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REPORT

The EM-ACE event has been integrated into two local events held on Monday, December 15th 2014 in order to:

- associate in a relevant manner the aspects to be promoted by the EM-ACE consortium with current local issues,
- better target interested audience.
- ensure staff and student participation.

Staff session

The staff session was held from 9:30am to 12:30pm.

It consisted in a meeting on integrated degree programmes. The following aspects were addressed:

- the different existing formulas and funding supports for integrated degree programmes: Erasmus Mundus Joint Master degrees, double degree programmes...;
- the support and assistance provided by the international relations office for the set-up of new integrated degree programmes;
- the revision of double degree programmes management procedures and the articulation of such management procedures between academic and administrative staff.

→ *EM-ACE presentation was particularly relevant for raising awareness on Erasmus Mundus Joint Master degrees in order to foster the development of P8 participation in such programmes. Staff who attended the event addressed questions to the EM-ACE representatives e.g the level of study addressed by the Erasmus Mundus programme in the framework of Erasmus+, how much should the partners know each other for the elaboration of successful application...*

Student session

The staff session was followed by the student session, which consisted in a pre-departure session with the participation of Bachelor and Master students leaving for study period abroad during the second semester of the academic year 2014/2015. During this session, the EM-ACE presentation has been held as well as the testimony of an Erasmus Mundus alumni.

→ Students paid particular attention to the EM-ACE presentations and addressed questions to the EM-ACE representatives related to e.g. the opportunities for them to participate in such programmes, the value of the experience/skills to be gained through such a programme, where to find further information on Erasmus Mundus Joint Master degrees.

Overall comment

Paris 8 expresses a positive appreciation of the events with a good participation of staff (20) and students (45). The audience attention was drawn by the EM-ACE representative presentations and the questions asked showed a good level of interest in the topics addressed during both sessions. As a conclusion, both sessions were quite successful.