The CLUSTER BIP staff week is open to administrative, academic and educational support staff from all CLUSTER (associate) members.

You will be able to interact in an informal atmosphere with counterparts from other CLUSTER universities. You will have the opportunity to share best practices and brainstorm about challenges when organizing a course in blended format.

At the same time, this staff week aims to increase awareness and develop knowledge and competences on organizing courses in a blended format.

**4 MARCH 2024**

**ONLINE AFTERNOON (TIMING TBC)**

Topics to be discussed:

- Introduction to Blended Intensive Programme and general rules
- Online vs physical vs blended mobility
- How to administer BIP in an easy way?
- BIP: sense or nonsense?
- Introduction to design workshop to develop a BIP

**15 - 19 APRIL 2024**

**LEUVEN (TIMING TBC)**

- **21st century skills in Engineering Education**
  Reflections on what to include when designing engineering courses

- **International learning**
  Experts will look at engineering courses in an educational way

- **Experiences in BIP**
  Learn from a professor involved, a participating student and administrative staff

- **How can blended mobility contribute to inclusion?**
  Participatory and interactive workshop for sharing best practices

- **What kind of administrative support is needed/wanted?**
  Group discussion in which participants share their best practices, wants and needs

- **Workshop on Sustainability in Mobility**
  Raising awareness on sustainable travel
  UN SDGs in education

- **Training digital learning skills and testing digital equipment**
  Participatory and interactive workshop on going digital in a changing world

- **Workshop on a specific engineering topic**
  From scratch to soft robot – a pathway to success

- **Design workshop to develop a BIP**
  Now it's up to you to get started with a BIP

Included in the programme as optional activities are a group dinner and a visit to the Alamire Foundation.

Desired output of this CLUSTER BIP Staff week on “How to organize a Blended Intensive Programme in Engineering Education” is a concept paper with guidelines for organizing a BIP in engineering education.