

The Online Learning Agreement

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Learning Agreement

a key Erasmus+ document

1. Signed x3, guarantees ECTS recognition
2. Before and during mobility (and possibly after)
 1. Mandatory and unavoidable

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1. 25% of LAs are not signed before departure
2. 71% of students make changes to LA while abroad
 1. Such changes are major risk factor for non-recognition of courses upon return

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perceived workload

1. 90% of IROs consider E+ administrative workload “high or very high”
2. LA considered the most important step/document to be digitised

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going digital



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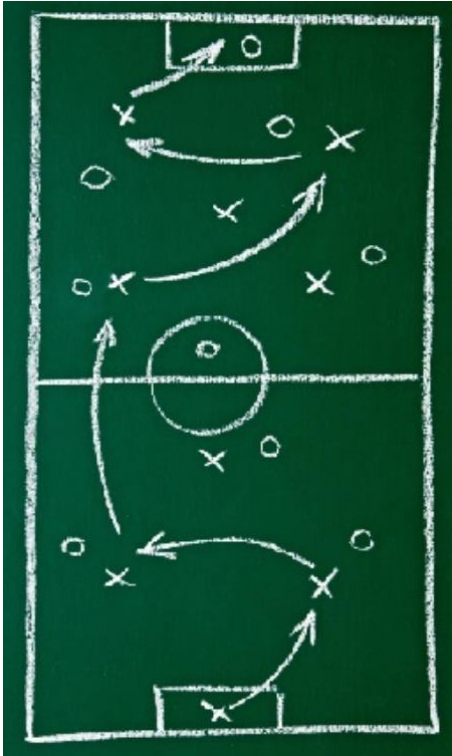


Immediate deployment

Student centred

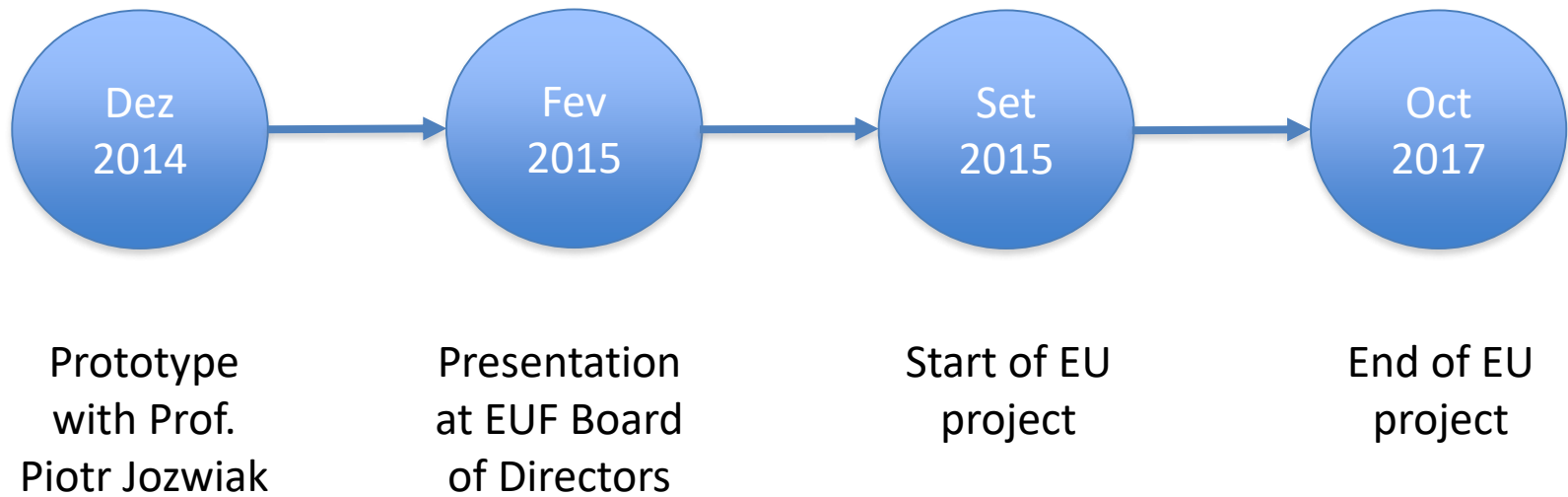
Cloud based

OLA goals and envisaged impact



1. Improve quality of mobility experience (students)
2. Improve the nature of the work carried out by IROs (HEIs)
3. Decrease cost of that work (HEIs/gov)
4. Increase participation in exchange programmes (Europe)

Timeline



Online Learning Agreement

defining characteristics

the **Online Learning Agreement (OLA)** is

- simple
- open source
- free of charge



Demo time!



OLA impact / results

- 1000+ students tested(ing) the beta tool
 - evaluation to be carried out this Spring
 - first signs are very encouraging
- 150+ HEIs subscribed the platform
 - interesting community of mobility experts

OLA findings

IRO perspective

- Had not anticipated such strong demand for a university backend
- Beta launched at EAIE
 - upload of nominations
 - overall management of LAs

OLA and EWP at EAIE



OLA 2019

goals and aim

- Integration with:
 - Erasmus+ App
 - EWP Hub
 - course catalogues
- New functionality
 - upload of nominations
 - multiuser support

OLA - last words

- Testing is still underway
 - working closely with several NAs
- Do consider joining us
 - the tool is free, simple and online
 - and will remain online after 2017
- Also in 2 weeks time!
 - Marking the 1000th test user and new GUI

OLA project partners



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