



LEAD2 MOOC Online Workshop
University Governance and Academic Leadership in times of Global Uncertainty

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Time: 12 January 2021, 10:00-11:30 (GMT+1)

1. Welcoming Session

- **Opening Address and Introduction of the Workshop**

Moderator: Dr Aysun CALISKAN

- **Welcome Address and a brief Introduction of LEAD2 Project & LEAD2 MOOC**

Prof. Dr Chang ZHU

2. Session 1: University Governance in a Time of Pandemic

- **Keynote Speech: *University Governance in a Time of Pandemic: the case of pedagogical continuity at Université Alassane Ouattara in Côte d'Ivoire***

Speaker: Saman Ange-Michel GOUGOU, Université Alassane Ouattara (Côte d'Ivoire)

Q&A

- **Mentimeter interactive Poll**

Moderator: Zhengwen QI

- **Structured Discussion**

Moderator: David CASTRO GARCIA

- *What are the challenges facing universities and higher education institutions against the backdrop of the global pandemic?*
- *What is the work that academic leaders, teachers and administrators need to do differently from before?*
- *What are the continuous effects and impacts on the future way of working and governance of the university and higher education institutions?*

- **Panel Conclusion by Panel Moderator**

3. Session 2: Academic Leadership in a Pandemic Age

- **Keynote Speech: *How to convert Covid Pandemic into an "Endemic" opportunity in a university setting***

Speaker: Ibrahim YORGUN, Middle East Technical University (Turkey).

Q&A

- **Mentimeter interactive Poll**

Moderator: Zhengwen QI

- **Structured Discussion**

Moderator: Jean Claude CAGAS

- *Could you please share one example of effective leadership in the time of COVID-19?*
- *What are the practical strategies to lead a team in the pandemic situation?*
- *Are there any perceived added values when learning MOOC on leadership development in the age of pandemic?*

- **Panel Conclusion by Panel Moderator**

4. Feedback and Poll

5. Closing Session



KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

Saman Ange-Michel GOUGOU



Michel GOUGOU is currently a PhD student at the Faculty of Languages and Communication Sciences at Université Alassane Ouattara (Côte d'Ivoire).

His research mainly focuses on the transformation of digital communication strategies and social capital within social media. He is conducting qualitative research using virtual ethnography methods to make social network analysis.

He is curious about interdisciplinary collaborative work and leadership as well. Hence, he has finished both MOOCs on *University governance and academic leadership* and *Leadership Development for Young Academic Leaders*.

Ibrahim YORGUN



Dr. Ibrahim YORGUN has been working as the Director of International Cooperations Office at Middle East Technical University. Mr. Yorgun holds a Ph.D. from the History Department with a thesis about the American influence on the sociocultural life of Turkey during the 50s that received the best PhD thesis of the year award. Dr. Yorgun has a M.Sc. in European Studies, B.A in Foreign Language Education fields and certificate from the University of Sussex, Hastings, UK respectively. Dr. Yorgun has published a book on US influence on Turks' life and has several academic journals and presentations concerning Turco-American relations including education and philanthropy. Ibrahim Yorgun has also worked as an external evaluator for European Union projects in School and Adult Education in Turkish National Agency since 2006 as well as participated in development of applications of ECHE (Erasmus Charter for Higher Education) within European Commission Directorate General for Education and Culture Working Group between the years 2016 and 2019. Dr. Yorgun has broad experience in mobility programs, project development cycle in educational projects, execution of short-term academic programs, budgeting and financial control. Additionally, Dr. Yorgun has assisted the coordination of Erasmus Mundus-ACTION 4 (FORT), Erasmus Mundus External Cooperation Window Lot 7 (Iran, Iraq and Yemen) as well as Erasmus+ KA2 LEAD1 and LEAD2 projects at METU. He is currently working on a research project related to women's emancipation and its reflection in the Turkish press in the early republican period in history. Ibrahim is also an active learner in the LEAD2 MOOC course "University governance and academic leadership".