



### **Introduction and objectives of the symposium:**

Several European universities will participate in the European Doctoral Program in Career Guidance and Counselling, as well as representatives of the European Society for Vocational Designing and Career Counselling and the Network for Innovation in Career Guidance and Counselling in Europe that support this Doctoral Program.

Through the multilateral project, we would primarily focus on collaboratively:

- experimenting with formats for central program components. A cornerstone of the doctoral program will be regular *summer schools* (one per year) which are followed by *publications*, and accompanied by *mentoring* activities. During the funding of a multilateral project, we would already experiment with these formats and evaluate the entire effort;
- setting up the structures needed for an EDP in our field, including its concept, its leadership and involvement structure, and its accreditation;
- developing a joint European Research Program (ERP), acknowledging the vital importance of research for careers in institutions of higher education and research, the need for cooperative interdisciplinary research in our field, and the relevance of promoting the development of career guidance and counselling as a unique field of expertise (academic discipline).

The presenters in this symposium will discuss the aims and development of the Doctoral Program in Career Guidance and Counselling and will debate future research perspectives and strategies in the European context. Specific attention will be given to innovative research topics and the strengthening of research collaborations between European but also non-European institutes and universities in the field of career counseling and vocational designing.

**Room 351 - Level 3**

**09:30 - 11:00**

### **DIV16-ISo3 - INVITED SYMPOSIUM**

#### **European doctoral program in career guidance and counseling: the development of a training program for PhD students**

Convenor: Laura NOTA (Italy)

#### **European doctoral program in career guidance and counseling : the strategic challenges**

Jean-Pierre DAUWALDER (Switzerland)

#### **Motivations, representations and expectations of students preparing a PhD in career counseling and guidance**

Valérie COHEN-SCALI (France)

#### **A research agenda for the European doctoral program in career guidance and counseling**

Jerome ROSSIER (Switzerland)

#### **European doctoral program in career guidance and counseling: the development of a training program for PhD students**

Peter WEBER, Christiane SCHIERSMANN (Germany)

#### **Training programs for PhD students or another way to think career guidance and counseling**

Maria DUARTE (Portugal)

#### **A Dutch format for the development of an European doctoral program in career guidance and counseling**

Annelies VAN VIANEN (The Netherlands)

#### **A European PhD in career guidance and counseling : a balance between practice and research**

Raoul VAN ESBROECK (Belgium)