



Project	MINERVA
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WP / Deliverable/ Action	WP2/D2.1/ Act.2.1.- Setting up the National Policy Task Force group
Activity leader (s):	P1-Academy of Economic Studies of Moldova (ASEM)
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In the framework of Erasmus+ project “Strengthening research management and open science capacities of HEIs in Moldova and Armenia – MINERVA”, and according to the decision of MINERVA project`s Strategic Steering Committee the MINERVA grant coordinator issues the following

Act on nomination of National Policy Task Force Group in Moldova

Article 1 Nomination

By this Act there are nominated the members of the MINERVA National Policy Task Force Group (NPTFG) in Moldova.

Article 2 Members

MINERVA project`s Strategic Steering Committee nominates the following persons as members of the NPTFG in Moldova (altogether 12 members), by the project`s partner institutions:

P1- Academy of Economic Studies of Moldova/ASEM:

- Prof. Dr. hab, Grigore BELOSTECINIC (Rector),
- Dr., Corneliu GUTU (Vice-rector on Research and Partnerships)

P2 - State University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Moldova / USMF:

- Prof. Emil CEBAN (Rector)
- Academician Stanislav GROPPA (Vice-rector on Research)

P3 - Technical University of Moldova /UTM/ 1 member:

- Prof. Dr. hab. Viorel BOSTAN (Rector),
- Prof. Dr. hab. Mircea BERNIC (Vice Rector on Research and Doctorate)

P4 - Rectors Council of the Republic of Moldova /RC:

- Dr. Valentina CIUMACENCO (Vice-rector for International Relations, Free International University of Moldova),
- Prof., Dr. Tatiana POTING (Vice-rector, State University "Dimitrie Cantemir")

P5 - Ministry of Education, Culture and Research of the Republic of Moldova /MECRRM/ 4 members:

- Dr. Nadejda VELISCO (Head of Higher Education Policy Department)



- Dr. Aliona ONOFREI (Acting Head of Research and Innovation Policy Department)
- Doina USACI (Main consultant of Higher Education Policy Department)
- Olga DUHLICHER (Main consultant of Research and Innovation Policy Department)

The coordinator of the NPTFG will be Dr. Nadejda VELISCO (Head of Policy Department in Higher Education, P5-MECRRM)

Article 3 Responsibilities

The members of the MINERVA National Policy Task Force Group (NPTFG) shall advance national guidelines, policies, and incentives related to the open science in Moldova during the project's life time.

The members of NPTFG could delegate their representatives from their institutions in the case if they can be involved in the project's activities (events, study visits, etc).

Article 4 Remuneration

The actions realised by the NPTFG's members shall be paid (staff cost, travel and stay cost) through the project's budget or co-financed by the respective project's Partner institution.

Chisinau, 10 March 2021

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