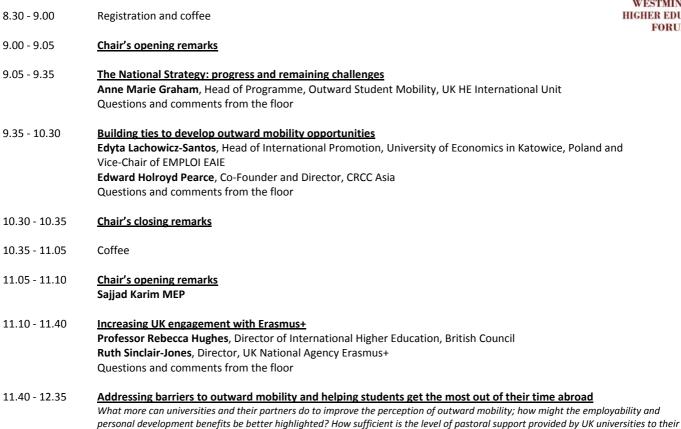
## **Westminster Higher Education Forum Keynote Seminar:**

## Challenges and opportunities for increasing outward student mobility

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colleges to encourage a more 'joined up' approach to promoting outward mobility? To what extent does a lack of credit-bearing status for many programmes reduce participation levels, and what measures - including any changes to current quality and accreditation

outwardly mobile students; what can be learnt from best practice in this area? In light of the relatively low level of second language fluency in the UK, how can universities best provide a greater range of mobility opportunities for non-language students, including to countries where English is a language often used in academia or industry? What more can be done to support students from disadvantaged backgrounds or with additional support needs to engage with outward mobility programmes; how might increased financial support be provided for these students? Where should universities be looking to improve engagement with schools and

systems - might enable or encourage more universities and their partners to offer credit-bearing modules to outwardly mobile students?

Runa Gudmarsdottir, Policy Officer, Higher Education - Erasmus+, European Commission

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Will Archer, Chief Executive Officer, i-graduate

Alexandra Rosenbach, Strategic Advisor for Internationalisation to the Executive Board,

Maastricht University, The Netherlands Questions and comments from the floor

## 12.35 - 12.55 Quality and accreditation within an increasingly internationalised higher education system

Dr Stephen Jackson, Associate Director - International, QAA

Questions and comments from the floor

## 12.55 - 13.00 Chair's and Westminster Higher Education Forum closing remarks

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