



VNIVERSITAT
DE VALÈNCIA

PRIDA

Pla de Recerca, Internacionalització i Docència en Anglès

Universitat de València

Introduction

Objectives

Needs analysis

Action Plan

- EMI intensive course and monitoring
- Schedule
- Committees





“The internationalisation of higher education [...] is a key factor of the ongoing reform to improve the quality and efficiency of Spanish universities.”

Strategy for the internationalisation of Spanish universities (2015-2020), p. 3.
[original in Spanish].

BACKGROUND AND NORMATIVE FRAMEWORK

- ✓ Strategy for the Internationalization of Spanish Universities. 2015-2020. Ministry of Education, Culture and Sport.
- ✓ Linguistic policy framework document for the internationalisation of the Spanish university system (2016) by the CRUE-IC.
- ✓ Statutes and strategic plans of the Universitat de València: PEUV 2016-2019.
- ✓ Pla d`Increment de la Docència en Valencià (PIDV).



FRAMEWORK DOCUMENT

- ✓ Part of the UV-wide internationalisation strategy jointly promoted and supported by the:
 - ✓ Vice-Chancellor`s Office for Internationalisation and Cooperation
 - ✓ Vice-Chancellor`s Office for Degree Studies and Linguistic Policy
 - ✓ Vice-Chancellor`s Office for Training and Quality in Education
- ✓ To advance in the process of internationalisation of the UV.
- ✓ To carry out specific actions: **pilot plan PRIDA.**



- ✓ **To instruct and improve the communicative and methodological** competencies in English of our teaching and research staff (PDI) in their professional development as teachers and researchers.
- ✓ **To foster the linguistic** competencies in English of UV administrative staff (PAS) and students.

- ✓ To **upgrade** the teaching practice in English of **experienced teachers** by applying an EMI specific methodology.
- ✓ To **train novel staff** in teaching English, by applying an EMI specific methodology, and to monitor and improve their teaching practice (follow-up with mentors).
- ✓ To foster the exchange of **good practices** in English by means of workshops, class observation and micro-teaching sessions.
- ✓ To assist in the process of writing and reviewing publications in English (teaching and help in **Academic English**).
- ✓ To aid **educational innovation** in the area of teaching in English.



✓ Objectives:

- ✓ To gather information about the **present situation** of the teaching in English at the UV.
- ✓ To learn about the **needs** of the UV PDI as regards teaching in English.

✓ Methodology [bottom-up]:

- ✓ **Quantitative** analysis: anonymous survey (all PDI UV)
- ✓ **Qualitative** analysis: semi-structured interviews per schools or faculties – creation of a committee to promote and support teaching in English (Faculty/School X).



ACTION LINES

- ✓ **Training and certification of linguistic competencies** in English for PDI (pilot stage), administrative staff (PAS) and students (later stages).
- ✓ **Training** our teaching and research staff (PDI) **in innovative methodologies** applied to the teaching in English from an EMI perspective (English as a Medium of Instruction), where English, in addition to the language of content, is also the language of instruction and of class management (pilot stage).

PRIDA PILOT STAGE

- ✓ **Training and career development plan:**
 - ✓ PDI mentors: have taught or are teaching in English
 - ✓ PDI mentees: wish to teach in English in the future

- ✓ **EMI intensive course (30 hours):**
 - ✓ **Methodology:** English as a Medium of Instruction (EMI)
 - ✓ **Course duration:** 5 days (6, 7, 10, 11 & 12 July 2017)
 - ✓ **Time:** from 9:00 to 15:00
 - ✓ **Place:** Servei de Formació Permanent i Innovació Educativa (SFPIE)
 - ✓ **Students:** 25-30 PDI (mentors and mentees).

EMI INTENSIVE COURSE (SCHEDULE)

	THURSDAY 6	FRIDAY 7	MONDAY 10	TUESDAY 11	WEDNESDAY 12
LECTURES (9:00-12:00)	Classroom management Classroom interaction & feedback	Academic speaking: Presentations	Academic reading: Skimming & Scanning Vocabulary Building	Academic listening: gist, note taking Materials design.	Evaluation and Assessment: Rubrics
SANDWICH SEMINARS (12:00-13:00)	Ice-breaking & socialising	Networking	Group work vs. Team work	Debates & negotiations	Mindfulness
WORKSHOPS (13:00-15:00)	Small groups + Mentors Materials & Curriculum Design	Small groups + Mentors	Small groups + Mentors	Small groups + Mentors	Whole group + all mentors Round-up session for final feedback

- ✓ **PRIDA** website
- ✓ Framework Document
- ✓ SPFIE (course page)

