



10th ENQA TRAINING OF AGENCY REVIEWERS Hosted by the Norwegian Agency for Quality Assurance in Education (NOKUT)

Oslo, 6-7 November 2014

Venue: NOKUT Drammensveien 288 1327 Lysaker, Norway

PROGRAMME

Thursday 6 November 2014 13.30 - 17.45 hrs

Chair: Tove Blytt Holmen

- 13.30 **Welcome and short introduction of NOKUT,** Øystein Lund, Deputy Director General, Department of Quality Assurance, NOKUT
- 13.40 Welcome and introduction of ENQA and this seminar, Helka Kekäläinen
- 13.50 What is an agency review? Helka Kekäläinen
 - Aims and criteria
 - The revised ESG
- 14.20 **The complex issues of reviews** (critical standards of independence and resources, the notion of compliance, characteristics of a balanced review report), *Tove Blytt Holmen*

Discussion

15.20 – 15.35 Coffee Break

Chair: Helka Kekäläinen

15.35 Findings of the KP3 Working Group, Ole Espen Rakkestad, NOKUT

16.15 Experience of reviews

An agency view, *Jon Haakstad, Senior Advisor, NOKUT* The perspective of a student panel member, *Olav Øye* Focus on the role of the secretary, *Teresa Sanchez, CTI*

- 17.15 **Questions & answers session,** *Tove Blytt Holmen*
- 17.45 End of the first day
- 19.30 Dinner at Onda Sea

Friday 7 November 2014, 9.00 – 15.15 hrs

Chair: Helka Kekäläinen

09.00 Introduction to working groups

09.15 Three parallel working groups

Study of a self-evaluation document, in particular standards 3.6 (Independence), 3.7 (External QA criteria and processes) and 3.8 (Accountability)

Groups 1-3 (*Facilitators: Tove Blytt Holmen, Helka Kekäläinen, Olav Øye*) **Case study, focusing on using a self-evaluation report provided to**

- decide on whom to interview during the site visit
- formulate questions to be asked to interviewees
- decide on how to make a judgement on compliance

10.30 – 11.00 Coffee break

11.00 Three parallel working groups

Study of a final review report, in particular standards 3.6 (Independence), 3.7 (External QA criteria and processes) and 3.8 (Accountability)

Groups 1-3 (Facilitators: Tove Blytt Holmen, Helka Kekäläinen, Olav Øye) **Case study, focusing on using the extracts of the review report provided to**

- reflect on the review panel's compliance judgements
- decide how to make recommendations for improvement

12.30 – 13.30 Lunch

Chair: Tove Blytt Holmen

13.30 Conclusions from the working groups and comparison of the results

- 14.00 Questions & answers session
- 15.00 Conclusions
- 15.15 End of the training