University Assessments in the Digital Age: Approaches and Tools

Date: 27 December 2024

Time: 08:00–12:00 CET

Platform: Zoom (with simultaneous interpretation)

Host: Rector Svetlana Sirmbard, Adam University; Gulnara Isaeva, National Coordinator, Erasmus+ Office in Kyrgyzstan

International Experts:

- **Ebba Ossiannilsson (Sweden)**
- **Antoine Rauzy (France)**

This seminar addresses the transformative role of SDG 4 (Quality Education) as a foundation for achieving all other Sustainable Development Goals. Within the context of global challenges and digital transformation, the session will explore:

- The future of education and a new social contract
- The impact of AI, technology, and digitalization
- The importance of inclusion, accessibility, openness, sustainability, and personalization
- The four foundational pillars: Higher Education, Research, Innovation, and Lifelong Learning

Learning Outcomes

Participants will:

- Understand digital transformation trends in higher education
- Explore the future learning landscape, societal impacts, and demographic shifts
- Reflect on the emerging social contract for inclusive and equitable education
- Examine the role of AI, micro-credentials, and open education in transforming learning
- Enhance their capacity for critical thinking, policy development, and lifelong learning

Time	Activity
14:00–14:15	Welcome and Opening Remarks *Rector Svetlana Sirmbard, Adam University* *Gulnara Isaeva, Erasmus+ National Coordinator*
14:15–14:25	*Session 1: Global Trends in Quality Online and AI-Driven Learning* *Presenters: Antoine Rauzy & Ebba Ossiannilsson* Presentation (10 min each) Breakout room discussion / Q&A (20 min)
15:05–15:45	Session 2: The Four Pillars of Transformation — Higher Education, Research, Innovation & Lifelong Learning 20 min expert presentation 20 min breakout discussion
15:45–16:25	Session 3: Pedagogical Design and Didactics for Digital & Blended Learning Topics: Course design, assessments, personalization 20 min presentation 20 min group dialogue and feedback
16:25–17:05	Session 4: AI in Higher Education — Opportunities, Challenges, and Ethical Considerations
17:05–17:55	**Strategic Group Discussion & Reflections** Moderated session around key questions: ● What resonated most with your role and experience? ● What are your "Why, What, Who, Whom, How, When" perspectives? ● What are your next steps to advance digital transformation? ● What institutional needs must be addressed? ● What are your short- and long-term goals?
17:55–18:00	**Closing Remarks & Next Steps**