



ANNUAL REPORT

2018



AVEPRO's main activities in this period involved:

- External evaluation visits to various Ecclesiastical Faculties in Europe
- Participation in national and international events
- Updating of the Agency's Guidelines
- Meetings with international stakeholders

January

- Contacts with the Dean of the Faculty of Theology at Vytautas Magnus University regarding accreditation of the Theology course
- 9-11 External evaluation visit to the Pontifical Biblical Institute, Rome
- 9 Meeting with Raquel Perez - Subcomisión Episcopal de Universidades della Conferencia Episcopal Española – to discuss the evaluation cycle in the Spanish ecclesiastical Institutions
- 10 Meeting with Mons. Lluís Clavell to discuss aspects regarding the Faculty of Philosophy of the Pontifical University of the Holy Cross
- 15-18 External evaluation visit to the Pontifical Oriental Institute, Rome
- 30 Rome: Riccardo Cinquegrani participates in a study day on “Educational and social theory and research” at the University Roma Tre

February

- Preparation of a document comparing the *Sapientia Christiana* and *Veritatis Gaudium*, with the aim of highlighting similarities and differences
- Agreement between AVEPRO and NAKVIS, the Slovenian Quality Assurance Agency, within the context of cooperation on QA and regarding possible future projects



- 14-16 Geneva: P. F. Imoda, SJ and Riccardo Cinquegrani participate in the “*UNESCO Regional Consultation Meeting for Western Europe*”.
- 16 Valerio Napoleoni participates in a meeting at the Congregation for Catholic Education regarding the new Apostolic Constitution *Veritatis Gaudium*

March

- 23 The Faculty of Notre-Dame (Collège des Bernardins, Paris) sends its SER
- 31 Delivery of the Summary of Activities to the Congregation for Catholic Education and Secretary of State.

April

- Preparation of the new Guidelines on Strategic Planning
- 18-20 Madrid and Saragozza: Riccardo Cinquegrani participates in the “*ENQA – 8th Members’ Forum*” and in a meeting with the Spanish Episcopal Conference in view of the evaluation of the Spanish ecclesiastical Institutions.

May

- 3-4 Meeting with the Rectors, Deans and Presidents of ecclesiastical Universities and Faculties regarding the new Apostolic Constitution *Veritatis Gaudium*
- 8 Meeting between P. F. Imoda, SJ, and John DeGioia, President of Georgetown University
- 10 Meeting with a delegation from the Catholic University of the West, Angers, in view of the second cycle of evaluation
- 16 Meeting with Rodrigo Polanco of the Faculty of Theology at the Pontifical Catholic University of Chile in view of a possible evaluation
- 23 Preparation of the forecast for 2018 (January-March) and delivery to Secretariat for the Economy



28-30 Madrid: Father F. Imoda and Riccardo Cinquegrani participate in a meeting with the Spanish Episcopal Conference in view of the evaluation of the Spanish ecclesiastical Institutions.

June

- Preparation of the new Guidelines regarding the Evaluation Process
- Appointment of experts and formation of the team in view of the evaluation visit to the Faculty of Notre-Dame (Collège des Bernardins, Paris)
- 4 Appointment of External Evaluation Team in view of the evaluation visit to the Faculty of Catholic Theology at the University of Vienna
- 6 The Pontifical Athenaeum of Saint Anselm sends its SER

July

- Preparation of the new Guidelines on Self-Evaluation
- 23 Preparation of the forecast for 2018 (April-June) and delivery to Secretariat for the Economy
- 13 Meeting between Father F. Imoda, SJ, Andrzej Wodka, CSsR and Mons. Paolo Borgia in view of the installation of the new President of the Agency

August

- 2 Rome: meeting with Elisa Mancinelli, who works with the Agency, to define a plan of action in view of the ENQA visit in 2019

September

- Preparation of the new Guidelines on External Evaluation
- 19 The Pontifical Institute for Arabic and Islamic Studies sends its SER
- 26 Preparation and delivery to the Secretariat for the Economy of the Budget for 2019 and the forecast 2018 (July-September)



- 27-28 Riga: Riccardo Cinquegrani participates in the ENQA Seminar for Agencies Preparing for an Initial External Review
- 28 Meeting with Francois Mabile, secretary general of the IFCU, to discuss possible future cooperation
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October

- 9 Fr. Andrzej S. Wodka, C.Ss.R, participates in the inauguration of the academic year at the Alphonsian Academy
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- 11 P. Andrzej S. Wodka, C.Ss.R, participates in the inauguration of the academic year at the Salesian Pontifical University
- 11 The Faculty of Catholic Theology at the University of Vienna sends its SER
- 15 Meeting with Fr. Franco IMODA, SJ, formerly President of the Agency, for discussions in view of the ENQA visit in 2019
- 16-19 Astana: Fr. Andrzej S. Wodka, C.Ss.R, participates in the IX ENQA General Assembly
- 23 Bratislava: Meeting between Fr. Andrzej S. Wodka, C.Ss.R, and the Dean of the Faculty of Theology of the Nicolaus Copernicus University
- 30 Riccardo Cinquegrani participates in the inauguration of the academic year at the Pontifical Urbaniana University
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November

- Valerio Napoleoni attends the IPSAS course “Practical Accounting for better administration”
- 7-9 External evaluation visit to the Faculty of Catholic Theology at the University of Vienna
- 12 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., participates in the inauguration of the academic year at the Pontifical Lateran University
- 20 Meeting with Elisa Mancinelli regarding AVEPRO’s SWOT analysis



- 21 Riccardo Cinquegrani participates in a meeting with Salvatore Loiero and a delegation of students from the Faculty of Theology at the University of Freiburg on the topic of the centrality of students within ecclesiastical Institutions
- 22 Meeting with representatives of the Swedish Higher Education Authority (UKÄ) in view of the meeting to be held in March 2019
- 22-23 External evaluation visit to the Faculty of Notre-Dame (Collège des Bernardins, Paris)
- 23 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., participates in a meeting to mark the 25th anniversary of *Veritatis Splendor* by John Paul II
- 29 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., participates in a meeting at the Congregation for Catholic Education regarding the new Apostolic Constitution *Veritatis Gaudium*

December

- 4 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., participates in the XXIII Public Session of the Pontifical Academies at Palazzo della Cancelleria in Rome
- 6 Meeting with Mons. G. O. Zanchetta, Assessor to the APSA, regarding certain administrative aspects of the Agency
- 13 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., and Riccardo Cinquegrani meet Professor Daire Keogh to discuss issues related to Quality Assurance
- 17 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., and Riccardo Cinquegrani participate in a meeting of the CRUIPRO at the Pontifical Urbaniana University
- 19 Father A.S.Wodka, C.SS.R., and Riccardo Cinquegrani participate in a meeting with the European Society for Catholic Theology regarding AVEPRO's mission and work
- 20 Meeting between AVEPRO staff and Caty Duykaerts, member of the ENQA Board