

Welcome to a presentation of

The knowledge triangle in practice

How to establish an entrepreneurship environment that brings together students, business and researchers



A wider objective of the Tempus project **National Education Framework for Enhancing IT Students' Innovation and Entrepreneurship** is to provide a strategic support and lasting impact on Ukrainian higher education, in establishing a structural change towards an educational system that promotes students' creativity, innovation and entrepreneurship in the IT related degree programs. This will include extensive promotion of knowledge triangle instantiations that involve educational programs, researchers and companies. The aim is to enable Ukrainian universities to be more aligned to the labour market needs and to be promoters of the economic development.

As a result of the project plan, our consortium members Ikea and Sigma Technology initiated and instantiated a knowledge triangle that blended researchers, students and company experts in a joint project.

During this event, **we will present how the entrepreneurship environment that brings together students from computer science and business was established.**

It involved students from Linnaeus University and Kharkiv National University of Radio Electronics in Ukraine together with the above-mentioned companies.

The benefits of this project are threefold:

- For students: To **enrich their studies** by meeting companies and working with real life "business dilemmas".
- For companies: To use **young, creative minds** to develop solutions and turn "business dilemmas" into business opportunities.
- For the academy: To further **develop master studies** by adding interdisciplinary projects across departments.

If you would like to learn more about this project, we welcome you to this event.

Date: **September 23, 2014**

Time: 16–19 o'clock

Place: Linnaeus University, Växjö, room D1136 (building D)

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Agenda

10 min	Welcome note	Anna Rosenqvist PROJECT LEADER, IKEA AB Arianit Kurti PROJECT CO-ORDINATOR, LNU
15 min	Linnaeus University's (Lnu) strategy on internationalization and company networking	Stephen Hwang RECTOR, LNU
15 min	The Bridge that builds connections	Saara Taalas IKEA PROFESSOR, LNU
20 min	Knowledge triangle instantiations with IT students and company networks Case 1: Sigma – KNURE – IKEA – Lnu	Niklas Malmros PRESIDENT, SIGMA TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS Tetyana Shatovska KHARKIV NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF RADIO ELECTRONICS
20 min	Case 2: Oxford City Council – Oxford Brooks University – Odessa University – Sigma	Samia Kamal OXFORD BROOKS UNIVERSITY Vira Lyubchenko ODESSA NATIONAL POLYTECHNICAL UNIVERSITY Artem Petrenko SIGMA SOFTWARE
15 min	Questions and discussions – workshop	Anna Rosenqvist Arianit Kurti
	Mingle and networking	Provided by Sigma Technology Solutions

Project facts

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