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Recognizing Micro-Credentials

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What does recognition mean?

Academic recognition is the recognition of (foreign) qualifications

1) for admission to a study programme offered by an accredited higher education institution.



2) for exemption from parts of a study programme offered by an accredited higher education institution. (max. 50%)

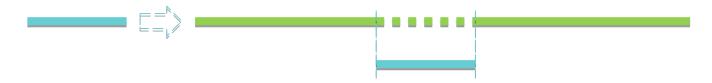




What does recognition mean?

How about the recognition of (foreign) qualifications

*as stand-alone (e-)learning (for Life Long Learning)?



- *where multiple micro-credentials offered by multiple accredited higher education institutions form a coherent study programme?
- -Fixed
- -Flexible











The e-Valuate consortium is composed of representatives from the ENIC-NARIC network: NARIC Denmark, NARIC Lithuania, NARIC Norway, NARIC Ireland UK NARIC and NARIC The Netherlands. Other partners involved are the Vice-President of the Lisbon Recognition Convention Committee, the European Consortium for Accreditation in higher education (ECA) and KIRON. A higher education resonance group has been formed to provide feedback on the position paper, including the following institutions: Delft University of Technology, Kaunas University of Technology, Nottingham Trent University, Smartlearning Denmark, University of Limerick and University of Rostock. The e-Valuate project is co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.

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Practitioner's guide for recognition of e-learning

To be able to make an informed recognition decision within reasonable time limits, the project proposes a procedure based on seven criteria:

- 1. Quality of the course
- 2. Verification of the certificate
- 3. Level of the course
- 4. Learning outcomes
- 5. Workload
- 6. The way study results are tested
- 7. Identification of the participant





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