



## Congress on Education and Migration

**Alicante, Spain, 19 -21 Nov**

University of Alicante hosted a congress, jointly organised by the European Movement, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, CasaMediterraneo and other partners. The Congress was dedicated to the North-South Mediterranean Dialogue on Education and Migration. At the welcoming ceremony the guests and participants were among other addressed by the representatives of the organisers and Ms Benita Ferrero Waldner. Prof. Dr. Joseph Mifsud spoke in relation to the EMUNI University at the workshop dedicated to the Priorities in 2010.

## ETF Conference on Entrepreneurship in HE

**Bitola, FYROM, 20 Nov**

Conference on Entrepreneurship in HE was organised in the framework of project lead by the European Training Foundation (ETF) with a focus on Entrepreneurship learning.

EMUNI takes a part in the project leading a group of four HE Institutions from Slovenia, Tunisia and Morocco. The conference was attended by Prof. Abdouli Touhami, who is coordinating the project for EMUNI University. [\[More\]](#)

## ACAM Conference

**Sousse, Tunisia, 23 - 24 Nov**

ACAM International Conference with a title »The Union for the Mediterranean Cultural Platform and Institutional Construction« was held simultaneously with the sessions of EMUNI Senate and Management Board. The EMUNI University acted as a co-organiser of the conference.



## 2<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly of EMUNI

**Sousse, Tunisia, 23 - 28 Nov**

A year ago EMUNI University held its first General Assembly in Barcelona, where the Statute of the University was adopted, designating an important step in the process of the establishment of the university, which ended with the accreditation of study programmes and entry into the register of the Higher Education Institutions in Slovenia in July 2009. EMUNI members are higher education and research institutions from the Euro-Mediterranean. After this year's General Assembly the number of members increased to 141 institutions from 37 countries.

The guests at the General Assembly were among other the State Secretary at the Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology of the Republic of Slovenia Dr. József Györkös, and Dr. Milena Šmit (Head of the EUROMED Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs). The support of the European Commission was expressed through the attendance of Dr. Ettore Deodato (DG for Education and Culture), Dr Sohail Luka (DG Research) and Dr Giancarlo Caratti (Joint Research Centre) while the University of Sousse, which co-organised the whole programme, was represented by its Rector Prof. Dr. Ahmed Noureddine Helal.

Along with the sessions of the General Assembly, the Senate and the Management Board, a Student Forum of the EMUNI University took place in the frame of which the President of the University Prof. Dr. Joseph Mifsud distributed certificates of attendance to the participating students. [\[More\]](#)



## MIC 2009

**Sousse, Tunisia, 25 - 28 Nov**

University of Primorska, EMUNI and the Sousse University jointly organised the 10<sup>th</sup> Management International Conference - MIC 2009 »Creativity, Innovation and Management«.



The aim of the conference is to present and discuss research that contributes to the sharing of new theoretical, methodological and empirical knowledge, and to a better understanding of management practices, in particular in the field of Creativity, Innovation and Management in multicultural societies. The participants were, among other, welcomed by rectors of organising universities. [\[More\]](#)

## University cooperation the Euro-Mediterranean Region

**Salento, Italy, 11 Dec**

The Seminar on the role of the European Union in the field of University cooperation the Euro-Mediterranean Region took place at the University of Salento. The participants of the seminar discussed different topics connected with the subject of the conference and several good practices were presented, among them also EMUNI Research Souk and EMUNI Summer School. [\[More\]](#)

Date	Place	Events & Meetings	
26 – 27 Feb 2010	Slovenia	EMUNI Management Board Meeting	EMUNI Senate Meeting
11 – 12 Jun 2010	Alexandria, Egypt	EMUNI Management Board Meeting	EMUNI Senate Meeting
14 Jun 2010	Alexandria, Egypt and Euro-Mediterranean Countries	2 <sup>nd</sup> EMUNI Research Souk, The Euro-Mediterranean Student Research Multi-conference <i>Living Together in the Multi-Cultural Society</i>	
23 – 25 Sep 2010	Portorož, Slovenia	3 <sup>rd</sup> EMUNI Higher Education & Research Conference <i>Entrepreneurial Learning and the Role of Universities</i>	
25 – 27 Nov 2010	Ankara, Turkey	EMUNI General Assembly EMUNI Management Board Meeting	EMUNI Senate Meeting EMUNI Student Forum
24 – 27 Nov 2010	Ankara, Turkey	11 <sup>th</sup> MIC 2010, <i>Social Responsibility and Ethics of Management</i>	

## Regional Meeting of the Alliance of Civilizations

Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina,  
14 Dec

The first Alliance of Civilizations' South-East European Conference was held in Sarajevo. It was attended by Prof. Dr. Joseph Mifsud, who was also a panellist at the first morning session, opened by Mr Hans D'Orville, Deputy Director General of UNESCO. EMUNI signed a cooperation agreement with AoC in December 2008. This year AoC was involved in the organisation of the EMUNI Research Souk, a student multi-conference, which they intend to co-organise also in the current academic year.

## EMUNI in Egypt as part of the governmental delegation

Cairo, Egypt, 15 - 16 Dec

EMUNI representatives were part of the accompanying delegation of the Prime Minister of the Republic of Slovenia Mr Borut Pahor at his official visit to the Arab Republic of Egypt. In the frame of the visit Prof. Dr. Joseph Mifsud (EMUNI University) and Ambassador Mohamed Rifaah (Institute for Diplomatic Studies from Cairo) signed a Memorandum of Understanding, which defines the future co-operation of both institutions.



EMUNI representatives also attended a business conference of Slovenian and Egyptian economists and held several bilateral discussions.

## Signing the contract between EMUNI and EC

Brussels, Belgium – Portorož, Slovenia  
17 Dec

EMUNI and the Europe Aid Co-operation Office signed a contract on financing in the amount of one million Euro. The funds will be allocated to EMUNI for the development and implementation of projects in relation to the priority areas of the Union of the Mediterranean. The activities covered from this source will involve the preparation of 8 Master Study programmes, establishment of Higher Education Observatory and dissemination of results, such as conferences, EMUNI regional days and publications.



Project is co-funded by the European Union

## PROJECTS, CALLS

### EMUNI Calls

Some changes were made to the **EMUNI Call - Development of New Master Study Programmes**, and new deadlines are 15 February and 30 April 2010. [\[More\]](#)

### We are announcing:

- **3<sup>rd</sup> Summer Semester 2010** [\[More\]](#)
- **PhD Seminars 2010** [\[More\]](#)

## INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL

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EMUNI acts as an organizer and co-organizer of international conferences.



## 2<sup>nd</sup> EMUNI ReS (EMUNI Research Souk) Living Together in the Multi-Cultural Society

14 June 2010

Alexandria, Egypt, Portorož, Slovenia and other Euro-Mediterranean Countries.

We are looking for co-organisers.

*With ReS conference EMUNI University is celebrating its 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary*

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## 3<sup>rd</sup> EMUNI Higher Education & Research Conference

**Entrepreneurial Learning and the Role of Universities**

23 – 25 September 2010

Portorož, Slovenia

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## 11<sup>th</sup> MIC 2010

**Social Responsibility and Ethics of Management**

24 – 27 November 2010

Ankara, Turkey

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