“The different Engineering Doctorates in Europe”

A workshop organised by EEDC, 4ING and SEFI

16 September 2013 - 12:00-18:00

Hosted by KU Leuven in conjunction with the 2013 SEFI Annual Conference (16-20 September)

Programme

12:00-13:00: Registration of the participants and informal lunch

13:00-13:30: Welcome of the participants: Prof. Kamel Hawwash, SEFI, Prof. Mike Murphy, EEDC, Prof. Manfred Hampe, 4ING and general introduction Prof. Gerhard Müller, EEDC/4ING

13:30-13:45: Invited general presentation – Thomas Jorgensen, EUA Council for Doctoral Education (Chair: Prof. Mike Murphy, EEDC)

13:45-14:00: Questions of the audience

14:00-15:30: Invited presentations on various Doctorates formats (Chair: Prof. K. Hawwash)

1. **Germany**
   By: Prof. Michael Hoffmann, University of Ulm, 4ING

2. **The Netherlands**
   By: Dean Graduate School of the Technical University Eindhoven (TU/e) Prof. Hans Niemantsverdriet

3. **Belgium** (Flemish community)
   By: Prof. Gerard Govers, Director Arenberg Doctoral School, KU Leuven

4. **Denmark**
   By: Dean Aalborg University, Prof. Eskild Nielsen

5. **Turkey**
   By: Dean Kadir Has University, Prof. Sirin Tekinay

General discussion

15:30-16:00: Coffee break
16:00-17:30: Invited presentations on various Doctorates formats (Chair: Prof. M. Hampe)

6. **United Kingdom**
   By: Prof. Clive Neal-Sturgess, Emeritus Professor at the University of Birmingham and Chair of the International Group at the Engineering Professors’ Council

7. **Italy**
   By: Dean University of Florence, Prof. Claudio Borri

8. **France**
   By: Prof. Olivier Bonnaud, University of Rennes

9. **Portugal**
   By: Prof. Joao Rocha, Dean ISEP, Vice-President EEDC

10. **Poland**
    By: Prof. J. Rutkowski, Silesian University

**General discussion**

17:30-18:00: Conclusions and closing: Prof. Manfred Hampe (4ING), Prof. Kamel Hawwash (SEFI), Prof. Mike Murphy (EEDC)

18:15: Reception, Town Hall of Leuven

19:30: Dinner (extra fee)