork skills, requiring participants to collaboratively draft a funding request for a project that required the interdisciplinary expertise of each team member.

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Staff Academy at University "G. d'Annunzio" (Ud'A)

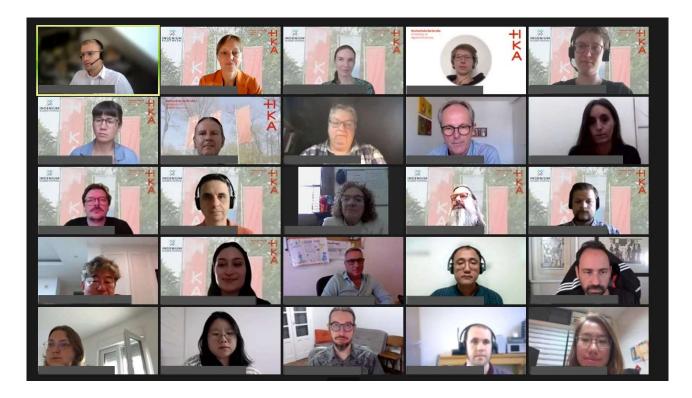
Professors from partner universities participated in workshops that showcased innovative pedagogical methodologies to gain new insights and enhance their skills in a particular field by having additional time for hands-on learning and interaction with colleagues from diverse backgrounds.

October 2023

Networking for future partnerships

Hochschule Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences (HKA) hosted the inaugural Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) networking event, strategically designed to pave the way for prospective collaborations. The event sought to cultivate global connections and kindle innovative teaching partnerships. In the course of the gathering, six compelling international collaboration pitches were presented, engaging participants in an invigorating exchange of ideas and collaborative opportunity development. Interested in international collaboration?

Follow us to find when we have the next networking event!



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December 2023

INGENIUM research grant application

The **INGENIUM European Alliance** has launched its research grant application, marking a significant stride in promoting academic collaborations across its ten strategically located campuses. With a commitment to European unity and intellectual diversity, the alliance aims to foster multidisciplinary research initiatives that transcend traditional academic boundaries. The research grants, open to all fields, aim to support projects embodying innovation, interdisciplinary cooperation, and a dedication to addressing real-world problems through a multifaceted academic approach. Successful applicants will gain access to INGENIUM resources, facilitating cross-campus collaborations and groundbreaking research. The initiative invites researchers, scholars, and academics from

member universities to usher in a new era of academic excellence and collaborative

research in Europe.



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December 2023

INGENIUM: A key player at the European universities meeting in Sofia

The **INGENIUM European University Alliance** was present at the 'European Universities Meeting' held at the House of Europe, the EU's representation headquarters in Sofia on December 4 and 5, 2023. Co-organized by the French and Spanish embassies, the event united 24 universities from Bulgaria, Spain, and France, members of European alliances, marking a significant stride in internationalizing higher education in Europe. INGENIUM, represented by delegations from the **University of Oviedo (UNIOVI)**, the **University of Rouen-Normandy (URN)**, and the **Medical University of Sofia (MUS)**, reaffirmed its commitment to fostering student mobility and playing a pivotal role in the development of the European university area. The delegation participated in debates on research excellence, the impact of alliances on local economies, and the importance of mutual recognition of degrees in the European context. INGENIUM's active involvement and leadership in the meeting underscored its dedication to the internationalization of higher education and its significant contributions to crucial discussions on research, economic impact, and joint degree recognition in Europe.



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July 2023

INGENIUM a multilingual and intercultural Alliance

Our commitment to academic excellence is underscored by the implementation of rigorous procedures for learning and level accreditation across all INGENIUM languages, facilitated through official certificates. The dedicated e-learning platform serves as a cohesive link for students, while concurrently establishing a robust framework for the issuance of certifications that duly recognize and validate international experiences. INGENIUM members enjoyed a new course, entitled "I Sound English," which was created by the Language Centre of **Università degli Studi "G. d'Annunzio" (Ud'A)** Chieti-Pescara, with a specific focus on refining English phonetics and communication skills.

PERSONALISED PHONETIC METHOD



ENGLISH PHONETICS

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September 2023

INGENIUM Sustainability committee

University of Skövde (HIS) hosted the kick-off meeting, welcoming 19 representatives from partner universities who shared diverse experiences, ideas, and perspectives on sustainable development and work. Several key initiatives were obtained from this meeting:

- conducting a comprehensive self-assessment of Sustainable Development across partner universities,
- facilitating a student-engaged Hackathon, challenging participants to innovate solutions for sustainability problems,
- developing environmental policies and curricula dedicated to students, with a focus on sustainable development,
- launching a virtual Challenge Lab to empower students in actively addressing and resolving sustainability challenges.

These planned actions reflect the collective commitment of the partners to advance sustainable practices within the academic landscape.



October2023

INGENIUM European Campus

Medical University - Sofia (MUS) facilitated the discussions centered around the core theme of the **INGENIUM European Campus**. Through a series of workshops, exchanges, and deliberations, current members of the alliance established the groundwork for collaboration. This foundation is anticipated to facilitate a strong collaborative environment and inspire students to pursue their studies within a multicultural setting, ensuring a consistent standard of quality across all partner universities.



November 2023

INGENIUM innovative learning and teaching

INGENIUM created a new educational strategy for the alliance and will work on developing new pedagogical methodologies customed to the unique characteristics of each partner within the framework of our intercultural university.

"Now we have a student-centered strategy that meets the needs of working life, which our Innovative Committee was aiming for! I believe we succeeded because a diverse group participated in the process, including innovation leaders, students, employees, companies, partners, and so on" tells Project Director Eeva Kuoppala from the South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences - (Xamk), which led the strategy work.

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October 2023

WELL-BEING AND INTERCULTURAL BONDS

Jesús Vera Berdasco, President of the University of Oviedo's Student Council, shared his reflections on his participation in the inaugural INGENIUM Junior School. Driven by a dedication to cultivating intercultural connections, the event exceeded his expectations, prioritizing practical formats to enhance diversity, inclusion, and overall campus well-being. Notable activities, including the impactful "City Rally," underscored the significance of digital disconnection and exploration, emphasizing an environment free from device reliance. The intercultural role-playing game served as a meaningful platform for thoughtful reflection on cultural differences and values.



October 2023

INGENIUM IS THE PEOPLE'S UNIVERSITY

Elsa Villa-Fernández, a co-author of the winning project shared insights into her experience at INGENIUM Senior School. Collaborative success was attributed to keys such as involvement, adaptation, and enjoyment. Elsa, reflected on the unique experience of the INGENIUM Senior School, emphasizing its impact on soft skills and diverse peer interactions. This edition was concentrated on health, well-being, and technology, with notable events such as the Global Leader's Master Class in Mental Health & Neuroscience.



NEWS

10 DAYS OF INGENIUM

The **10 DAYS OF INGENIUM** events show our commitment to foster a vibrant academic community, transcending geographical boundaries, and laying the groundwork for a future characterized by collaborative excellence. Stay tuned for further updates on the unfolding narrative of academic innovation within the **INGENIUM European University**.

WINTER 10 DAYS OF INGENIUM 2024

SUMMER 10 DAYS OF INGENIUM 2024

Countdown to next 10 days of INGENIUM event!

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SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT HACKATHON

In April 2024 an exciting Hackathon will bring together students from all partner universities. Over 48 virtual hours, teams will collaborate to address environmental challenges like selective waste collection and renewable energy solutions. The virtual campus setting encourages creative solutions, with a jury evaluating proposals alongside local community and university representatives. The winning team will be honored at the University of Rouen Normandy, France, in May 2024. Follow us to find out more about this initiative, driving innovation for a sustainable future!

Sounds interesting? If you are a student you can register **here!**

Countdown to the HACKATON!



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