

Working Group Meeting “Arab & German Education”

22 – 25 November 2016, Tunis, Tunisia

Final Program

22 November 2016: (Hotel)

MAJESTIC HOTEL - 36, Avenue de Paris - 1000 - Tunis

Arrival

17:00 Working Group Meeting (AGYA Members)

Welcome & presentation of completed and currently running projects of the AGYA Working Group in 2016, Discussion of possible and planned projects for 2017

19:00 Dinner

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23 November 2016: (Beit al-Hikma)

09:00-09:30 Registration

09:30-09:50 Keynote Address by Prof. Dr. Abdelmajid Charfi, President of the Beit al-Hikma

**09:50-10:10 Presentation of AGYA & Presentation of the AGYA Regional Office
By Dr. Anis Ben Amor and Eng. Zied Kbaier**

10:10-10:30 Coffee Break
(20 minutes)

10:30-12:00 Panel Discussion on Women in STEM

AGYA member Dr. Olfa Khelifi, Higher Institute of Applied Biological Sciences Department of Environmental Protection, University of Tunis El Manar

Dr. Souad Kamoun Chouk, Director of Sciences' Department at Beit al-Hikma (Tunisian Academy of Sciences, Letters and Arts)

Other Panelists from Beit al-Hikma

12:15-13:15 Lunch

13:30-15:00 Implementation of the Protection of Cultural Heritage in the School Curriculum through Experiencing Culture: Visit of Carthage ruins

Guided Tour by Dr. Samir Guizani, University of Tunis El Manar, Archaeology, Faculty Member
Dr. Mohamed Ghodbane, University of Tunis El Manar, Langues et Civilisations Anciennes

Transfer to Startup Haus Tunis (30 Minutes)

15:30-17:30 Visit of Start-up Haus Tunis

19:30-20:30 Dinner Together with High-ranking Experts on Education From Tunisia and Other Countries

20:30-22:00 Cultural Program Organized by AGYA Member Anis Ben Amor at Dar Ejeld

Meeting with the Tunisian Documentary Filmmaker Hichem Ben Ammar

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24 November 2016: (University of Tunis El Manar)

09:00-09:30 Registration

09:30-09:50 Opening Remarks by Representative of the University of Tunis El Manar

**09:50-10:10 Presentation of AGYA & Presentation of the AGYA Regional Office
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10:10-10:30 Coffee break
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10:30-12:00 Discussion Round on the Education-Reform Dialogue (Progress) in Tunisia

Representative of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research (MHESR), Tunis, Tunisia
Ms Ines Amri, Maghreb Economic Forum, Jobs for Tunisia

12:15-14:00 Lunch

24 November 2016: (Beit al-Hikma)

14:30-15:30 The Education-reform Dialogue in Tunisia After the Uprisings

Prof. Najla Romdhane, Director-General, Representative of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Head of the Unit to support the Higher Education Reform Project (TBC)
Ms Fatma M'Selmi, Founder of Laur'us Consulting

Open discussion with the Audience

15:30-15:45 Coffee Break

15:45-16:30 Concluding Remarks (Suggestions, Possible Next Moves, Identification of Issues that Arose)

16:30-18:30 Working Group Meeting (Only for AGYA Members)

19:30-21:00 Dinner

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25 November 2016

09:00 Visit to Bardo National Museum: Experiencing a Common History (Optional)

12:15-13:45 Lunch

(University of Tunis El Manar, Department of Applied Languages)

14:00-19:00 Writing Workshop

Prof. Dr. Moez Ben Messaoud, L'Institut de Presse et des Sciences de l'Information (IPSI), Director of the Study Program

AGYA member Anis Ben Amor, Department of Applied Languages, Higher Institute of Humanities, University of Tunis El Manar

19:30-21:30 Dinner