



LEBPASS NATIONAL SEMINAR

March 9, 2021

PROGRAM

Introduction

12:00 – 12:05 **Moderator:** Ms. Randa Al Chidiac, Executive Director, Grants & Projects Unit
Holy Spirit University of Kaslik (USEK), Lebanon

Opening Remarks

12:05 – 12:10 Fr. Talal Hachem, President
Holy Spirit University of Kaslik (USEK), Lebanon

12:05 – 12:15 Mr. Fadi Yarak, Director General of Higher Education
Ministry of Education and Higher Education, Lebanon

12:15 – 12:20 Ms. Orla Colclough, Program Assistant for Higher Education
Delegation of the European Union to Lebanon

12:20 – 12:25 Mr. Jean-Noël Baleo, Regional Director
AUF Moyen-Orient, Lebanon

Introduction to LEBPASS

12:25 – 12:30 Dr. Rima Mattar, LEBPASS Project Coordinator
Deputy President for International Affairs and Global Initiatives
Holy Spirit University of Kaslik (USEK), Lebanon

EUROPass and the Cypriot Experience

12:30 – 12:50 Dr. Sophia Stavrou, Lecturer in Sociology, Department of Social and Political
Sciences & Ms. Emma Zeniou, Head of Mobility Support Office, International
Relations Service
University of Cyprus (UCY), Cyprus

Accomplishments

Lebanese Diploma Supplement Needs Assessment Survey

12:50 – 1:00 Dr. Diane Nauffal, Faculty in the Department of Education
Assistant to the President for Institutional Research and Assessment
Lebanese American University (LAU), Lebanon

1:00 – 1:10 **General Principles of the Lebanese Diploma Supplement (DS)**
Dr. Sobhi Abou Chanine, Dean of Student Affairs, Beirut Arab University
Member of the Technical Academic Committee
Ministry of Education and Higher Education, Lebanon

1:10 – 1:20 **Q&A Session**

Future Work Packages and Plans

1:20 – 1:25 **Capacity Building, Adaptation and Pilot Implementation**
Mr. Georg Seppmann, Scientific Advisor
Evaluationsagentur Baden-Württemberg (EVALAG), Germany

1:25 – 1:30 **Developing a National Sustainable Structure for Administering DS in Lebanon**
Dr. Abedalmawla Shehabeddine, Secretary of the Equivalence Committee
Ministry of Education and Higher Education, Lebanon

1:30 – 1:35 **Purchase, Customization, and Launching of the LEBPASS Platform**
Mr. Serge Ravet, European and International Projects
Espace Mendès France (EMF), France

1:35 – 1:40 **Q&A Session**

1:40 – 1:50 **Next Steps and Closing**