



# Planning and delivering jointness in Erasmus Mundus Master programmes

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# Joint learning & teaching

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(ESWOCHY)

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# **ESWOCHY - European Joint Master in Social Work with Children and Youth**

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**2020 call EMJMD - ESWOCHY – 619857**



**Mykolas Romeris  
University**







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UNIVERSITĀTE**



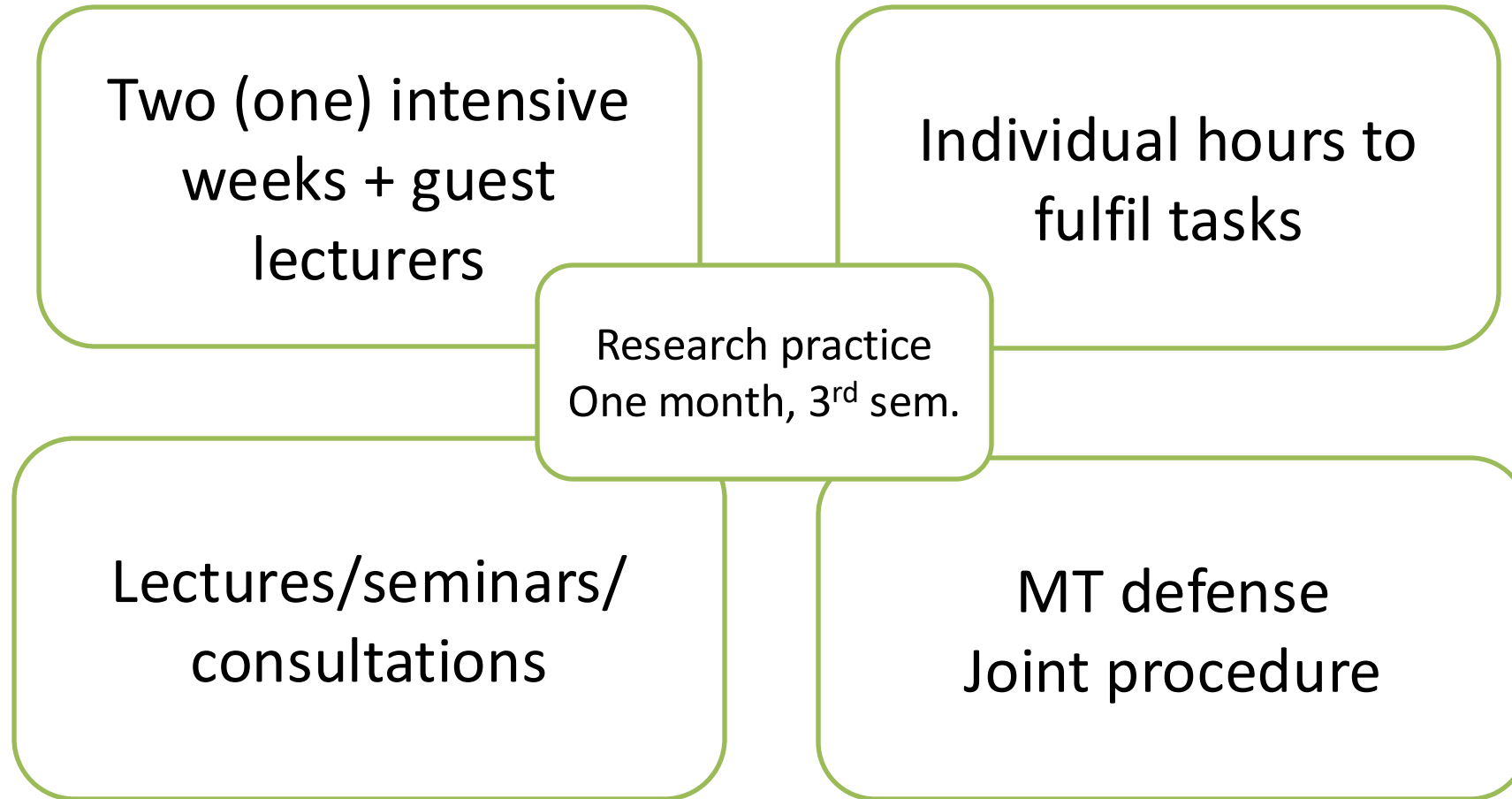
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UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE OF LISBON

120 ECTS, 2 years, degree: European Joint Master in Social Work with Children and Youth

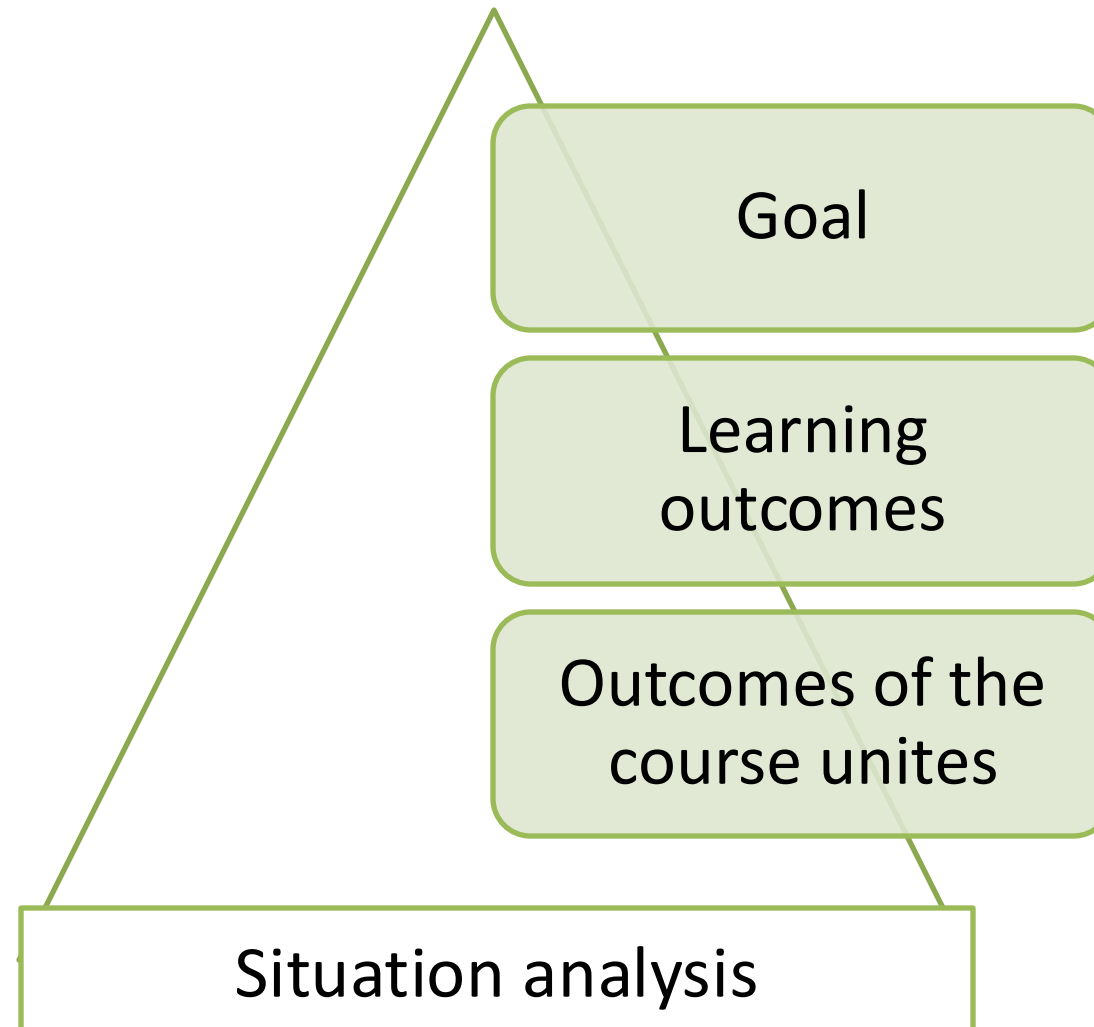
# Mobility





LT	LV	SK	PT
 <b>Mykolas Romeris University</b>	 <b>RĪGAS STRADIŅA UNIVERSITĀTE</b>	 <b>UNIVERSITAS CATHOLICA RUŽOMBEROK</b>	 <b>iscte</b> <small>UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE OF LISBON</small>
1st semester	2nd semester	3rd semester	4th semester
01.09.2023- 30.01.2024	01.02.2024- 01.09.2024	01.09.2024- 31.01.2025	01.02.2025- 31.08.2025
1st mobility		2nd mobility	3rd mobility
<b>30 ECTS</b>	<b>30 ECTS</b>	<b>30 ECTS</b>	<b>30 ECTS</b>

# Organization of studies



# Joint programme



 <b>MRU</b> Mykolas Romeris University	 <b>RSU</b> RIGAS STRADINA UNIVERSITATE	 <b>CU</b> UNIVERSITAS CATHOLICA RUŽOMBEROK	<b>ISCTE-IUL</b>  iscte UNIVERSITY INSTITUTE OF LISBON
<b>1st semester (1st mobility)</b>	<b>2nd semester (2nd mobility)</b>	<b>3rd semester (3rd mobility)</b>	<b>4th semester 4th mobility</b>
<b>30 ECTS</b>	<b>30 ECTS</b>	<b>30 ECTS</b>	<b>30 ECTS</b>
Comparative European Social Policy for Children Youth	Social Work with Family	Digital Social Work	Master Thesis Project (workshop)
Professional Development and Supervision in Social Work	Interactive Methods Working with Children and Youth	Development and Evaluation of Social Projects	
Social Work Theories	Innovative Approach to Management and Leadership in Social Work	Socio-Cultural Empowerment of Different Youth Groups	Master Thesis
Social Research Methodology	Master Thesis	Youth Intercultural Communication	
Master Thesis	<b>Optional course:</b> 1. Children and Youth Behaviors by Bio-psycho-social Aspects 2. Children and Youth Career Guidance 3. Cross-Cultural Mediation	Scientific Research Practice and Master Thesis	



# Joint academic structure

**Appeals** for grading or technical errors in connection with exams is the responsibility of the respective authority in the hosting university responsible for examination coordination

ECTS Grade	Level	CUR	ISCTE-UIL	MRU	RSU
A	Excellent	A	20	10	10
	Very good		17 - 19	9	9
B	Good	B	15- 16	8	8
C	Highly satisfactory	C	13 - 14	7	7
D	Satisfactory	D	11 - 12	6	6
E	Sufficient	E	9.5 - 10	5	5
E/FX	Insufficient	E	8 - 9.5	4	4
F		<u>Fx</u>	7 - 1	3-1	3 -1

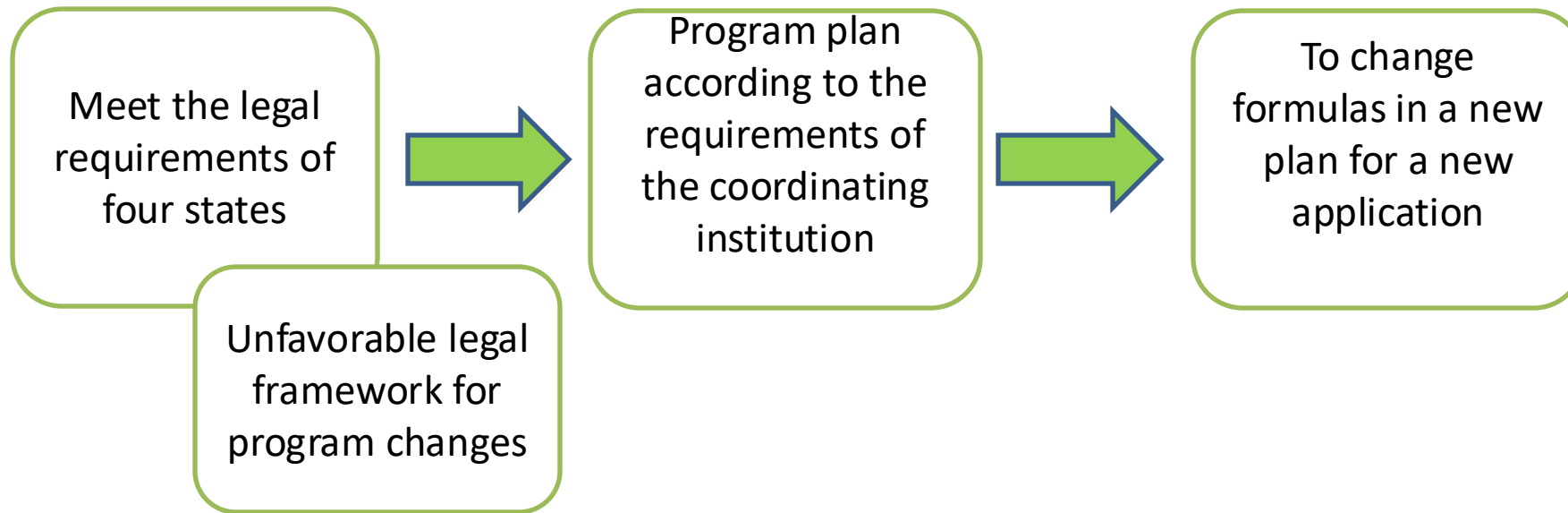
Programme plan (hours)

Ratio of percentage of  
accumulative and exam  
score

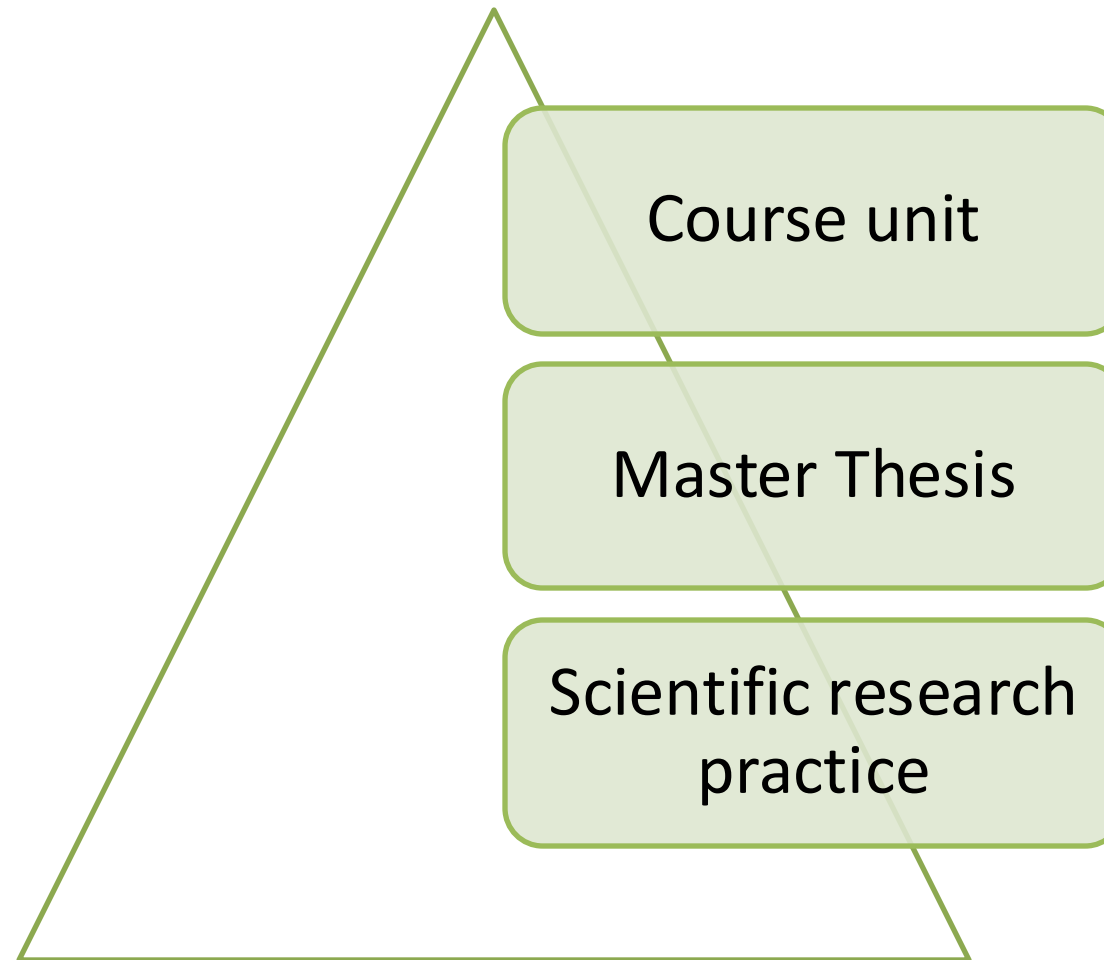
Exams

The grading scale  
harmonized with ECTS

# Challenges and solutions



# Joint requirements



# Co-teaching

English





Each course is taught at  
least by **two teachers**  
from different  
Consortium universities.

All the teachers are  
experts in their field with  
a rich experience

External guest  
lecturers and  
researchers

**shared responsibility** for the  
content, teaching, methods used,  
home tasks, evaluation criteria  
evaluation, joint requirements for  
paper works.

**1st YEAR**  
**1 SEMESTER (AUTUMN)**  
**MYKOLAS ROMERIS UNIVERSITY (LITHUANIA)**

					
<b>Social Work Theories</b>	6	<b>Assoc.Prof. Raminta Bardauskienė</b>	<b>Assoc. Prof. Lolita Vilka</b>		<b>Prof. Dr. Jorge Ferreira</b> <b>Maria João Pena</b>
		<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>	<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>	Reserve	Reserve
<b>Social Research Methodology</b>	6	<b>Assoc. Prof. Jolanta Pivorienė</b>	Assoc. Prof. Ph.Dilze Trapenciere		<b>Assoc. Prof. Jorge Ferreira</b>
		<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>	Reserve	. Reserve	<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>
<b>Professional Development and Supervision in Social Work (including field visits)</b>	6	<b>Assoc. Prof. Alina Petrauskienė,</b> <b>Assoc. Prof. Justinas Sadauskas</b>	Ulla Zumente-Steele	<b>Assoc.Prof. Markéta Rusnáková,</b>	<b>InêsEspírito Santo</b>
		<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>	Reserve	<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>	Reserve
<b>Comparative European Social Policy for Children and Youth</b>	6	<b>Assoc. Prof. PhD Tomas Butvilas</b>	<b>Assoc. Prof. Ilze Trapenciere</b> <b>Anna Broka</b>	Assoc.prof. Irena Kamanová,	<b>Prof. PH.D.Jorge Ferreira</b>
		<b>Coordinator:50/50</b>	<b>Coordinator: 50/50</b>	Reserve	Reserve
	6	Supervisors of master	Supervisors of master	Supervisors of	Supervisors of

# Students' feedback

The co-teaching model is a distinctive feature of the program that offers unique benefits

Peered lecturing by two partner universities is an innovative way of implementation of the program.

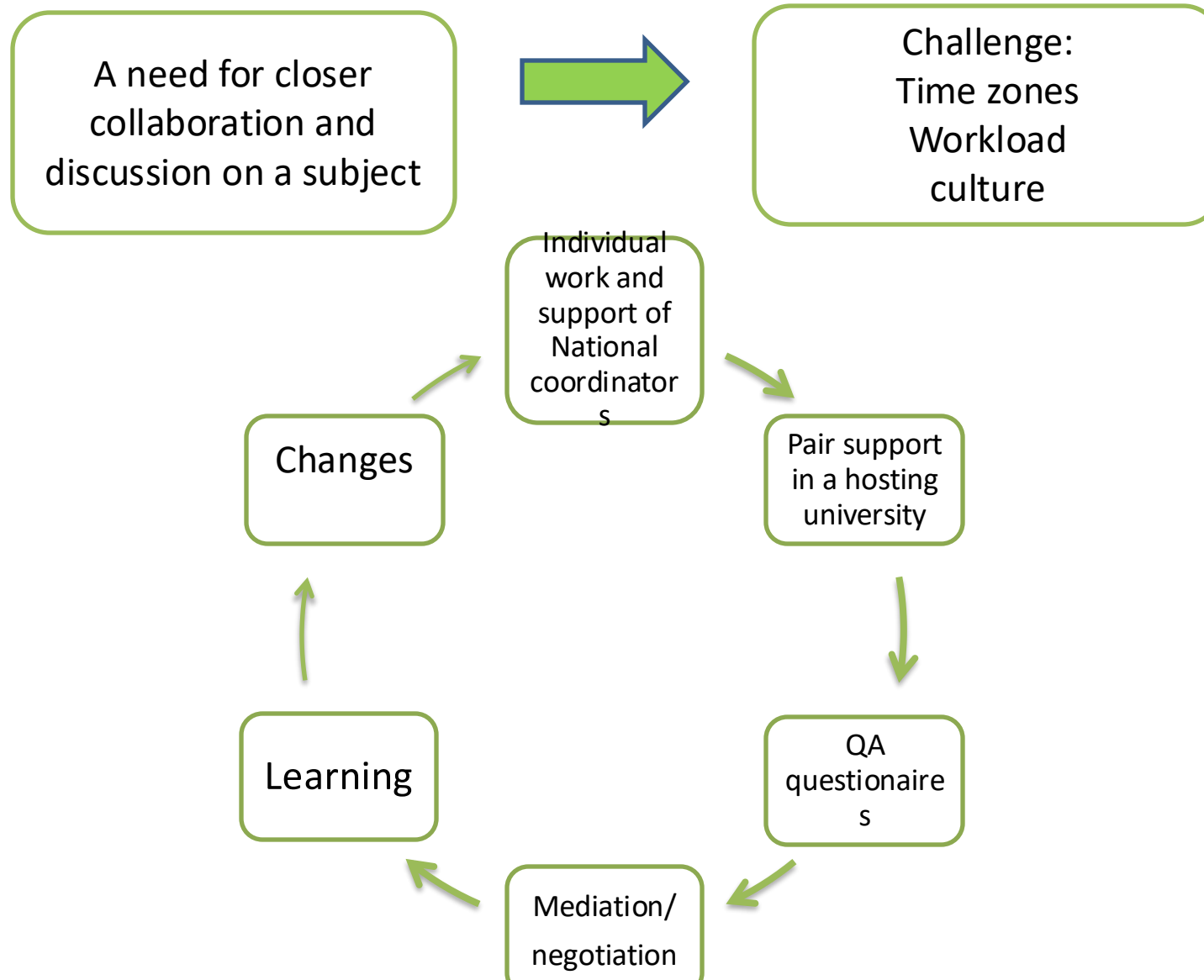
All the guest lecturers ...are experts in their own field. It is easier to understand when two lecturers (in-house faculty and guest lecturers) speak on the same subject. They were not just knowledgeable but also pleasant and inspiring as persons.

I believe that guest lecturers did their job perfectly. With different approaches and teaching techniques, it gives us more views about their assignment topics. It opens our eyes to the reality and not just focus inside the box.

The guest lecturers make the programme more unique. Their contributions in various courses almost make learning stimulating and compliment the host lecturers.

They brought a diverse knowledge and work experience from different countries.

# Challenges and solutions







1st cohort



2nd cohort



3rd cohort



4th cohort



- Website [www.eswochy.eu](http://www.eswochy.eu)
- Facebook [European Joint Masters in Social Work with Children and Youth](#)

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