

EU-CONEXUS INTERNATIONAL STAFF TRAINING WEEK (VIRTUAL)

Virtual and Blended Teaching

30 November – 2 December 2020

hosted online by Universidad Católica de Valencia

Universidad Católica de Valencia (UCV), member of the EU-CONEXUS European University, is pleased to announce the second edition of the EU-CONEXUS International Staff Training Week.

Universidad Católica de Valencia is a private university in Spain founded in 2003, and today it has more than 11,000 students and 1,300 staff. The academic offer for students consists of 84 Bachelor's, Master's and Ph.D. study programmes ranging from experimental, health to social sciences, sports and education. Integrated education, applied at the University, involves professional and personal growth of each student, strong focus on employability and social responsibility.

International collaborations and partnerships cover nearly 60 countries based on around 350 bilateral agreements, more than 10 international networks and associations and several European projects. UCV offers 3 degree programmes and courses in 10 other degree programmes in English, 2 international double degree programmes and is developing a few more international joint Minor's, Master's and Ph.D. programmes. The number of international students makes 6.6 % of total student body, international exchange for studies and internships is about 4 %.

EU-CONEXUS 'European University for Smart Urban Coastal Sustainability', formed by 6 European universities, with 2 more institutions as associated partners, is a transnational European higher education and research institution that covers the smart urban sustainable coastal development from a global point of view.

One of the main goals and activities of the EU-CONEXUS consortium is the development of joint study offers at Bachelor's, Master's and Ph.D. cycle as well as courses for schools, vocational training centres and companies, with a special emphasis on innovative teaching approaches and methodologies, student-centred learning and teaching, digital classroom and virtual exchanges and mobilities.

Join us on this staff training week 'Virtual and Blended Teaching' designed to help teaching staff in the design and delivery of virtual classes. We will listen to the advice from the experts and exchange best practices on the transition from physical to virtual classes, active student engagement and efficient use of online learning environment.

Target audience: teaching staff

Language of the training is English

Registration: please register here before 27 November: [Registration Form](#)

Place: All sessions will take place online. The access links will be sent by email to the registered participants.

Certificates of Attendance will be given to participants who attend all the sessions.

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PROGRAMME

All times given in CET

Monday, 30 November

11.00 – 11.10	EU-CONEXUS joint academic offers for virtual and blended mobility
11.10 – 12.30	From physical to online - the teacher's journey by Willem van Valkenburg, TU Delft
12.30 – 13.00	Break
13.00 – 14.30	Virtual courses: learning outcomes and content development by Colm Dunphy and Peter Windle, Waterford Institute of Technology

Tuesday, 1 December

11.00 – 12.30	Redesign your course for virtual teaching by Emanuel Nestler, University of Rostock
12.30 – 13.00	Break
13.00 – 14.30	Online learning communities, student engagement and supporting technologies by Colm Dunphy and Peter Windle, Waterford Institute of Technology

Wednesday, 2 December

11.00 – 12.30	Tips & Tricks: Student Assessment – experience of the University of Rostock by Silvia Retzlaff and Meike Klettke, University of Rostock
12.30 – 13.00	Break
13.00 – 14.30	A Crash Course in online teaching - by Aarhus University by Anders Hjortskov Larsen, Mathilde Andersen and Tom Gislev Kjærsgaard, Aarhus University
