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# SUSTAINABILITY

Semantic Analysis Meeting

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# Objectives

- maintaining and expanding the content base
- creating an organisational basis for an administrative framework
- establishing a scientific basis to maintain a high level of evaluation of research quality embedded in a non-partisan environment



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## Main aspects I

- a non-partisan environment for maintaining the EERQI framework including continuity and reliable update of the content base, maintenance of the search and query engine with periodic review mechanisms



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## **Main aspects II**

- academic acceptance of the evaluative indicators and methodologies for research assessment ranking within educational science and other fields including standardisation and dissemination to maintain transparency and guarantee non-partisan influence



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## **Main aspects III**

- means of maintaining confidentiality, data privacy, data accuracy, methodological validity and prevention of misuse
- a sustainable financial basis for continuation and expansion of the EERQI framework



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## **Main aspects IV**

- estimate for the cost and work effort intensity to build on the EERQI experiences with research quality assessment improvement and pan-European coverage of educational research materials, as well as application of this estimate to other social sciences and humanities



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# Role of participants

- University of Hamburg
- Participating publishers
- Educational research associations
- Consortium members



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# Structure – national level

- Universities
- National Funding Agencies
- National Research Organisations
- Publishers
- Companies



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# Structure – European level

- European Research Organisations
- European Commission
- European Research Council
- European Publishers
- European Companies



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# Structure – international level

- International Research Organisations
- International Publishers
- International Companies



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## Open questions

- How can we achieve an integration of all project aspects in order to create the EERQI framework?
- Which organisational structure is appropriate for continuing the framework?
- Where do we get the money for a sustainable financial basis for continuation of the framework?



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# Preparation I

At Preparatory Meeting for  
the 2nd Workshop

(Hamburg, 18-19 March 2010),

**a session on the development  
of the  
EERQI sustainability plan**



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## **Preparation II**

At 2nd EERQI Workshop  
(Geneva, 17-18 Sep 2010),  
**a sub-workshop for  
key stakeholders  
on the draft idea of the  
EERQI sustainability plan**



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# OUTCOME

## **EERQI Sustainability Plan** at the end of the project (March 2011)



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## Use Cases

- **Core element of EERQI outcomes**
- **NO EERQI framework without UC**
- **NO sustainability plan without UC**
- **NO money for EERQI without UC**



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