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# Future of EMREX - goals and organisation

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*The future of  
EMREX looks  
bright!!!*



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## The future

- Successful transition from EU project to continuous production
- All partners continuing in the network and more joining
- EMREX User Group for joint management of network
- National work on improving and expanding EMREX



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# The EMREX User Group

- Management of network will be organised around an informal EMREX User Group
  - Not-for-profit
  - Full-members from partners with NCPs
  - Associated members anybody interested in joining EMREX
- Starting in January 2018



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# Tasks of the EMREX User Group

- Approves new NCPs to the network
- Maintains the EMREX network including architecture and specifications
- Supports the uptake of EMREX in new countries and with new services
- Plans and supports dissemination activities around EMREX
- Maintains the EMREX declaration to be signed by all members
- Contribute to relevant standardization work, especially around ELMO

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# Policy Board

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- Members from ministries and related agencies and organisations
- Brings needed policy expertise and contacts to policy makers to strengthen the role of EMREX
- Addresses the issue of student data portability on a general level
- Advises the User Group on policy issues
- Actively supports the EMREX network in relevant policy groups
- Could later evolve into an independent group



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## Next steps per country

- Denmark: implementing the SMP for Danish students, adding more universities
- Finland: internal mobility project, Peppi and the national Koski data warehouse
- Italy: adding HEIs with the Cineca SIS
- Norway: admission, vocational services, eID
- Sweden: admission
- Poland: adding HEIs, starting work on a national admission system
- Netherlands: adding EMREX client, working with Germany
- Germany: Uni-assist planning to join EMREX
- New Zealand/Australia: Digitary and MyEquals
- USA: PESC prototyping
- Croatia: admission and connecting HEIs
- Spain: ELMO support



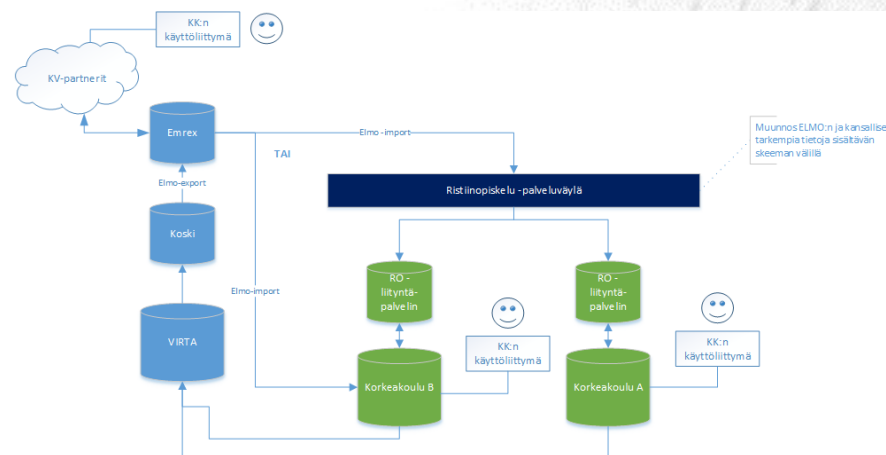
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# Denmark

- Right now looking in to possibilities of building a Danish EMREX Client allowing Danish students to use EMREX
- Roskilde University and Aalborg University are expected to join soon
- Hoping to get the remaining four universities on board during 2018
- EMREX for admission purposes could also be an area to explore

# Finland

- National project on internal mobility, including support for ELMO/EMREX
- Peppi SIS to add EMREX to its new eRPL tool (Peppi reaches about 70% of HEIs)
- New national Koski-database for all educational achievement records



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# Italy

Focus on expanding the Italian Network through:

- Adding more Italian HEIs
- The next ELMO update that will bring the possibility to not allow students to filter results while importing them. This is fundamental because Italian Universities asked for it!
- More dissemination events like webinars and the Mobility User Group, that CINECA has created together with the Universities using our Mobility Module



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# Norway

- EMREX NCP
  - Add Vocational education
  - Add Upper secondary education
  - Implement eID
- EMREX client
  - for national admission
  - Implement eID for all EMREX clients
- Connect more recruitment systems
- Better use of EMREX information for administration (FS)



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# Poland

- Activating EMREX in all installations of USOS – the most popular student information system in Poland (from 7 active now to 55 active in all institutions from MUCI consortium).
- Developing more automatic methods of achievements recognition based on data obtained via EMREX.
- Nation-wide discussion on central admission to higher education institutions in Poland – starts as a bottom up process but that may change in the future.



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# Sweden

- Prestudy for support in admission. Implementation not decided yet.
- EMREX will be maintained during 2018 but not further developed due to implementation of major system generation (Ladok 3).
- Continued Swedish strong support for the EMREX community, with the Ladok Consortium as base.



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# Netherlands

- English translation of the Dutch Diploma register (so non Dutch recipients can understand what they receive 😊);
- Promoting the use of Dutch diploma data via EMREX-clients all over the world and starting with Germany (Uni-assist and the Stiftung für Hochschulzulassung);
- Implementing together with Studielink (the Dutch digital enrolment portal) an EMREX-client, so students from countries which have NCP's available can send their data to the Netherlands;
- An analyses together with our Dutch chain partners for adding the diploma supplement and the certificates of single modules to the Dutch Diploma register, so these data can be used via EMREX.



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# Croatia

- We are in the process of implementing EMREX SMP for graduate admissions
- Also in talks about implementing SMP and NCP for 6 higher education institutions in Croatia.
- We will also start piloting usage cases of ELMO in issuing education credentials on the blockchain.

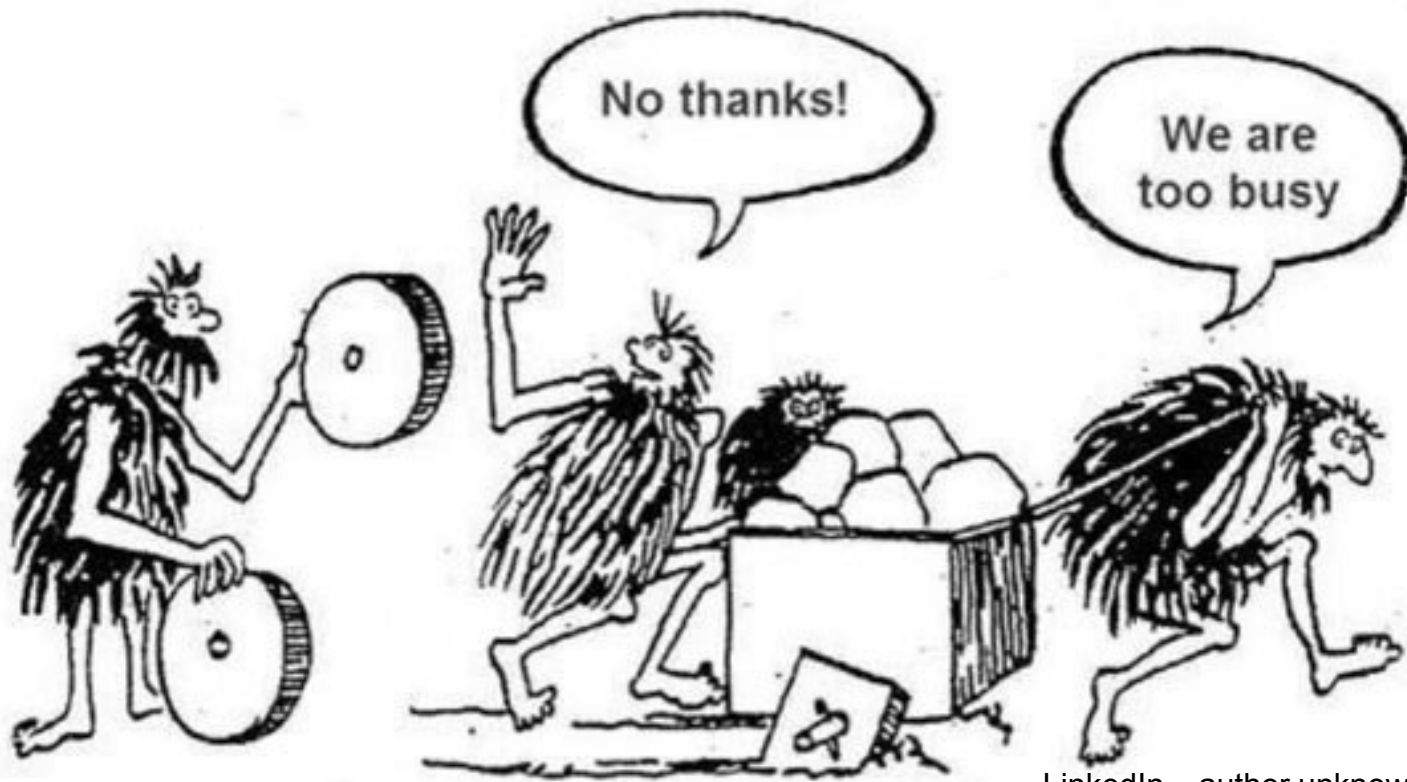


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## Others

- Germany: Uni-assist and SfH to join EMREX
- Spain: SIGMA to support ELMO
- USA: prototyping converter between PESC and ELMO
- New Zealand/Australia: MyEquals to support EMREX
- China: continuing discussion with CHESICC on ELMO/EMREX support

# Questions?



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# Technical support

- Technical workshops
- Testing new nodes in the network
- Technical support – email address
  - [emrex-techsupport@ceres.no](mailto:emrex-techsupport@ceres.no)