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Welcome to the March 2015 edition of NARIC News.



Global recognition of qualifications: UK NARIC makes major impact

2015 sees UK NARIC making important contributions worldwide to the recognition of qualifications. In January, February and March, UK NARIC activity spanned across Russia, Hong Kong and Mexico.

An in-depth analysis of recognition in global mobility, and the current state of play in Europe, was delivered by our CEO, Dr Cloud Bai-Yun, on 10 March in Moscow.

Dr Bai-Yun was speaking at the invitation of the Council of Europe at the round table event, Structural Reforms in the European Higher Education Area, jointly organised by the CoE and the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation.

The structural reform agenda is of vital importance in Russia in taking the education and training system forward.

The Moscow speech follows the signing of a Memorandum of Cooperation between UK NARIC and the Hong Kong Council for Accreditation of Academic and Vocational Qualifications. (Pictured below: Dr Cloud Bai-Yun in Hong Kong signing the MoC with Professor William Lee, Executive Director of HKCAAVQ) ([more...](#))



Next One Day Seminars are on Tier 4 Compliance: London, Sutton Coldfield

Book now for our [27 March London](#) or [28 April Birmingham \(Sutton Coldfield\)](#) One Day Seminar events on Tier 4 compliance.

Leading experts on compliance and visa issues speaking at our London event include Lee Bartlett of Fragomen Worldwide immigration solicitors (formerly Home Office and UK Border Agency) and Peter Skillen who leads compliance at INTO Group. ([more...](#))

Training Schedule (and after-hours jazz)

Full training and events calendar for 2015 now available, including the One Day Seminar event Combating Fraud in International Education in Birmingham (Sutton Coldfield) on 29 April, and half day specialist Countries and Regions workshops in Cheltenham on 29 and 30 April - to coincide with the [Cheltenham Jazz Festival](#) (pictured below: [Martha Reeves](#)), so you can make the most of your free time. ([more...](#))

First Emerging Markets seminar a success: a second now planned

UK NARIC's global links mean that we can be an important facilitator for your internationalisation strategies.

Delegates to our first One Day Seminar event on Emerging International Markets in London on 13 March benefited from the latest UK NARIC intelligence and analysis, plus an array of expert speakers. (Pictured below left: Janet Ilieva of HEFCE, and below right: John Mountford of the Association of Colleges.) ([more...](#))



eTraining now live and online

UK NARIC's new eTraining programme is now live and online. eTraining offers you rapid and efficient training on core topics that can be completed online at your desk or PC in 1 hour. Training anytime, anywhere. ([more...](#))

Internationalising HE

UK NARIC members are entitled to a special discounted delegate rate at the Internationalising ([more...](#))

Bulgaria, Romania: rising trend in enquiries

UK NARIC's individual enquiry statistics show a rising trend of qualification comparison applications from Bulgaria and Romania in the last quarter of 2014.

Bulgarian and Romanian applicants are well qualified ([more...](#))

New 'Hub' gateway page to databases for members

The new International Qualifications Hub page, the new gateway page to the UK NARIC International Qualifications information bases for subscriber members, is now live.

Subscriber members will see the new Hub when they log in ([more...](#))

50 qualifications reviewed in latest database update

50 qualifications from 24 countries have been reviewed during February as part of the UK NARIC research team's ongoing review programme.

This will result in a change in the level of comparability of 20 qualifications ([more...](#))

Consultant Opportunities

Have expertise in education? UK NARIC regularly has opportunities for experienced consultants to provide input to our project work. ([more...](#))

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