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THE REFORM OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE ARAB WORLD IN A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE: THE CASE OF THE FACULTIES OF LAW

(LA REFORME DE L'ENSEIGNEMENT SUPERIEUR DANS LE MONDE ARABE DANS UNE PERSPECTIVE COMPARATIVE : LE CAS DES FACULTES DE DROIT)

Webinar on June 15 and 16, 2021 in English and French, through zoom

Organized by **Centre Maurice Hauriou – Paris University** and **The Lebanese Center for Legal and Political Studies – Lebanese University**

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Tuesday June 15, 2021

Presentation

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9.00 – 9.10 **Opening the session and technical information by the organizers**

9.10 – 9.30 **Introduction by Paris University (In French)**

Philippe Didier, Professor, Professor, Dean of the Faculty of Law

Michel Degoffe, Professor, Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law, Vice-Doyen de la Faculté de droit

9.30–10.00 **Introduction by the Lebanese University and Higher Education Council**

Camille Habib, Professor, Dean of the of the Law Faculty in Lebanese University (English)

Ahmad Malli, Professor, Director of the Lebanese Center for Legal and Political Studies (French)

Dina Al Mawla, Professor, Member of the Higher Education Council at the Ministry of Education and Higher Education, President of the Francophonian Universities Conference for Middle East, President of the Islamic University of Lebanon, President of the 75th yearly session Union of Arab Universities (French)

10.00-10.10**Introduction by Malaya University (in English)**

Shakila Yacob, Professor at the University of Malaya, Executive Director of the Institute of Public Policies and Management

10.10 –10.20 **Organization of the webinar**

Fouad Nohra, Associate Professor at Paris University

Topic 1: Higher education reform in a comparative approach

Moderator: Marie Line Karam, Associate Professor at the Lebanese University

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The case of the Arab World

10.30 – 10.50 **The situation and activity of the Lebanese University Law Faculty**

Camille Habib, Professor, Dean of the of the Law Faculty in Lebanese University

11.10 – 11.30 **Key issues and problematics related to Higher Education in the Arab world**

Fouad Nohra, Associate Professor at Paris University

12.00 – 12.20 **La crise de l'enseignement supérieur au Maghreb**

Aissa Kadri, Emeritus Professor at Paris 8 University, Honorary Director of the Maghreb - Europe Laboratory

The case of European universities

14.30 – 14.50 **: La privatisation de la gestion des universités publiques : le paradigme anglais**

Annie Vinokur, Professor at Paris Ouest Nanterre University

15.10 – 15.30 **: Les politiques de l'Union européenne et la réforme de l'enseignement supérieur**

Thierry Rambaud, Professor at Paris University, in Charge of the Preparatory classes for Public administration

Topic 2 : Evaluation of teaching programmes and research in higher education

Moderator : Fouad Nohra, Associate Professor at Paris University

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Evaluation of higher education in Malaysia and Singapore

16.20 – 16.40 **How does evaluation work in a Singaporean university**

Ali Kadri, Senior Fellow Researcher at the National University of Singapore

16.55 – 17.15 **The State and the University: Performance Evaluation In Malaysian Universities**
Shakila Yacob, Professor at Malaya University, Executive Director of the Institute for Public Policies

The French evaluation criteria

17.30 –17.50 **L'évaluation de la recherche dans l'enseignement supérieur français**
Speranta Dumitru, Associate Professor at Paris University

18.10–18.30 **L'HCERES et l'évaluation des universités étrangères : le cas des universités arabes**
François Pernot : University Professor, Director of European and International Department of the French Higher Council for Evaluation of Higher Education and Research

19.00 **End of the First day of conferences**

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Topic 3 : The added value of new programmes and disciplines in a Law Faculty

Moderator : Derek El Zein, Associate Professor at Paris University

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8.45 – 9.00 **L'évolution des programmes de Master dans la faculté de droit de l'Université Libanaise**

Akl Akl, Professor at the Lebanese University, Vice Director of the Lebanese Center for Legal and Political Studies

9.00 – 9.20 **Les masters spécialisés dans l'étude des aires géographiques**

Ahmad Malli, Professor, Director of the Lebanese Center for Legal and Political Studies

9.40 – 10.00 **Les masters en prospective et en stratégie**

Bertrand Lang, Associate Professor at Paris University

10.20 – 10.40 **How new international relations and politics programmes provide a better experience for students**

Matthew Hill, Associate Professor at Liverpool University

11.00 – 11.20 **Interdisciplinary approaches to the study of public policy**
Sharifah Mariam Al-Habshi Senior Research Fellow, INPUMA, University of Malaya

Topic 4 : Research inside faculties and the support from the outside

Moderators : Aissa Kadri, Emeritus Professor at Paris 8 University

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14.00- 14.20 **L'état de la recherche juridique dans les universités françaises**

Michel Degoffe, Professor at Paris University, Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Law

14.40 – 15.00 **The research in strategy : between university and the military institution**

Kamal Hammad, Professor at the Lebanese University, Honorary Dean of the Faculty of Tourism

15.15– 15.35 **L'état de la recherche à la Faculté de Droit de l'Université Libanaise**

Marie Line Karam, Senior Lecturer at the Lebanese University

15.50– 16.10 **Les fondations ivoiriennes, les universités et la recherche : le cas de la Fondation Houphouet Boigny pour la Paix**

Marie Generosa Delesse Schwizenberg Former Minister of Ivory Coast, Member of the Advisory Board of Houphouet Boigny Foundation : the research centers in Ivory Coast

16.25 –16.55 **Research in Economic Science and the role of the international organizations**

Alberto Gabriele, Researcher in Economic science

17.10 –18.00 **Conclusion - The lessons from a comparative approach on higher education**