

**Awareness-raising event**  
**“Improving the Methodology for Assessing Scientific Research in Ukraine:  
 Experience of EU Countries”**

**Date:** May 28, 2025, 9:30 - 15:30 (CEST)

**Format:** Face-to-face / Online

**Venue:** Room 233, (PNU-EcoSystem) Vasyl Stefanyk  
 Precarpathian National University, 57  
 Shevchenko St., Ivano-Frankivsk, 76018 Ukraine

**Target Audience:** Research assessment experts and management of  
 universities

The event takes place within the framework of the Horizon Europe project “EmpoWering EDUC for Inclusive Development of the ERA” (HORIZON-WIDERA-2023-ACCESS-03)

**Registration:** <https://forms.gle/DdxY1bbvHugGSxRo8>

**Event Program**

Time of event	Scheduled event
09:30 – 10:00	<b>Registration of Participants, Welcome Coffee</b>
10:00 – 10:15	<b>Opening of the Event</b> <b>Moderator:</b> Valentyna YAKUBIV Welcome Remarks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>□ <b>Ihor Tsependa</b>, Acting Rector of Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University</li> <li>□ <b>Hryhoriy MOZOLEVYCH</b>, Director General of the Directorate for Science Development of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine</li> <li>□ <b>Volodymyr PAVLIKOV</b>, Head of the Council of Vice-Rectors for Scientific Work of Higher Education Institutions of Ukraine</li> <li>□ <b>Michal PETR</b>, Head, Center for Scientometric Support and Evaluation, Masaryk University, Leader of Work Package 3 (WP3)</li> </ul>

<b>10:15 – 10:45</b>	<b>Reforming the Research Evaluation System: Challenges and Opportunities for Ukraine</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Speaker:</b> Valentyna YAKUBIV, First Vice-Rector, EDUC Project Expert</li> </ul>
<b>10:45 – 11:15</b>	<b>Principles of Research Assessment According to the COARA Methodology: Roadmap for University-Level Implementation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Speaker:</b> Volodymyra BOYCHUK, Professor, Department of Applied Physics and Materials Science, EDUC Project Expert</li> </ul>
<b>11:15 – 11:45</b>	<b>Qualitative Indicators for Assessing the Effectiveness of Scientific Areas at the University</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Speaker:</b> Tetiana HRYNYSYSHAK, Head, Educational and Scientific Center for Research, Projects and Scientific Information, Leader of Work Package 4 (WP4)</li> </ul>
<b>11:45 – 12:10</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>12:15 – 13:15</b>	<b>Workshop</b> <b>Topic:</b> <i>Directions for Improving the System of Science Assessment in Ukraine</i> <b>Format:</b> Group work (division of participants into groups) <b>Task 1:</b> SWOT Analysis of the Science Assessment System in Ukraine <b>Task 2:</b> Directions for Improving the Research Assessment System in Ukraine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Group 1:</b> National-level improvements</li> <li>● <b>Group 2:</b> Institutional-level improvements</li> </ul> Short presentations by participant groups (10 minutes each), followed by discussion Development of proposals for reforms in Ukraine's scientific environment
<b>13:15 – 14:00</b>	<b>Topic:</b> Open Science and Research Assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Speaker:</b> Luciano COLOMBO, Vice Rector, University of Cagliari</li> </ul>
<b>14:10 – 14:55</b>	<b>Topic:</b> Towards a Responsible Use of Metrics in Research Evaluation – UJI <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Speaker:</b> Ramón A. FEENSTRA, Director del Departamento de Filosofía y Sociología, Universitat Jaume I de Castellón</li> </ul> <b>Language:</b> English <b>Moderator:</b> Michal PETR

<b>14:55 – 15:30</b>	<b>Summary and Recommendations</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Announcement of main conclusions</li><li>● Adoption of a resolution with proposals</li></ul>
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