



Invitation to Round Table on Mentoring on 7 December 2024

Volunteering is an essential part of AIIC. Without volunteers the association could not survive. Neither can it survive without new members joining AIIC and, in turn, offering their services as volunteers to the organization. In order to make the move into AIIC easier for pre-candidates and candidates, mentoring programmes and similar initiatives have been established in various regions to formalize the connections between AIIC members and people wanting to join AIIC.

Therefore, the mentoring initiatives are an excellent example for how to become active as a volunteer which we want to highlight in this conference.

We, the **AB-ExCo Working Group on Volunteering**, want to give existing programmes the opportunity to present themselves, hear (and learn) from other programmes around the world, and we want to give regions without such programmes in place information on how to establish such initiatives. Lastly, we want to hear from mentors and mentees about their experience with their programmes, insights and learnings.

When? 7 December 2024 at 2 p.m. CET

Registration of participants and interpreters:

Our Zoom licence allows for 100 people to participate (AIIC pre-candidates and candidates will have priority). With 21 on the list of organisers/speakers and a potential of 20 interpreters, there is room for 59 participants. Please register via Google form managed by Nadja, using the link below:

<https://forms.gle/4cmennTNnPtEmUop9>.

Interpreting

10 virtual booths will be offered for training purposes.

Round table on mentoring: **AGENDA**

2 p.m. - 2.10 p.m. **Welcome, Housekeeping, Programme**

ELENA EDWARDS & SABINE SCHOER



2.10 p.m. - 2.30 p.m. **VEGA Presentation**

LEO HAILONG-LIU



2.30 p.m. - 2.40 p.m. **Mentoring Programme Belgium**

GIUDITTA FORMICHI



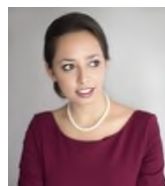
2.40 p.m. - 2.50 p.m. **Mentoring Programme Germany**

KRISTINA LANGE & NADJA SCHMIDT



2.50 p.m. - 3.00 p.m. **University of Bath /
Mentoring Programme France**

LOUISE JARVIS & TATIANA KAPLUN



3.00 p.m. - 3.15 p.m. **Open Office /mentor-mentee experience UK**

MAHA EL-METWALLY, BARBARA BETTHÄUSER-CONTE + EVA-MARIA LOHWASSER



3.15 p.m. - 3.25 p.m. **Mentor & mentee experience from Brazil**

DENISE DE VASCONCELOS ARAUJO & LAÍS PAIXÃO



3.25 p.m. - 3.30 p.m. **Buddying scheme**

SYLVIA KADENYI AMISI

Member of ExCo



3:30 p.m. – 4 p.m. **Q&A, closing remarks**