



Advance Inclusion for Students with Disabilities on Higher Education in Rwanda

ANSWER project Dissemination Event

8 June 2023

Grand Legacy Hotel

Kigali, Rwanda

AGENDA



Objectives

- To present the **ANSWER project** "Advance Inclusion for Students with Disabilities on Higher Education in Rwanda", expected results and consortium.
- To promote **active collaboration** and **networking** between policymakers, education personnel, NGOs, private sector and relevant stakeholders.
- To **engage relevant stakeholders** to participate in the multi-stakeholder working groups to be created in the framework of the ANSWER project.
- To foster a **discussion on current status on inclusion at Higher Education in Rwanda** and recommendations via the implementation of a Round Table.

Target group

- Higher Education Institutions management staff
- Higher Education policy makers
- Higher Education administrative and academic staff
- Disability NGOs
- Students with/without disability
- Local community leaders
- Private sector representatives
- Any person interested in the topic

ANSWER Dissemination Event agenda

Thursday, 8 th June 2023		
Venue: Grand Legacy Hotel		
FROM	TO	CONTENT
08:00		Registration of participants
09:00	09:30	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. KAYIHURA Muganga Didas, Vice-Chancellor, University of Rwanda • Ms. Noelia López, Senior Project Manager, University of Alicante
09:30	10:00	Presentation of the ANSWER project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Noelia López, Senior Project Manager, University of Alicante
10:00	10:15	Group photo
10:15	10:30	COFFEE BREAK
10:30	11:00	University of Alicante Student Support Centre Mr. Tomás Ordoñez, Psychological Counselling and Student Support Technician, University of Alicante
11:00	11:30	University of Macedonia Accessibility Unit A model of peer-to-peer support: a good practice of the Accessibility Unit Eleni Kyriakidou, Ph D candidate, Researcher, Accessibility Unit Staff, University of Macedonia
11:30	12:00	Enhancing inclusive learning and teaching in Rwandan Higher Learning Institutions Dr. Gonzague Habinshuti, Lecturer and Postgraduate Coordinator, College of Education, University of Rwanda
12:00	12:30	Why are students with disabilities so invisible in STEM education? Dr Silas NSANZUMUHIRE, Director of Quality Assurance, INES-Ruhengeri
12:30	13:00	Collaboration among Stakeholders in Promoting Inclusion in Higher Learning Institutions Prof. KABERA Callixte, Vice-Chancellor, East African University
13:00	14:00	LUNCH BREAK

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14:00	16:00	<p>Round Table “Inclusive learning and teaching: challenges and way forward”</p> <p>Moderator: Lefkothea Kartasidou, Professor of Special Education, Department of Educational and Social Policy, University of Macedonia</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Gonzague Habinshuti, University of Rwanda • Mary Kobusingye, Ministry of Education, Rwanda • Oswald TUYIZERE, Program Coordinator, National Council of People with disability, Rwanda • Bahati Satir Omar, UWEZO Youth Empowerment • Dr Silas NSANZUMUHIRE, Director of Quality Assurance, INES-Ruhengeri • Ms. Esther Gallego, Disability and employment technician, University of Alicante
16:00	16:30	<p>Closure</p> <p>Dr. KAYIHURA Muganga Didas, Vice-Chancellor, University of Rwanda</p>
16:30		FAREWELL TEA
End of the day		