## Database of External Quality Assurance Results (DEQAR)



## History of QA in EHEA

First intentions:
"Promotion of European
co-operation in quality
assurance"
(Bologna Communiqué)

Common principles:
Standards and
Guidelines for Quality
Assurance in the EHEA
(Bergen)

Closer integration:
"allow EQAR-registered agencies to perform their activities across the EHEA"
(Bucharest)

Enhance transparency:
QA as key commitment; welcome and promote development of DEQAR
(Paris)

|  | Initial commitment: <br> Key elements of quality assurance systems (Berlin) |  | European organisation: European Quality Assurance Register (EQAR) (London) | Further consolidation: ESG revised, European Approach for QA of Joint Programmes (Yerevan) |  |
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| 1999 | 2003 | 2005 | - 2007 | 2015 | 2018 |

## EQAR - Mission \& Objectives

The European Higher Education Area's (EHEA) official register of quality assurance agencies operating in line with the ESG

- Initial idea part of ESG 2005
- European ministers requested E4 to establish EQAR (2007)
- Founded 2008 by E4
- Governed jointly by European governments and stakeholder organisations
- Non-profit and independent, acting in the public interest



## Organisational structure



DEQAR - Quality at your fingertips

https://youtu.be/3zZ6hlj6lw8

## Database of External Quality Assurance Results (DEQAR)

Coverage:
< 46000 EQA results
< 2000 HEls
-> 64 countries
of which 39 from EHEA


## DEQAR - Conception

## Who are the Potential Users*?


*based on the results of Survey of potential users, carried out in July 2016 as part of DEQAR Report and Operational Model

## What are the existing initiatives*?


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## What type of information is needed and can be provided? 1. Information about HEls



## 2. Information about the EQA (accreditation) procedure



## 3. Additional information at programme level



Database of External Quality Assurance Results (DEQAR)
A central portal to external quality assurance reports based on European standards (ESG)
External
quality
assurance
by EQAR-registered quality assurance agencies


QAA 1


## DEQAR: system

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## ‘One Stop Shop’ for External QA

## Institutions / <br> Programmes

Identify whether a higher education institution (HEI) or its programmes were subject to external QA in line with ESG

Gain direct access to information and reports on external QA procedures

Find clear and reliable information on European national quality assurance systems procedures

Agencies

Access detailed information on quality assurance activities in EHEA

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## DEQAR Delivery

## DEQAR: state of play

October 2018

- 3194 reports
- 565 institutions
- 28 countries

October 2019

- 46136 reports > 1300\%
- 2165 institutions > $280 \%$
- 64 countries > 130\%


## Agency Uploads

\# agencies \% of total legacy data uploaded - October 2018
\# agencies \% of total legacy data uploaded - October 2019

## DEQAR: coverage Oct 2019 eqar ////

HEl list missing Holy See, Albania, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Russia


DEQAR has significant coverage (> 60\%) of 14 higher education systems: Belgium (Flemish community), Croatia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Montenegro, North Macedonia, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Spain and Slovenia.

## DEQAR: search and discovery eqar /I//

Q Browse and search institutions and reports
\# (by institution name, country, agency, and more...)
(1) Find historic records

- Download full reports and decisions

E Embed into third-party applications

## DEQAR: search and discovery

Q dubrovnik

## Institutional level

## 1 report



- $\mathbf{\Lambda}^{\circ}$ Institutional evaluation/accreditation
"Babes-Bolyai" University Cluj-Napoca
Universitatea "Babeş-Bolyai" din Cluj-Napoca
Bábes Bolyai Tudományegyetem

Basic information

| Identifiers | DEQARINST2200 |
| :--- | :--- |
| Location(s) | Cluj-Napoca, Romania |
| Website | http://www.ubbcluj.ro |
| Founding year | 1753 |
| QF-EHEA levels | first cycle |
| Permalink | $\underline{\text { https://data.deqar.eu/institution/2200/ }}$ |

## National External Quality Assurance Requirements

- Institutional evaluations/accreditation
are valid for five years. During the evaluation procedure, about 20 per cent of the study programmes offered by the institution are also evaluated. Before initiating an institutional accreditation higher education institutions need to apply for provisional authorisation.
- Evaluation of Master Study Domains

The evaluation procedure is to be fully applied for the first time in 2018.

- Programme evaluation/accreditations
are valid for five years and must be renewed regularly. Programmes first need to receive a provisional accreditation that is granted by the Ministry for a period of two years and then apply for an accreditation.


## Programme level

## 1-10 of 114 reports

- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Ecology and Environment protection (in German), first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Computational Physics (in Hungarian), first cycle
- $\mathbb{R}^{\circ}$ Pastoral Greco-Catholic Theology, first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Classical Philology, first cycle
- $\mathbf{N}^{\circ}$ Law (DL), first cycle
- $\mathbf{N}^{\circ}$ Environmental Geography, first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Geological Engineering, first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Physics (in Hungarian), first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\ominus}$ Physics (in Romanian), first cycle
- $\mathbf{N}^{\ominus}$ Computer Science (in Hungarian), first cycle



## Sort by

Institution name ^

## Aix-Marseille III University

Aix-en-Provence (France)

Aix-Marseille II University
Aix-en-Provence (France)

Aix-Marseille I University
Aix-en-Provence (France)

Aix-Marseille University
Aix-Marseille université
Marseille 7e (France)

Artois University (Communauté d'universités et établissements Lille Nord de France )
Université d'Artois
Arras (France)

## Audiencia Business School

École supérieure de commerce de Nantes-Atlantique
Nantes (France)

Blaise Pascal University
Université Blaise Pascal
Clermont-Ferrand (France)

Bordeaux Montaigne University (Communauté d'universités et établissements d'Aquitaine )
Université Bordeaux Montaigne
Pessac (France)

## External Quality Assurance Reports and Decisions

## Institution record "drill down" filter options

| Filter reports |
| :--- |
| Agency |
| Status |
| AQU (39) |
| part of obligatory EQA |
| system (39) |
| Activity |
| $\nabla$ Accreditation (18) |
| Modification (9) |
| $\nabla$ Validation (ex-ante |
| accreditation) (12) |
| Decision |
| $\nabla$ positive (39) |
| Report valid |
| $\nabla$ currently (29) |
| $\nabla$ historic (10) |

Institutional level
No results found.

Programme level

| 1-10 | of $\mathbf{3 9}$ | reports |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Law, first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\ominus}$ Audiovisual Post-production, second cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Business Administration, first cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\circ}$ Advertising and Public Relations, first cycle
- $\mathbf{N}^{\circ}$ Journalism, first cycle
- $\mathbf{N}^{\circ}$ Logistics and International Trade, second cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\ominus}$ Legal Practice, second cycle
- $\mathbf{1}^{\ominus}$ Management and Communication in Social Solidarity Institutions, second cycle



## Database

Search
Search
by report

|  | eqar.eu > Database > Search | > fmid: Programme accreditation |
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| Database |  |  |
| Search <br> By institution | Rey Juan Carlos University |  |
| By report |  |  |
| Get data | - $\underline{*}^{\ominus}$ fmid: Programme accreditation |  |
| Terms and Conditions | Programme | Programa de Doctorado en Ciencias de la Salud |
| DEQAR project | Qualification | Programa de Doctorado en Ciencias de la Salud |
| Frequent questions | Level | third cycle (NQF level 8) |
|  | DEQAR Report ID | 47054 |
|  | Agency | Fundación para el Conocimiento Madrimasd (fmid) |
|  | Type | Accreditation of official degree programmes |
|  | Status | part of obligatory EQA system |
|  | Formal decision | positive |
|  | Date | 18/07/2019 |
|  | Valid until | 18/07/2025 |
|  | Report and decision | informe definitivo 37580.pdf (Spanish/Castilian) |
|  | Permalink | https://data.deqar.eu/report/47054/ |
|  | Institution page | Rey Juan Carlos University |
|  |  | View record on agency's website |

## Language of reports

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Institutional


Programme


## DEQAR: use statistics

## October 2019

- 2410 visits/monthly
- 5250 unique page views
- 530 report downloads


Oct 2017 Apr 2018 Oct 2018 Apr 2019

## Issues for discussion

- Current and future use cases of DEQAR?
- Limitations and how to address?
- How well does DEQAR map the diverse European QA landscape?
- What could be improved?


## DEQAR: <br> "Quality at your fingertips"



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