



NEW PARADIGMS #2:

Automatic Recognition in the Networks in 2020 (AR-Net)

Project description

The Yerevan Communiqué from 2015 calls to make Automatic Recognition a reality by 2020. Therefore AR-net wishes to contribute to 'de facto' Automatic Recognition (AR) from four different angles:

- 1 - Experimenting with the implementation of AR in a number of ENIC-NARIC centres, resulting in recommendations;
- 2 - Produce a Policy Paper on the Portability of Recognition Decisions;
- 3 - Update and promote existing recognition tools: EAR-HEI, EAR (e)manuals and STREAM admissions platform;
- 4 – Strengthen the quality assurance of the ENIC-NARIC networks.

Project activities:

- Review outcomes previous projects (ie PARADIGMS and IMPACT);
- Desk research to collect any new developments in AR and examples of portability of recognition decisions;
- Development of Blueprints and reports for the i) Analysis report of the 25 peer reviews, ii) Implementation of AR and iii) Policy paper on portability of recognition decisions;
- Revision of the Standard & Guidelines and the EAR (e-)manual and the EAR-HEI manual/STREAM platform;
- Explore the implementation of Automatic Recognition in two test rounds;
- Enable 6 centres to undertake Peer Reviews;
- Dissemination and Mainstreaming of results.
- Two project meetings.

Target groups

ENIC-NARIC networks and centres, admissions officers, European HE policy makers, students

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