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BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA

HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM



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BiH HE STRUCTURE



General Overview of HE Reforms in Bosnia and Herzegovina

- BiH ratified the Lisbon Recognition Convention and joined the Bologna Process in 2003
- Framework Law on Higher Education in BiH was adopted in August 2007

HE Three-Tier system

- Bachelor programmes – 180/240 ECTS
- Master programmes – 60/120 ECTS
- PhD programmes – 180 ECTS

Framework Law on HE established institutions:

- Conference of Education Ministers in Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Agency for Development of Higher Education and Quality Assurance <http://www.heg.gov.ba>
- Centre for Information and Recognition of Qualifications in Higher Education (NARIC) <http://cip.gov.ba>
- Rector's Conference in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Stakeholders

Responsible Ministries

Conference of Education Ministers in BiH

Universities (Public and Private) www.heg.gov.ba

Rector's Conference

Trade Union

Student Associations in Bosnia and

Herzegovina

Team of the Bologna Promoters

BFUG members, EQAR membership

Strategic documents

- Towards the Bologna Process: 7 Key Strategies and Guidelines to implement the Bologna Process (<http://www.coe.ba>):
 - The framework for higher education qualifications in BiH
 - Recommendations for implementation of higher education qualifications in BiH
 - Standards and guidelines for quality assurance in higher education in BiH
 - Recommendations for implementation of quality assurance in BiH
 - National Action Plan for recognition in BiH
 - Users' manual diploma supplement model for BiH
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- Baseline of Qualification Framework in Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Priorities for Higher Education Development in BiH for the period 2016. – 2026.

PROJECTS/BEST PRACTISES

- ERASMUS +
- Instrument for Pre-accession Assistance (IPA)
- Agreement on Central European Exchange Programmes for University Studies
CEEPUS III

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