

2014 Annual Report



AVEPROøs main activities in 2014 involved:

- ➤ Meetings of the Board of Directors
- ➤ Meeting with the IEC committee for the evaluation of the HIRS
- ➤ Website: French version online
- ➤ Definition of the Strategic Plan 2015 ó 2019
- ➤ Participation in the meetings of the committee for the revision of AVEPROøs Statutes
- > Preparation of a document on the final evaluation reports, to serve as a template for their compilation
- External evaluation visits to various Ecclesiastical Faculties in Europe and Italy
- > Participation in international events



January

- -- Preparation of draft AVEPRO regulations, as provided in Art. 14 of the Statutes
- -- Contribution to the realization of a pilot study on Quality Assurance in Sicilian HIRS
- -- Creation of a brochure on the nature and activities of AVEPRO
- Meeting with the Rector of the Pontificio Ateneo SantøAnselmo regarding the evaluation process

February

- -- Preparation of two articles for the Congregation for Catholic Education (CCE) journal Seminarium
- -- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visits to Saint Patrickøs College ó Maynooth, the Pontificio Ateneo õRegina Apostolorumö and the Facoltà Teologica Pugliese
- 3 LøInstitut Catholique de Paris (ICP) sends its Quality Improvement Plan
- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visit to the Pontificia Università Gregoriana
- 12-14 Participation by AVEPRO staff in the Forum õ*Educare oggi e domani*ö organized by the CCE in the context of the Plenary Assembly
- Presentation by P. Imoda on the õstate of the artö of AVEPRO during the CCE Plenary Assembly
- Letter of thanks sent to the experts who undertook the external evaluation visits at the Sicilian HIRS

March

- -- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visits to the Facoltà Teologica della Italia Settentrionale and the Facoltà Teologica della Emilia Romagna
- 3 Participation in the ASFOR Focus Group: õIndagine su etica, responsabilità pubblica, imprenditorialità e managementö
- Meeting with Mgr. A.V. Zani, Secretary of the CCE, to define areas of cooperation, operations and the agenda for the period 2014-2015
- 10-12 External evaluation visit to Saint Patrickøs College Maynooth



- 12 The Facoltà Teologica dellotalia Centrale sends its Self-Evaluation Report (SER)
- 16-18 External evaluation visit to the Pontificio Ateneo õRegina Apostolorumö
- Meeting with Aurelija Valeikiene of the Lithuanian Agency SKVC to agree on the modus operandi for the second cycle of evaluation of the Faculty of Theology of Kaunas
- Meeting with members of the deanery of Theology at the Institut Catholique de Paris to plan the second cycle of evaluation and discuss how to improve and develop the Faculty
- Sending to the Secretary of State and CCE of AVEPROøs summary of activities for 2013, in compliance with Art. 13 § 3 of AVEPROøs Statute
- 31-2 External evaluation visit to the Facoltà Teologica Pugliese

April

- -- Preparation of material in view of the sixth meeting of the Board of Directors
- -- The French version of AVEPRO® website goes online (now available in five languages)
- -- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visit to the Pontificia Università õAntonianumö and the õdistanceö visit to the Faculty of Theology of Kaunas
- 1-3 External evaluation visit to the Facoltà Teologica della Italia Settentrionale
- 7 Meeting of the National Committee *pro tempore* for the HIRS, at the IEC
- 7-9 External evaluation visit to the Facoltà Teologica delløEmilia Romagna
- 24-25 St. Petersburg: participation by P. Imoda in the IV ENQA Membersø Forum

May

- -- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visits to the Pontificia Università Gregoriana and the Pontificio Istituto Giovanni Paolo II
- 7-8 External evaluation visit to the Pontificia Università õAntonianumö
- 9 Sixth meeting of the Board of Directors
- 13 The Pontificia Università Salesiana sends its Self-Evaluation Report (SER)
- 16 The Pontificio Istituto Giovanni Paolo II sends its Self-Evaluation Report (SER)



- 27 Preparation of the final report following the õdistanceö evaluation of the Faculty of Theology of Kaunas
- 28 The Pontificia Facoltà Teologica dellotalia Meridionale sends its Quality Improvement Plan

June

- 16-18 External evaluation visit to the Pontificia Università Gregoriana
- 18-19 External evaluation visit to the Pontificio Istituto Giovanni Paolo II

July

- -- Definition, development and finalization of a document on the final evaluation reports prepared by the experts following the site visits, with the aim of creating a model to ensure homogeneity in the compilation of such reports
- -- Contacts with the Seminaries of Vilnius and Tel-iai in view of their evaluation
- -- Compilation of a survey for ENQA regarding AVEPRO® profile and main activities
- Meeting with the Secretary of State, Card. Pietro Parolin, on the future developments in AVEPRO® work

September

- -- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visits to the Roman Catholic Faculty of Theology of Cyril and Methodius in Bratislava, and the Facoltà Teologica dellatalia Centrale
- -- Send application for membership of EQAR (European Quality Assurance Register)
- 15-16 Meeting of the ENQA Board at the offices of AVEPRO
- 22-23 Meeting with Prof. Piero Tosi and Prof. Don McQuillan to define the *Strategic Plan* 2015 ó 2019
- 26-27 Participation of Father Imoda, Riccardo Cinquegrani and Scientific Council member Father Slawomir Nowosad in the conference õ*Sources of the Civic: Catholic Higher Education and Democracy in Europe*ö organized by the Catholic University Partnership, Nanovic Institute for European Studies



October

- -- Participation by Riccardo Cinquegrani in meetings of the committee for the revision of AVEPRO® Statutes
- -- Contacts with the Lithuanian Apostolic Nunciature and the Secretary of State in view of the evaluation of the Lithuanian Seminaries
- Meeting with AKAST representatives to define cooperation between the two Agencies and its regulation
- 21 Compilation of a survey for ENQA regarding the value of Quality Assurance in its international dimension
- 26-28 External evaluation visit to the Roman Catholic Faculty of Theology of Cyril and Methodius in Bratislava
- 27-28 External evaluation visit to the Facoltà Teologica della Centrale
- The Seminary of Tel-iai (Lithuania) sends its Self-Evaluation Report (SER)

November

- -- Preparation of material in view of the seventh meeting of the Board of Directors
- 13-15 Barcelona: participation by Riccardo Cinquegrani in the õ9th European Quality Assurance Forum (EQAF)ö
- 27 Riccardo Cinquegrani and Valerio Napoleoni participate in a training course on the new financial management procedures arranged by the Secretariat for the Economy
- 29 Seventh meeting of the Board of Directors

December

- The Seminary of Vilnius (Lithuania) sends its Self-Evaluation Report (SER)
- Meeting with P. Bechina, Mgr. Romera, Mgr. Pepe, Fr. Curbelie and Prof. Tosi on the process of evaluation involving the Ecclesiastical Faculties situated in Rome.
- 16-18 External evaluation visit to the Pontificia Università Salesiana