

SEMINAR/WEBINAR ON INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES IN HIGHER EDUCATION: PEER TEACHING & EMI

(Friday 7th June 2024)

REGISTRATION required: <https://forms.office.com/e/fxcaRDn8BU>

VENUE: Aula de Piedra, Sede Institucional ULPGC, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, The Canary Islands, Spain

FORMAT: Hybrid

- Onsite attendance in (places are limited)
- Online attendance

ADDRESSEES:

- ✓ ERUA researchers and teaching staff interested in the internationalisation of university programmes (bilingualism, multilingualism, ELF, EMI, ESP¹)
- ✓ Mentors and mentees participating in the ULPGC project
- ✓ ERUA PhD candidates interested in this field

DESCRIPTION: The seminar on "International Programmes in Higher Education: Peer Teaching & EMI" is designed to provide a scholarly platform for academics and researchers actively engaged in exploring, researching and contributing to the narrative behind peer teaching and English as a Medium of Instruction (EMI) in higher education contexts. Scholars in the field will present their research findings, share methodological insights, and engage in thoughtful discussions to advance our collective understanding of the challenges and opportunities associated with implementing Peer Teaching and EMI. Teaching staff, researchers and PhD candidates attending this seminar/webinar will have the opportunity to contribute to the ongoing academic dialogue and establish collaborations that transcend disciplinary boundaries. Participants will certainly enrich the discourse and contribute to the collective knowledge that shapes the future of internationalisation in higher education.

¹ **ELF** stands for English as a Lingua Franca; **EMI** stands for English as a Medium of Instruction and **ESP** stands for English for Specific Purposes.

PROGRAMME (*Greenwich Mean Time*)

9.00 ULPGC Rector's Welcoming + Opening

9.15 *Empowering minds: The Role of Disciplinary Literacies in English-medium internationalised universities*, Emma Dafouz, Professor of Linguistics, Universidad Complutense de Madrid

10.00 *Putting the focus on EMI classroom interaction*, David Lasagabaster, Professor of Applied Linguistics, Universidad del País Vasco

11.15 Coffee break

11.45 *Towards international programmes at the ULPGC: Peer teaching and EMI*, Soraya García-Sánchez, Director of Language Policy

12.30 *Round Table: Reflections on international and inclusive higher education*
EMI students + EMI teachers + EFL/ELF/ESP teachers

13.30 *Closing by Vicerrector for Undergraduate Degrees, Postgraduate Degrees and New Programmes and Director of Language Policy*

