2nd International Symposium on English-medium Instruction

International perspectives on English-medium instruction (EMI): from global to local

University of Rome Tor Vergata & the Centre for Higher Education Internationalisation, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

Friday 25 May 2018

Venue: Faculty of Economics, University of Rome Tor Vergata
Sala del Consiglio - Building B, 2nd floor, via Columbia 2, Rome

MORNING SESSION – Connecting global and local issues in EMI

9.00 Registration

9.15 Welcome

9.30 English-medium instruction (EMI) and English as a lingua franca (ELF) in northern Europe: processes and agents, debates and (different) realities
Beyza Bjorkman, Stockholm University
Discussant: Jagdish Kaur

10.15 Language policy and collaborative student writing: A case study from an international BA programme in Denmark
Janus Mortensen, University of Copenhagen
Discussant: tba

11.00 Coffee break

11.20 “Come guardare un film in bianco e nero”. EMI Stakeholders and research in the Italian context.
Francesca Costa, Università degli Studi di Bergamo

11.45 Local guidelines and best practices for EMI: do they actually exist?
Forum chaired by Hugo Bowles
Amanda Murphy, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore (Milan)
Patrick Leech, Università di Bologna
Virginia Pulcini, Università degli Studi di Torino
Lucilla Lopriore, Università degli Studi Roma Tre
Francesca Santulli, IULM

13.00 Lunch break
AFTERNOON SESSION – Global and local EMI research: methods and perspectives

14.00  Research themes and methods in EMI  
       Jagdish Kaur, University of Malaya  
       Discussant: Beyza Bjorkman

14.45-  PhD research on EMI in European universities  
16.30  Panel chaired by Amanda Murphy

   Connecting language policy and classroom practices in the EMI learning space: towards an integrated approach  
   Emma Quick, University College London Institute of Education

   EMI in Italian HE: zooming in on policy and practice  
   Beatrice Zuaro, Stockholm University

   Narratives of Language of Instruction from a Danish University  
   Kimberly Chopin, Lund University

   Factors and risks of teaching in English in an Italian institution of higher education: a critical analysis of two approaches  
   Léa Senn, University of Bath

16.30  Tea break

17.00-  European research projects on EMI  
18.00  Forum chaired by Chiara Degano, Università di Roma Tor Vergata

   The ARTEMISIA project (Advanced Research for Training: English-Medium Instruction to Support Italian Academia)  
   Silvia Bernardini, Università di Bologna

   The TAEC project (Transnational Alignment of English Competences for University Lecturers)  
   Claudio Bendazzoli, Università degli Studi di Torino

   Discussants: Beyza Bjorkman, Jagdish Kaur and Janus Mortensen

Scientific Committee

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