



## SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2013 – DRAFT PROGRAM

### COURSE LEADERS

**Hans de Wit** Director of CHEI [hans.dewit@unicatt.it](mailto:hans.dewit@unicatt.it)  
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### GUEST PRESENTERS

**Chris Ziguras** RMIT University – Australia [chris.ziguras@rmit.edu.au](mailto:chris.ziguras@rmit.edu.au)  
**Addy Rodriguez** Universidad de Quinta Roo – Mexico [addrodri@uqroo.mx](mailto:addrodri@uqroo.mx)  
**Darla Deardorff** Association of International Education Administrators  
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### Monday 30 September

**9.30 Seminar welcome - Room C211**

Hans de Wit

**9.45 Introduction by participants**

*Please prepare a 3 minute introduction and overview of your research plans (topic, progress etc)*

**10.45 Coffee Break** (International office meeting room)

**11.00 Introduction to the CHEI Doctoral Programme**

Hans de Wit

**11.15 Being a researcher**

Fiona Hunter

**11.30 Q&A** (on the program, research, topics or anything else)

**12.30 Lunch** (university cafeteria)

**14.00 Working in groups on research plans**

Group 1	Fiona	Group 2	Hans
	Juan M		Gabrielle
	Juan C		Jos
	Paula		Allison
	Babette		Jeanine
			Helge
			Felix
			Roberta

Group 1 will meet in the CHEI library, Group 2 in room C211

**16.30 Guest lecture by Addy Rodriguez**

**17.00 End of formal session.** Time for individual meetings or a walk around the neighbourhood

**20.00 Dinner** (Pizzeria Al 29, Corso Magenta 29) – provided by CHEI



### Tuesday 1 October

- 9.30 Guest lecture by **Chris Ziguras – Room C211**
- 10.30 **Coffee break** (International office meeting room)
- 10.45 **Continuation of group session**
- 12.30 **Lunch break** (university cafeteria)
- 14.00 **Research plans, where are we now and where do we go from here**  
Hans and Fiona
- 15.30 **Individual meeting time**
- 17.00 End of formal session. Time for individual meetings or time out.
- 20.00 Dinner (Il Bolognese, Corso Genova 3) – provided by CHEI

### Wednesday 2 October

- 9.30- 17.00 **Workshop on intercultural competence – Via Nerone 15(N1 N112)**  
Darla Deardorff  
(coffee breaks and lunch provided)

### Thursday 3 October

- 9.30- 17.00 **Workshop on intercultural competence – Via Nerone 15 (TBA)**  
Darla Deardorff  
(coffee breaks and lunch provided)

#### *About the facilitators and presenters*

##### **Fiona Hunter**

Dr. Fiona Hunter is a consultant, trainer and researcher in higher education, with a particular focus on strategic change and internationalisation. She is a Research Associate and Member of the Scientific Committee at the Centre for Higher Education Internationalisation at Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Chair of the Board of Directors at Education Credential Evaluators Inc in the United States and has recently been appointed Co-Editor of the Journal of Studies in International Education.



### **Chris Ziguras**

Christopher Ziguras is Deputy Dean, Learning & Teaching, International in the School of Global Studies, Social Science and Planning. In this capacity he oversees educational development and quality assurance for the school's academic programs in one of RMIT's largest schools across a wide range of disciplines, including social science, social work, community services, global studies, justice studies, translating and interpreting, languages, environment and planning. His current role also involves overseeing the School's extensive international activities. His research focuses on international education policy, particularly related to higher education in the Asia Pacific region. In 2011 he was awarded the Vice-Chancellor's Distinguished Teaching Award, in recognition of sustained commitment to excellence in international education, through exemplary teaching practice, academic leadership and research. His full profile and list of publications can be found at [this link](http://www.rmit.com/browse;ID=cichbsxldim;STATUS=A;PAGE_AUTHOR=Christopher%20Ziguras;SECTION=1)

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### **Addy Rodriguez**

Addy Rodríguez Betanzos has been a full time professor since 1995 in the Department of International and Political Studies in Universidad de Quintana Roo. She has a PhD in Education and she has the recognition of the National System of Researchers (CONACYT). Addy has published four books: *El perfil profesional del profesorado universitario*, *La Innovación Educativa en México*, *Políticas Educativas y Universidad*, y *Políticas Educativas en la Sociedad de la Información*.

### **Darla Deardorff**

Darla K. Deardorff is currently executive director of the Association of International Education Administrators, a national professional organization based at Duke University, where she is a Research Scholar in the Program in Education. In addition, she is visiting professor at Leeds-Metropolitan University in the United Kingdom, an adjunct professor at Monterey Institute of International Studies, is on faculty of the prestigious Summer Institute of Intercultural Communication in Portland, Oregon, and on faculty of Harvard University's Future of Learning Institute. Dr. Deardorff has published widely on topics in international education, global leadership and intercultural learning/assessment and is editor of *The SAGE Handbook of Intercultural Competence* (Sage, 2009) as well as co-editor of *The SAGE Handbook of International Higher Education* (Sage, 2012) with Hans de Wit, John Heyl and Tony Adams, *Building Cultural Competence* (Stylus, 2012) with Kate Berardo and co-author of *Beneath the Tip of the Iceberg: Improving English and Understanding US American Cultural Patterns* (University of Michigan Press, 2011). Here full bio is available here:

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