

Bologna Beyond 2010: Role and involvement of students.
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<b>Purpose /envisaged outcome</b>  <b>Student participation in the Bologna is one of the main aspects of the process. Number of countries put in various measures to increase their participation in institutional governance but the reality is that in many cases they are not considered as equal stakeholders in the decision-making process related to education.</b>  'We acknowledge the key role of the academic community - institutional leaders, teachers, researchers, administrative staff and students - in making the European Higher Education Area a reality, providing the learners with the opportunity to acquire knowledge, skills and competences furthering their careers and lives as democratic citizens as well as their personal development. We recognise that a more supportive environment for the staff to fulfil their tasks, is needed. We commit ourselves to working towards a more effective inclusion of higher education staff and students in the implementation and further development of the EHEA. We fully support staff and student participation in decision-making structures at European, national and institutional levels'. <b>Budapest-Vienna Declaration</b>
<b>Preliminary programme</b> The main topics of the summer school are: Degree system and ECTS: flexibility as a mechanism fostering mobility and employability of students; All types of mobility: more balanced mobility, EHEA benchmark of 20% by 2020; Recognition as a major deterrent for students going abroad; Student aid schemes: tuition fees, state financial support to students, grants and loans.  The aim of the summer school is to present Bologna Process achievements during its first ten years as well as to discuss further challenges with the student eyes .
<b>Participants – max. number and target groups</b> 80 students : half from EHEA countries and half Armenian students.
<b>Date</b> 3-10 July 2011
<b>Place</b> Tsakhkadzor, Armenia
<b>Link to conference website (if available)</b> <a href="http://www.edu.am">www.edu.am</a>

**Good practice**

- Open to students from all Bologna countries and to interested parties from other parts of the world.
- The conclusions and recommendations of the seminar are presented at the end of the seminar and are approved by the participants.