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## Welcome to the UK ENIC newsletter

A round-up of the latest news, updates, training and events from the team at UK ENIC.

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### Highlights from ENIC NORTH 2025



**It has been a month since ENIC NORTH 2025 – our one-day conference in Glasgow.**

Held at the University of Strathclyde, Technology and Innovation Centre, our overall theme was: 'Innovation and the human connection: harmonising the future of education'.

The aim of the event was to explore the relationship between technological innovations and the impact these have on personal experiences.

We wanted to move the conversation beyond the fear of the unknown, exploring how technology can help, and remembering the human experience that is at the heart of what we do.

ENIC NORTH 2025 was in association with [Password English Language Testing](#), supported by [Qualification Check](#), [Gecko](#), [Oxford International Digital Institute](#), [British Council IELTS](#), [Dialexy](#), [AfaraEd](#) and [Tribal Group](#).

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## UKENIC25: Save the date



**Following our popular ENIC NORTH 2025 event in Scotland, we are pleased to announce that our UK ENIC annual conference will return to London later this year.**

UKENIC25 will be held on Monday 1 and Tuesday 2 December 2025 at the Queen Elizabeth II Centre, in the heart of Westminster.

After 25 years, the UK ENIC conference continues to be the biggest education and skills event in the UK.

Over 300 delegates from the international education sector attend each year including higher and further education admissions, management, marketing, recruitment, registry and compliance.

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## The French Bachelor: A new kid on the block



**UK ENIC Research Manager Emma Kirby explores the French BUT, a new degree first awarded in 2024...**

For as long as I can remember, the word Licence has been synonymous with 'undergraduate degree' in France.

Bachelor degrees were also offered – and could be granted equivalence to the Licence through a so-called visa. But a Bachelor degree was not, in and of itself, a French degree.

Except these days it is. At least it is if the award in question is a Bachelor universitaire de technologie (or BUT for short).

First awarded in 2024, the BUT is now a national diploma aligned to the same level as the Licence on the French qualifications framework. As such, UK ENIC compares the French BUT to [UK Bachelor \(Honours\)](#) [login is required for this link].

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## Upcoming UK ENIC training sessions this July in London



**Booking is open for the next UK ENIC face-to-face training days, taking place on Tuesday 1st and Wednesday 2nd July at 55 Broadway, London (UK).**

On Tuesday 1st July, our full-day training session, '[An Introduction to International Admissions](#)', will provide a concentrated and thorough introduction to the education system and qualifications of key countries.

It will explore some of the challenges associated with typical qualifications to support understanding of best practice in international student admissions. In addition, delegates will understand how to develop a systematic approach to the evaluation of overseas qualifications, identifying the most able students, and making an offer.

Then on Wednesday 2nd July, we have two country-specific half-day sessions. In the morning, the spotlight will be on [India and Pakistan](#). In the afternoon, we will focus on [Malaysia, the Philippines and Nepal](#).

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## Follow us for social media updates

The monthly UK ENIC newsletter aims to provide you with relevant and useful news, updates and announcements.

As it is issued at the end of each month, there are inevitably times when some information included here has already been provided to followers of our social media channels.

As a reminder, here are the main UK ENIC social media channels which offer followers useful updates: [UK ENIC X \(Twitter\)](#) and [UK ENIC Facebook](#).

We have also just launched our new [UK ENIC Linked In](#) channel - feel free to follow for updates.

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