







# BFUG SECRETARIAT UPDATE

# BFUG BOARD MEETING LXXXV GEORGIA

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### THE SECRETARIAT STAFF COMPOSITION

### **Head of Secretariat**

4 Senior Experts
4 Technical and Institutional Processes Experts
2 Communications Experts
1 IT Expert
1 Logistics Expert
1 Office Manager







### **MEETINGS UP-TO-DATE**

- Coordination meetings with BFUG Chairs.
- Alignment meetings with Incoming BFUG Co-Chairs.
- Meetings with BFUG Working Structure Co-Chairs.
- Meetings with the TF on Enhancing Knowledge Sharing in the EHEA Community and the EU-funded In-Global project team regarding the website refreshing.
- Support in the organization of BFUG, Board and Working Structures and subgroup meetings:
  - Meetings held 103;
  - Doodle polls 4;
  - ■Google Forms 15;
  - ■MoMs finalized 94 (in process: 10)





### SINCE THE BFUG BOARD MEETING

**Expressions of Interest for BFUG working structures** 



Alignment with ES & GA
Co-Chairs and Vice-Chair





Interface with BE & VA
Incoming Co-Chairs





Periodic updates on the EHEA Website

**Organization of meetings** 





## NOTEWORTHY INITIATIVES



- Streamlining the process of meetings archiving.
- Effective collaboration with Co-Chairs of Working Structures for a comprehensive EHEA topic review.

#### **Newsletter Support:**

 Support in the development of a newsletter, in close coordination with the Task Force on Enhancing Knowledge Sharing in the EHEA Community, via facilitating outreach, gathering information, and support in the visual elements.

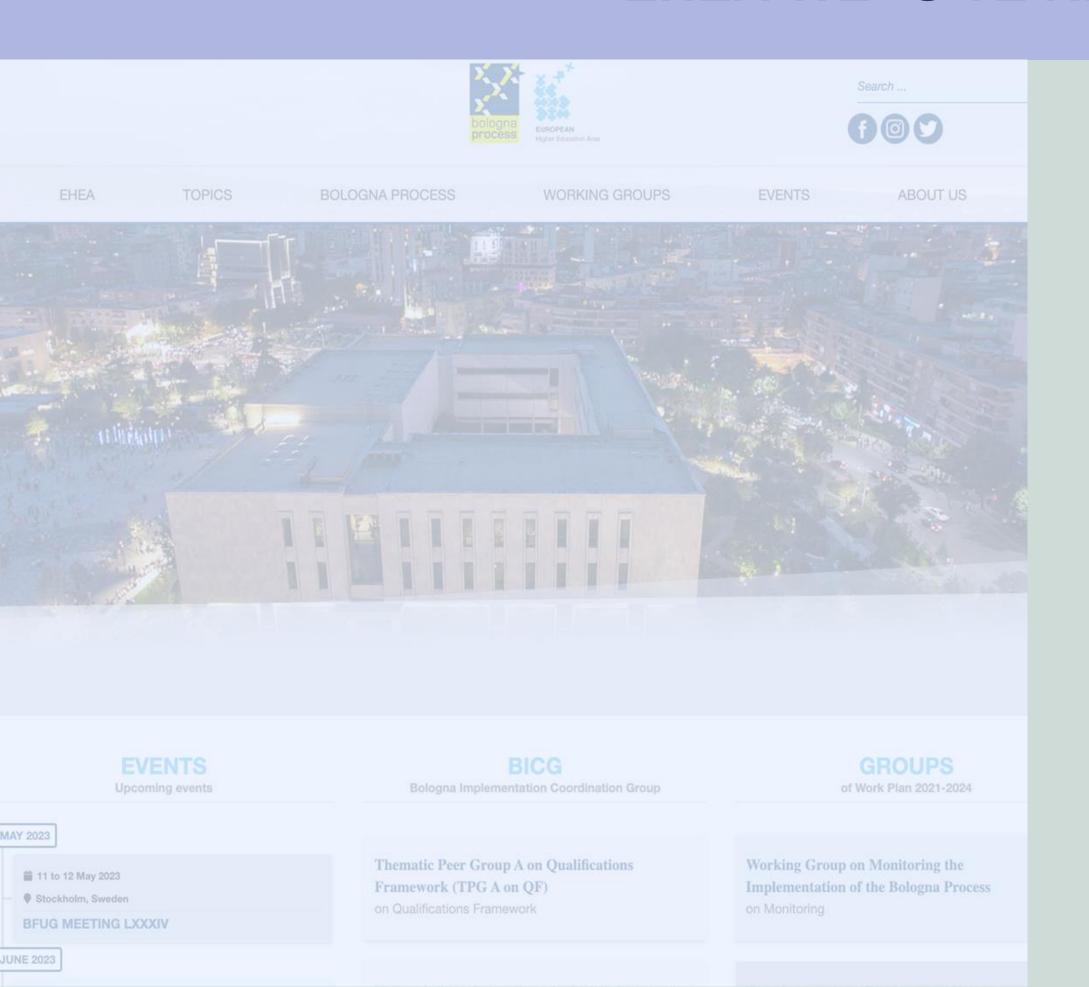
### **Analytical Communiqué Review:**

 An in-depth analysis of all previous communiqués to provide support to the Drafting Committee towards Tirana 2024.



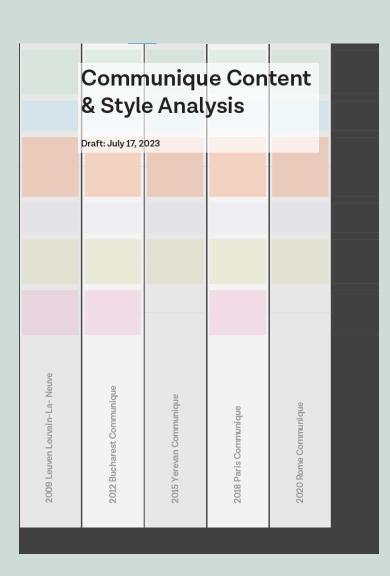


### **EHEA WEBSITE REFRESH**



- Improved BFUG Working Structures visibility;
- Improved website design;
- Optimized website content;
- Ensured mobile responsiveness;
- Restructuring Sections to add Secretariat About Us, News Section, Ministerial.

### **NOTEWORTHY INITIATIVES**



#### **Ideas to Ignite Your Educational Journey**

Welcome to the first edition of the European Higher Education Area newsletter!

As we embark on this exciting journey together, our goal is to provide you with valuable insights, fresh ideas, and resources that will enrich your educational experience cand career path.

In each edition, we'll explore a world of ideas meant to spark your imagination, share success stories, and highlight educational trends and opportunities that are shaping the future. We believe that education is not just about acquiring knowledge; it's about fostering a lifelong love for learning.

Join us as we embark on this educational adventure, and together, we'll uncover the limitless possibilities that come with the pursuit of knowledge. Thank you for being a part of our community, and here's to a future filled with inspiration, growth, and enlightenment!

Let's ignite the journey of learning together!

#### One thing you should know: the Bologna Process



HOME BFUG MEETINGS 1999 - 2024 MINUTES ARCHIVE

### **BFUG Meetings 1999 - 2024 Minutes Archive**

BFUG Meeting:	Date:	Place:	Notes:
BFUG meeting 84	May 11-12, 2023	Stockholm, Sweden	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 82	November 7-8, 2022	Brno, Czech Republic	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 80	April 11-12, 2022	France	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 78	December 1-2, 2021	Slovenia (online)	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 76	April 15-16, 2021	Portugal (online)	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 74	18-Nov-20	Rome, Italy	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 73	September 24-25, 2020	Berlin, Germany	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 71	June 25-26, 2020	Split Croatia (online)	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 69	March 4-5, 2020	Kyiv, Ukraine	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 67	November 12-13, 2019	Helsinki, Finland	Minutes of the Meeting
BFUG meeting 65	April 4-5. 2019	Bucharest. Romania	Minutes of the Meeting





### **MEETINGS ORGANIZED**





	Planned Meetings	Organized meetings	Surplus Meetings
January 2023	2	3	1
February 2023	0	8	8
March 2023	4	10	6
April 2023	4	8	4
May 2023	1	8	7
June 2023	2	5	3
July 2023	0	4	4
August 2023	0	0	0
September 2023	4	8	4
October 2023	1	4	3
November 2023	1	3	2
December 2023	0		0
Total	19	61	42

### **INCOMING SEMESTER**

- Two BFUG Boards and two BFUG Meetings.
- In the April BFUG, WGs will present ToRs for the next period.
- Procedures following the publishing of call for the next BFUG Secretariat and Ministerial (BFUG Meeting LXXXIV)
  - 20-22 February 2024: Secretariat circulates the candidatures to the BFUG members (min. two weeks prior to the next BFUG meeting) EHEA members not attending the next BFUG meeting submit their votes in a sealed envelope to the BFUG Secretariat
  - April 2024 BFUG meeting in Brussels: Finalising the selection procedure for the next host(s) of the next Ministerial
     Conference and BFUG Secretariat. The host(s) will be finally endorsed by the EHEA Ministers responsible for higher education at the 2024 Tirana Ministerial Conference.













# THANK YOU!

