

#### Online Learning Agreement 3.0 What's new?



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#### Programme

Update from the European Commission by the Finnish National Agency

Short presentation of the working group

New features of OLA 3.0

Demo of signing an Online Learning Agreement from student and university side

Q&A



## European Student Card Initiative & Online Learning Agreements – a short recap

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## European Student Card Initiative

Digitalising and streamlining student mobility administration

 By developing digital tools and EWP interfaces, the use of which will become gradually mandatory

Rolling out the "European Student Card"





# Step-by-step roadmap to paperless mobility

Call 2021: learning agreements should be made online

 Mandatory to start implementing online learning agreements for students awarded funds under 2021 call

Call 2022: inter-institutional agreements should be made online

• Digital agreements must be ready when call 2022 mobilities start

Call 2023: nominations and transcripts of records should be exchanged online

Timescale dependent upon users confirming the new systems are fit for purpose!



#### Three ways for HEIs to connect

Connect your own IT system

Connect through a third-party provider

Connect through the Erasmus Without Paper Dashboard

Please visit the <u>Erasmus Without Paper Competence Centre</u> for more information



## Online Learning Agreements

HEIs can use the OLA through the Dashboard or any other compatible system connected to the EWP Network

<u>New template ready</u> and technical developments are underway

 Formal publication of new template and guidelines once the call 2021 is out, or even earlier

Transition to the new template by

- Making it available on the EWP Dashboard
- HEIs and service providers connecting their OLAs to the EWP Network

Aim is to have everything ready before the mobilities funded under the call 2021 start



## Kristin Torp Skogedal

Institutional Erasmus Coordinator at University of Bergen

Introduced Online Learning Agreement (OLA) gradually since 2017, now mandatory for incoming and outgoing students

Part of OLA+ and OLA3.0 consortium; testing and feedback

Will use the E+ Dashboard for OLA and IIAM until our SIS is connected to Erasmus Without Paper (EWP)



## Svava Berglind Finsen

Outgoing exchange coordinator for Europe at the University of Iceland

Started using the OLA for outgoing students autumn 2018

• Now used for all outgoing and incoming Erasmus+ students

We use a system run by our National Agency for outgoing and our own for incoming

• Use the OLA Dashboard for all Learning Agreements



### AnneSophie Hokkanen

Specialist at International exchange services at the University of Helsinki. Work both with outbound and inbound students and is the main user of our application system

Uses OLA 2.0 and 3.0 mainly to sign outbound and inbound students LA's when the partner University requires it

We use a third party system for applications and intend to use Learning agreements there through EWP-connection



#### Maria Fredlund

Erasmus coordinator at Mid Sweden University. Works mostly with outbound students and staff.

Uses the Online Learning Agreement (OLA) for outgoing mobility since autumn 2018, and for incoming when the partner requires it.

We currently use the Dashboard, but will implement a commercial system in the spring of 2021 and intend to use OLA there through EWP connection



#### Xavier Lepetit

Erasmus coordinator at the Danish School of Media and Journalism (DMJX, campus Copenhagen)

DMJX is a small institution (2000 students), no third-party provider. Dashboard and OLA 2.0 and 3.0.

OLAs initiated by the students with a Google account.



### What's new in OLA 3.0

Still implementation phase, new features to come

Access to OLA2.0 and OLA3.0

- New students are automatically in 3.0
- Old OLAs are awailable in 2.0

Students can register and log in via EduGAIN or Google

OLAs initiated by students or university (upload csv-file)

Need to be a registered Dashboard user and logged in to sign -> valid signature



#### Q&A

Can more than one administrative person access an Online Learning Agreement (OLA)?

- ➢ How do you suggest changes to the OLA or reject it if you are not the correct person to sign?
- How do you filter/search for students in the system if you have many students?
- EduGain login problems and connecting
- ➢ How do Universities get access to OLA 3.0? How do students get access to OLA 3.0?



### Closing remarks

Digital change is also cultural change

One size fits all!

Look at internal processes and make adjustments?

Building networks both within and outside the institution for implementing

Webinars/workshop to come this spring semester