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Activity Plan – SCQ – KAA 2024



Activities related to the re-gaining of full membership in ENQA and registration in EQAR (internationalization and recognition of AKA at the international level)



Increasing Quality in higher education



Enhanced transparency and accountability



Activities with HEIs related to the new/accreditation process, validation, monitoring and post-accreditation procedures

Month	Year 2021	Year 2022	Year 2023	Year 2024	Year 2025
January		Submission to ENQA showing the motivation to become a member of ENQA and part of the EQAR register (December 2021 or no later than January 2022)	Preparations for external assessment by ENQA	Preparation of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
		Training for the implementation of ESG standards and the EHEA context approach			
		Feasibility Plan for E-Accreditation 2.0 Platform for digitizing all processes in KAAA		Preparation for Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
	The Board of the KAA holds its regular meeting				
	The beginning of assigning groups of experts for assessment				
	Review of remaining applications from the December meeting (optional)				
	Acceptance of SERs for applications approved at the December meeting.				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
February		Visit to AQHE in NM			
		Drafting of the Revised Manual of Accreditation Standards	Review of Bachelor and Master standards in cooperation with the Croatian counterpart agency	Implementation of new bachelor and master standards	Implementation of new bachelor and master standards
			Preparations for external assessment by ENQA	Preparation of the KAA self-evaluation report, to undergo evaluation by ENQA.	
		Feasibility Plan for E-Accreditation 2.0 Platform for digitizing all		Preparation for Application of the Accreditation Platform	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0

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		processes in KAAA		2.0	
				Preparation of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
	The Board of the KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Carrying out visits for institutional accreditation				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Visits to counterpart agencies in the region and Europe				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
March		Workshop: Developing the formula for determining the student enrollment quota	Workshop: Development of internal capacities of KAA	Workshop: Development of internal capacities of KAA	Workshop: Development of internal capacities of KAA
		Participation in ENQA Leadership Program 2021-22 – Seminar 3 (2-4 March, Dublin)	Preparation of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	Preparation of the KAA self-evaluation report, to undergo evaluation by ENQA.	Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
		Submission of the SCQ-KAA report to the Assembly of Kosovo	Submission of the SCQ-KAA report to the Assembly of Kosovo	Submission of the SCQ-KAA report to the Assembly of Kosovo	Submission of the SCQ-KAA report to the Assembly of Kosovo
				Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	
				Periodic review of PhD Standards	
				Visit to the Accreditation Agency of Finland, with a focus on gaining experience for regional cooperation	
	The Board of the KAA holds its regular meeting				

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April	Carrying out visits for institutional and program re/accreditation				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
		Workshop - Development of the framework for the division of fields up to the third level	Preparation and approval of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	KAA submits the self- evaluation report to ENQA	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
		Visit to ACQAHE (MNE)	Visiting counterpart agencies in the region or receiving delegations from the region	Visiting counterpart agencies in the region or receiving delegations from the region	Visiting counterpart agencies in the region or receiving delegations from the region
		Feasibility Plan for E- Accreditation 2.0 Platform for digitizing all processes in KAAA	KAA's participation in the annual ENQA Conference in Georgia	KAA's participation in ENQA's annual conference	KAA's participation in ENQA's annual conference
				Periodic review of PhD Standards	Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
	The Board of the KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Realization of visits for re/accreditation of programs				
	Implementation of post-visit procedures				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Organization of visits to counterpart agencies in the region and Europe				
	The board of the KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Review of the reports of international experts by SCQ				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
		Visit to SQAA (Slovenia)	Visit to SQAA (Slovenia)		
		Digitization of the	Preparation and	Periodic review of PhD	Application of the

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May		formula for determining the student registration quota	approval of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	Standards	Accreditation Platform 2.0
					Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
	The board of the KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Realization of visits for re/accreditation of programs				
	Implementation of post-visit procedures				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Review of the reports of international experts by SCQ				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
		Digitization of the framework for the division of fields up to the third level	Preparation and approval of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	Approval of revised PhD Standards	Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
		Approval and entry into operation of the regulation for the licensing of academic titles			Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
June		Visit to AQ Austria	Visit to HEA in BiH		
	The Board of KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Realization of visits for re/accreditation of programs				
	Implementation of post-visit procedures				
	Review of the reports of international experts by SCQ				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				

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July		Finalizing the eAccreditation system and offering its use to internal staff	Preparation and approval of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA	KAA will be evaluated by ENQA	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
		Preparation and internal self-assessment through an external expert for application to ENQA (second training process for the process of external review to assess the compliance with the ESG)		Training for the implementation of revised PhD Standards	Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
	The Board of KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Review of the final evaluation reports and decision-making by SCQ				
	HEIs are invited to pick up the decisions				
	HEI desk monitoring				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
August	KAA reviews the accreditation process and analyzes the results				
	HEI desk monitoring				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
September		The launch of the eAccreditation 2.0 system for everyone		Training for the implementation of revised PhD Standards	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
			1st Conference of SCQ-KAA	2nd Conference of SCQ-KAA	3rd Conference of SCQ-KAA
	The Board of KAA holds its regular meeting				
	HEIs submit reports for fulfillment of the experts' recommendations				
	HEI desk monitoring				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				

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	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
October	Visits to HEIs by SCQ	Initiation of the anti-plagiarism project	Preparation of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA		Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
			Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies	Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies	Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies
			ENQA Progress Visite		
	The KAA Board holds its regular meeting.				
	Submission of the staff list by all HEI members.				
	Submission of applications for new/institutional accreditation.				
	Submission of applications for new/program accreditation.				
	The monitoring process and post-accreditation procedures continue.				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation.				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff.				
	Financial procedures resulting from KAA activities.				
	Accreditation Standards Review Workshop (HERAS+ Project)	Internal workshop related to the activity for the protection of the self-evaluation report - ENQA	Standards Review Workshop		Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
		Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies	Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies	Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies	Participation in the activities of ENQA, EQAR and counterpart agencies
November		AKA participation in the annual conference of the American counterpart agency ATMAE	AKA participation in the annual conference of the American counterpart agency ATMAE	AKA participation in the annual conference of the American counterpart agency ATMAE	AKA participation in the annual conference of the American counterpart agency ATMAE

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			Contracting of the company for the Accreditation Platform 2.0	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
			Preparation of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA		
	The Board of KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Verification of academic staff				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	Procedures in the field of finance as a result of the activities of KAA				
	Presentation of the feasibility study for the digitization of the KAA	Purchase of equipment for digitalization of processes in KAA	Purchase of software for digitalization of processes in AKA	Maintenance and advancement of digitized processes	Maintenance and advancement of digitized processes
	One-day KShC workshop for final inputs to the strategic plan after the closing of the public discussion (December or January)	AKA one-day workshop on the implementation progress of the Strategic plan	KAA one-day workshop on the implementation progress of the Strategic plan	KAA one-day workshop on the implementation progress of the Strategic plan	KAA one-day workshop on the implementation progress of the Strategic plan
December	Finalization of the Feasibility plan for eAccreditation 2.0	Purchase of digitalization equipment (hardware)	Opening of the call for the implementation of eAccreditation 2.0	Implementation and maintenance of E Accreditation	Implementation and maintenance of E Accreditation
	Participation in ENQA Leadership Program 2021-22 (December 1-3, Croatia)	Participation in the activity of ENQA and EQAR	Participation in the activity of ENQA and EQAR	Participation in the activity of ENQA and EQAR	Participation in the activity of ENQA and EQAR
			Contracting of the company for the Accreditation Platform 2.0	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0	Application of the Accreditation Platform 2.0
	Creation of the working team for the preparation of the cover letter and application for ENQA Affiliate (SAR)	Activities related to re-membership in ENQA –	Activities related to re-membership in ENQA –	Activities related to re-membership in ENQA –	Activities related to re-membership in ENQA –
	Submission of the KAA report to MESTI and the Government of Kosovo	Submission of the KAA report to MESTI and the	Submission of the KAA report to MESTI and	Submission of the KAA report to MESTI and	Submission of the KAA report to MESTI and

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		Government of Kosovo	the Government of Kosovo	the Government of Kosovo	the Government of Kosovo
			Preparation of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA		Application of by-laws and regulations in accordance with the new Law on KAA
	The Board of KAA holds its regular meeting				
	Review of HEI applications for re/accreditation				
	Review of the list of experts				
	Providing services to students and graduates related to program accreditation				
	Activities for the recruitment of KAA staff				
	The process of monitoring and post-accreditation procedures follows				