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The First Study Day on *The Use of English-Medium Instruction in teaching Scientific Content*

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Rationale:

English-Medium Instruction has been widely adopted in Higher Education around the globe. In fact, many teachers are increasingly using English in teaching their content given that English has become the Lingua Franca in many domains and disciplines. Similarly, the Minister of Higher Education has recently required content teachers to adapt their contents and their teaching methods to successfully work in environments where English is needed. However, the sudden shift has led to many apprehensions and concerns among content teachers who felt pressured towards delivering their lectures in a non-native language with little or no preparation.

The study day is addressed to in-service teachers, language specialists, content specialists, deans, and curriculum designers. Its aim is twofold, (1) Explain the challenges and opportunities of teaching and learning through EMI and (2) Offer guidance on how to design effective scientific content in English and enhance the quality of teaching.

Topics include but are not limited to

1. Training teaching personnel in language proficiency

2. Implications for teachers switching to EMI

3. CLIL, CBI, EMI, ESP

- 4. Syllabus desgin
- 5. Oral communication skills consolidation

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