

D7.7 Project Events M12 Report

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List of Abbreviation

IBMC Instituto de Biologia Molecular e Celular

iEH2 Institut Éthique Histoire Humanités

M Month

n/a Not available

OZSW Nederlandse Onderzoeksschool Wijsbegeerte

RCR Responsible Conduct Research

WP Work Package

TCD Trinity College Dublin

UCPH University of Copenhagen

UD University of Debrecen

UL University of Ljubljana

UU Utrecht University

UZH University of Zurich

VU Vilnius University

WWU Münster University of Münster





1. Public events

Consortium partners have attended to 9 events throughout the first 12 months. The project was showcased through presentations, posters and discussions with an estimated audience of 1250 people. Public (scientific conferences, symposiums) and outreach events have demonstrated to be a very effective method to raise awareness of the project.

1.1. Research Ethics and Research Integrity (RE&RI) projects: RI&RE Training Activities

Type of event	Informal EU Meeting
Date	May 20, 2019
Location	Brussels, Belgium
Project attendees	(2) Mariëtte van den Hoven and Marieke Bootsma
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	n/a
Type of communication	Oral presentation
Title of communication	Empowering students through evidence-based, scaffolded learning of
	RCR
Abstract	n/a
Participants	10

1.2. 6th World Conference on Research Integrity

Type of event	Scientific Conference
Date	June 3, 2019
Location	Hong Kong
Project attendees	(2) Mariëtte van den Hoven & André Krom
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	https://wcrif.org/wcri2019





Type of communication	Oral presentation
Title of communication	Empowering students through evidence-based, scaffolded learning of
	RCR
Abstract	n/a
Participants	700

1.3. EACME Annual Conference 2019: Rethinking Ethics in 21st Century Europe

Type of event	Scientific Conference
Date	September 12, 2019
Location	Keble College, Oxford, UK
Project attendees	(1) André Krom
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	https://www.ethox.ox.ac.uk/opportunities/EACME2019
Type of communication	Oral presentation
Title of communication	Promoting Capacities to Support Responsible Conduct of Research in
	the Face of Fundamental Change
Abstract	Is 20th Century (medical/ bio-)ethics still fit for purpose given the
	manifold technological and scientific developments and social
	changes? This paper tries to develop an argument to the affirmative.
	Central to the paper is the idea that what is needed is perhaps not so
	much (or: not quite yet) a rethinking of bioethics, or of ethics more
	generally, but a) widespread integration of ethical reflection early on in
	curricula for future (medical) professionals, that focuses on b)
	promoting capacities for responsible conduct of research (RCR) in the
	face of fundamental change.
	Surely, employing these capacities may involve revisiting values, norms
	and principles. At the same time, bioethics being a normative
	discipline seems to suggest at least some limits concerning what we





take to be the proper direction of fit. For instance, should we revisit norms and principles in research following the (potential) blurring of boundaries between clinical interventions and research resulting from developments in personalized medicine and big data approaches? Should we use considered values and principles to reflect on the desirability of blurring boundaries? From this perspective, reflection on whether or not to redefine bioethics is also a question about how to maintain its normative function in the face of technological, scientific and societal change.

This paper will make the case for a capacity-based approach in research ethics as a way of creating resilience in bioethics. It will do so by drawing on examples and first results from the H2020 project Integrity, focusing on responsible conduct of research.

Participants

100

1.4. NRIN network event for educational developers

Type of event	Scientific Conference
Date	October 7, 2019
Location	Amsterdam
Project attendees	(1) Mariëtte van den Hoven
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	https://www.nrin.nl/news
Type of Communication	Oral presentation
Title of communication	Developing education in RCR [Onderwijsontwikkeling tbv RCR
	onderwijs]
Abstract	n/a
Participants	12





1.5. ENERI Conference

Type of event	Scientific Conference
Date	October 28/29, 2019
Location	Brussels, Belgium
Project attendees	(1) Mariëtte van den Hoven
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	http://eneri.eu/eneri-final-conference/
Type of communication	Panel session + poster presentation
Title of communication	Empowering students through evidence-based, scaffolded learning of
	Responsible Conduct in Research (RCR)
Abstract	n/a
Participants	100

1.6. Utrecht NVBE Onderwijs

Type of event	Symposium
Date	November 12, 2019
Location	Utrecht, Netherlands
Project attendees	(1) Mariëtte van den Hoven
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	n/a
Type of communication	Oral presentation, key note speaker
Title of communication	Empowerment in RCR education [Empowerment in RCR Onderwijs]
Abstract	n/a
Participants	n/a





1.7. OZSW 2019 Conference (Dutch Research School of Philosophy)

Type of event	Scientific Conference
Date	November 15, 2019
Location	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Project attendees	(2) Mariëtte van den Hoven & André Krom
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	https://www.ozsw.nl/2019-conference/
Type of communication	Oral presentation
Title of communication	Philosophical Reflections on Research Integrity
Abstract	This symposium brings together philosophical reflections on key
	topics related to research integrity, showing how these reflections
	contribute to promoting good science and good scientists. Specifically,
	we will address: (1) What explains scientific misconduct, and how
	different explanations of this phenomenon are connected; (2) How
	different views on science can help explain whether a researcher who
	generated data but left the project prematurely still deserves (co-
)authorship of the publication that is based on the data; (3) What
	conceptual framework is required to support a view on Responsible
	Conduct of Research (RCR) in which RCR covers dealing with moral
	dilemmas; and (4) What image(s) of research integrity we should
	embrace to help researchers become confident about doing the right
	thing and which challenge(s) them to empower themselves to learn to
	deal with issues of integrity.



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1.8. Philosophical reflections on Research Integrity

Type of event	Symposium
Date	November 15, 2019
Location	Utrecht, Netherlands
Project attendees	(1) Mariëtte van den Hoven
Partner organisation	Utrecht University
Event website	n/a
Type of communication	Oral presentation
Title of communication	Balancing between moral outcasts and moral saints
Abstract	n/a
Participants	15

1.9. World Science Forum

Type of event	Scientific Conference
Date	November 21, 2019
Location	Budapest, Hungary
Project attendees	(1) Orsolya Varga
Partner organisation	University of Debrecen
Event website	https://worldscienceforum.org/
Type of communication	Overview and discussion on research ethics project
Title of communication	n/a
Abstract	n/a
Participants	300





2. Project events

On 19th June the H2020 INTEGRITY consortium held an General Assembly meeting via Skype to discuss the ongoing tasks in each of the work packages. Specific topics that were discussed were the following: Data Management Plan, Dissemination and Communication Plan, Development and Exploitation Plan, Development of the Survey Tool, Mapping & evidence-based assessment of educational methods and tools, Development and design novel RCR-teaching, the engagement with the European Student Convention, The Acceptation of the Innovation Officer, External Expert Advisory Board, Update information about previous meetings and the Vilnius Meeting.

For work package 3 a single-day meeting in Zurich was organised together with the Utrecht University partner early July (15-16), to be updated on the progress and discuss how both partners in the work package could spread the workload and continue the work collectively in the most successful manner.

For work package 6 a Skype meeting was organised on October 14, 2019 by the leading partner in Genève. Attending the session were Elevate Health and Utrecht University. It was an explorative meeting to see how the work package can relate to other work packages and make preparations to successfully start the WP in due time.

For work package 2 a special meeting was organised on 11th of November in Copenhagen, Denmark to discuss the recruitment and content of the questionnaire that is being developed. The single-day project meeting was hosted at the University of Copenhagen. 8 European partners from were present to discuss the various challenges in making a feasible plan for data collection, including a plan for how to sample institutions and/or individuals for participation in the survey (WP2).



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2.1. General Assembly meeting (M6)

Type of event	Project meeting via Skype
Date	June 19, 2019
Location	Online
Attendees	(11) Roberto Andorno (UZH), Linda Hogan (TCD), Vilma Lukaseviciene
	(VU), Hillar Loor (ImCode), Anna Olsson (IBMC), Peter Sandøe (UCPH),
	Vojko Strahovnik (UL), Orsolya Varga (UD), Mirjam Westerlaken
	(Elevate), Mariëtte van den Hoven & Marieke Bootsma (UU)

2.2. Zürich Meeting (M7)

Type of event	Project meeting on WP 3 with partners in WP
Date	July 15-16, 2019
Location	Zürich, Switserland
Attendees	(5) Roberto Andorno (UZH), Johannes Katsarov (UZH), André Krom
	(UU), Sandra Rossi (UZH), Mariëtte van den Hoven (UU).

2.3. WP6 meeting (Skype) (M10)

Type of event	Project meeting via Skype
Date	Oct 14
Location	Online
Attendees	(4) Christine Clavien (iEH2), Celine Schopfer (iEH2), Mariëtte van den
	Hoven (UU), Mirjam Westerlaken (ElevateHealth)





2.4. Copenhagen meeting (M11)

Type of event	Project meeting
Date	November 11, 2019
Location	Copenhagen, Denmark
Attendees	(14) Rita Santos & Anna Olsson (IBMC), André Krom (UU), Celine
	Schopfer (iEH2), Orsolya Varga (UD), Patric Wall (TCD), Maren Behrens,
	(WWU Münster), Vojko Strahovnik & Mateja Centa (UL), Mads
	Goddiksen, Marcus Tang Merit, Mikkel Willum Johansen, Peter Sandøe
	& Thomas Bøker Lund (UCPH)

