



Welcome to the March 2016 edition of NARIC News

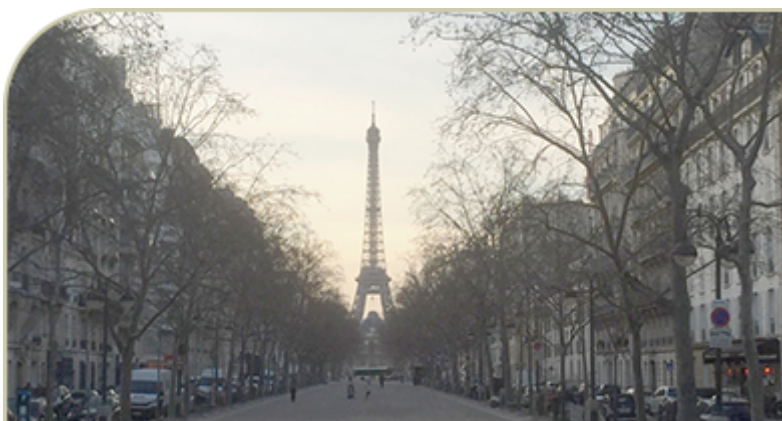


Certified training for immigration adviser status is launched

Wednesday 9 March saw the launch in London of UK NARIC certified training for immigration adviser status – approved by OISC (the Office of the Immigration Services Commissioner) and officially CPD-accredited. Further OISC training events are planned for [May](#) and [September](#).

This new training initiative has developed from our established and very popular [Tier 4 Compliance training](#) for universities and colleges, and takes our training in immigration rules and processes to a more advanced level.

For education institutions wishing to have at least one or a small number of admissions, compliance or international staff OISC trained and certified, our new Immigration Adviser Seminar Event represents an excellent opportunity, with training firmly focused on the education context. ([more...](#))



UK NARIC and NOKUT to develop common European process for refugees

NOKUT (Norwegian NARIC) and UK NARIC, with partner NARIC agencies have been awarded Erasmus+ funding to develop a common European recognition toolkit to handle applications from refugees and displaced persons.

Focusing on further education: funds for international activity

A number of FE colleges have asked us to devise and run events with a particular focus on the challenges facing further education. In response, UK NARIC is offering a One Day Seminar Event in central London on 6 April: [International Opportunities in FE](#).

In these straitened times, there are still funding opportunities for European and international activities and projects, for those ([more...](#))

Do you need support for growing Europe / Middle East admissions?

Our forthcoming workshops on [education systems in Europe](#) and [education in the Middle East](#) are fully booked and we know there is growing interest in these regions, reflecting new recruitment priorities.

Do you need training workshops or tailored training or support covering qualifications and education in these regions? Or updates for your admissions teams?

If so, email ([more...](#))

Internationalisation events and free advice webinars

Visit www.events.ukti.gov.uk for details of a wide range of

UK NARIC also attended in Paris a UNESCO-hosted conference (Paris at dusk is pictured above) on the current refugee challenge, at which a common European approach to missing documentation and refugee skills assessment was discussed. European ENIC-NARIC agencies, higher education institutions and UN organisations all were represented.

UK NARIC is a key partner in the new project to develop a recognition toolkit, with the project being led by our Norwegian counterpart agency NOKUT and the partnership also including the Dutch NUFFIC, the Italian recognition agency CIMEA, the French CIEP and the Armenian ArmENIC. ([more...](#))

internationalisation and export events and free advice webinars, some of which are specific to the education sector.

Relevant topics in March include overseas campus case study webinars; and a webinar session on MOOCs developments in France

In-country activities ([more...](#))



Europass supports national career guidance shows

Europass, the common European CV system and skills passport, and UK NARIC attended the National Career Guidance Show in London, and also exhibited at the [Northern show](#) on 9 March.

The events target careers advisers and those involved in careers education and feature seminars and talks alongside the all-day show.

The 9 March event ([more...](#))



UKNARIC2016 will be: 21/22 November, Victoria, London

The dates and venue for the 2016 UK NARIC Conference are confirmed.

UKNARIC2016 will be on 21 & 22 November and we are returning to our very successful 2015 venue, the [Victoria Park Plaza](#) in London.

We are delighted to be able to return to the Park Plaza as 2015 delegate feedback about the venue (and the food!) was excellent. ([more...](#))



Australasia training, September: help shape programme

Following a very successful 2015 training programme in Australia, Malaysia and New Zealand, we are returning to Australasia in September for a new 2016 training series.

The programme is still in development so you have an opportunity this month to shape it. If you are interested in attending or if you have specific topics you want covered, email events@naric.org.uk ([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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