REFUGEES ON BOARD

PROVIDING SUPPORT AND ACCOMPANIMENT TO REFUGEE STUDENTS AT UNIVERSITIES

The contribution of higher education to personal and social development is unquestionable. However, there are different barriers that limit the onboarding and support of refugee students at universities, which are exacerbated in certain situations and contexts.

Through this event, we would like to invite you to get closer to this complex reality, especially in situations such as the conflict in Ukraine and when students present "special needs". You will learn about concrete and inspiring experiences where higher education is a real opportunity for young refugees.

Join us to trigger a collective rewarding encounter.
An opportunity to explore. To challenge. To transform.

REGISTRATION

February 2023

21st Tuesday

FROM ONBOARDING TO SUCCESSFUL STUDIES: OFFERING PROFESSIONAL GUIDANCE FOR STUDENTS WITH A REFUGEE BACKGROUND

9:30-9:40 — **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**

9:40-10:10 — **ACADEMIC ADVISING: INTEGRATION OF REFUGEES INTO THE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM**

Katharina Kube (TUB)

10:10-10:40 — **SPECIAL NEEDS IN ADVISING: PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELLING FOR STUDENTS WITH A REFUGEE BACKGROUND**

Flora Petak and Robert Peters (TUB)

10:40-11:10 — **SPECIAL NEEDS IN LEARNING AND TEACHING: SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AND CHRONIC ILLNESSES**

Susann Henning (TUB)

11:10-11:30 — **DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSION**

Event coordinators: Katharina Kube & Susana Guerrero

28th Tuesday

EXPERIENCES AT EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES FACING THE CONFLICT IN UKRAINE

9:30-9:35 — **WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**

9:35-10:10 — **TREFUGEES FROM UKRAINE AND ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION**

Dania Moschella (UNHCR)

10:10-10:50 — **ROUNDTABLE: EXPERIENCES OF ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF IN ONBOARDING AND SUPPORT OF UKRAINIAN STUDENTS**

Moderator: Katharina Kube (TUB)

Sandra Gómez (UPM)
Katarina Jonsson Berglund (KTH)
Juliane Mertsching (TUB)

10:50-11:30 — **ROUNDTABLE: EXPERIENCES IN ONBOARDING AND SUPPORT FROM THE POINT OF VIEW OF UKRAINIAN STUDENTS**

Moderator: Kajsa Hallberg Adu (KTH)

Davyd Ambartsumian (UPM)
Ivanna Bura (TUB)
Bozhena Vitiuk (UB)

11:30 — **CLOSING**