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**Conference “Quality Assurance in
Higher Education (HE) and Vocational
Education and Training (VET)”**

Draft Programme

University of Graz, Universitätsplatz 3, A-8010 Graz
May 11th – 12th 2006

2006

Arriving day	Wednesdy, May 10th 2006
06:30 pm	<p>Evening reception with award ceremony of the Leonardo da Vinci programme (Quality Award Mobility) and dinner</p> <p><i>Fachhochschule Joanneum Graz/Audimax, Alte Poststraße 149, 8020 Graz</i></p>
Conference	Thursday, May 11th 2006
08:15 am	Registration of the participants
09:00 am – 10:30 am	<p>Day Chair: Friedrich Faulhammer <i>(Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Culture, Director General for Universities, Fachhochschulen)</i></p> <p>Plenary Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Welcome Address Rector Alfred Gutschelhofer <i>(University of Graz)</i> ○ Opening Address Federal Minister Elisabeth Gehrler <i>(requested)</i> <i>(Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Culture)</i> GD Odile Quintin <i>(European Commission, Education and Culture)</i> ○ ENQA-VET Address Fernanda Oliveira-Reis <i>(European Commission)</i> Barbara Kelly <i>(ENQA-VET)</i> ○ ENQA Address N.N. ○ Thematic Introduction, Aims of the Conference & Conference Run Jürgen Horschinegg <i>(Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Culture)</i>
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Coffee break <i>(sponsored by Spar Akademie)</i>
11:00 am - 12:30 pm	<p>Plenum: The Study on Cases of Good Practice in Quality in HE & VET</p> <p>Peter Schlögl <i>(Österreichisches Institut für Berufsbildungsforschung)</i></p> <p>Thomas Mayr <i>(Institute for research on qualifications and training of the Austrian economy)</i></p> <p>Jörg Markowitsch <i>(3s Unternehmensberatung GmbH)</i></p> <p>Dietmar Paier <i>(Zentrum für Bildung und Wirtschaft)</i></p> <p>Lorenz Lassnigg <i>(Institute for Advanced Studies)</i></p> <p>Hans Pechar <i>(Fakultät für Interdisziplinäre Forschung und Fortbildung)</i></p> <p>Kim Faurschou <i>(ENQA-VET)</i></p> <p>Guy Haug <i>(European Commission)</i></p>

12:30 pm – 02:00 pm

Buffet (*College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz*)

02:00 pm – 05:30 pm

8 Parallel Workshops

(*individual coffee break 03:00 – 04:00 pm,
College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz*)

07:30 pm

Evening reception and dinner

*Old University Graz/Assembly Hall
Hofgasse 9, 8010 Graz*

Conference

Friday, 12th May 2006

09:00 am – 10:30 am

Day Chair: Theodor Siegl
(*Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Culture
Director General for VET*)

Plenary Session

- **8 short reports of the Workshop Rapporteurs**

10:30 am – 11:00 am

Coffee break (*College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz*)

11:00 am – 01:00 pm

Plenary Session

- **Plenary Discussion**

Chair: Vice Rector Roberta Maierhofer (*University of Graz*)

Panel: 8 Workshop-Chairs

Fernanda Oliveira-Reis (*European Commission*)

Barbara Kelly (ENQA-VET)

N.N.

Director David Coyne (*European Commission, Directorate A:
Lifelong Learning: Education and Training
policies*)

- **Conclusion**

HE: Helmut Konrad (*University of Graz*)

VET: Aviana Bulgarelli (*CEDEFOP*)

- **Closing Words**

Director David Coyne (*European Commission, Directorate A:
Lifelong Learning: Education and Training
policies*)

01:00 pm – 02:30 pm

Buffet (*College for Occupations in the Service Industries Graz*)

End of the conference