



SGROUP ANNUAL MEETING 2018

THINK TANK MEETING LIAISON OFFICERS' MEETING GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEETING

*Global Challenges in today's
International Higher Education Sphere*



15 - 19 October 2018

University of Trieste

PROGRAMME

October 15th, 2018

Sala Pietra - Ex Ospedale Militare - Trieste

15.00 - 18.00

Think Tank Academy: China and Latin America
Report on activities and Experts Meeting

October 16th, 2018

Sala Pietra - Ex Ospedale Militare - Trieste

9.00 - 16.00

Think Tank Academy: China and Latin America

16.00 - 18.00 - Business sessions

October 17th, 2018

Liaison's Officers Meeting

Aula Magna - Seminario minore building - University of Trieste - Via Bartolomeo Alviano, 18 - Gorizia

9.30 - 10.00 - Welcome addresses

Maurizio Fermeglia, Rector of the University of Trieste and
Jacek Witkoś, SGroup President

10.00 - 11.30 - Internationalisation at home

Chair - **Arnim Heinemann**

10.00 - 10.30 - SUCTI project

Rebeca Tomás, University of Rovira I Virgili (E)
Joanna Domagala, University of Poznań (PL)

10.30 - 11.00 - How to attract EU Professors

The UVa Experience

Mar Fernandez, University of Valladolid

12.00 - 13.30 - Challenges of digitalisation

Chair - **Valère Meus**

12.00 - 13.00 - Open Source University Alliance,
Erasmus Without Paper and EVOLVE Project

Valère Meus (EWP) and **Robert O'Dowd** (Leon/Evolve)

14.30 - 16.30 - Interactive Group session

Chair - **Alexandra Hughes**, University of Westminster

19.00 - Welcome Dinner

October 18th, 2018

General Assembly Meeting

*Sala Cappella - Ex Ospedale Militare
via Fabio Severo, 40 - Trieste*

9.30 - 10.00 - Welcome addresses: Global Challenges

Renato Gennaro, University of Trieste
Jacek Witkoś, SGroup President

10.00 - 11.00 - Has Formal Higher Education a Future?

Mario Raich, University of Fribourg

11.30 - 12.30 - Global Accreditation as a driving force

Coordinator: **Arnim Heinemann**, University of Bayreuth

11.30 - 12.00 - Business schools as vehicles
of internationalisation context

Patrik Ström, University of Gothenburg

13.30 - 15.00 - 3rd session - Doctoral Education

Coordinator: **Jacek Witkoś**

13.30 - 13.50 - Doctoral Education

Diane Houston, Vice Master at Birbeck, University of London

13.50 - 14.10

Emnet Tadesse Woldegiorgis,

Bayreuth International Graduate School of African Studies

14.10 - 14.30

Ryszard Naskręcki,

Vice-Rector Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan

15.30 - 16.30 - Final Keynote

Cecilia Christersson, Malmö University

19.30 - Gala Dinner

October 19th, 2018

Internal Business Meeting

Aula Gammarata - University of Trieste - Rectorate - Trieste

Coordination: **Jacek Witkoś**, **Mariana Sousa**
and **Renato Gennaro**

9.00 - 12.30 - Reports on activities, Finances and Elections

14.00 - 16.30 - Social program, city tour