

# **BOVA-NOVA reactors**

## **WORKSHOP I**

# **NOVA**

## ***Organisational structure***

- **Launched new structure**
- **Funding-oriented (EU applications - Marie Curie)-through PhD networks**
- **Good basis for cooperating with BOVA**

# **Decisions of NOVA**

## *Activities*

- **Decision on priority area-projects on MSc level**
- **Evaluation of PhD courses**
- **Web based applications**
- **Existing statistical data on cooperation**
- **No full agreement with respect to Bologna ( 3+something)**

# **BOVA**

## ***decisions and strategy***

- **Need of strategic focusing on priority areas**
- **Agreed upon establishing BOVA pool for internal funding**
- **BOVA registration as association?  
(advantages and disadvantages)**  
**Put as an unit of existing body?-university?**
- **Decision regarding Joint study programmes  
(PhD and MSc)**

# **BOVA strategy**

- **Framework strategy (priorities discussed among partner universities) of BOVA could impact the process of strategy building of BOVA universities and vice-versa-feedback from universities impacts BOVA strategic priorities**
- **Joint NOVA-BOVA strategy based on external evaluation**
- **BOVA Board to discuss during next meeting draft of ideas submitted by universities put together by BOVA Secretariat**
- **Anchoring team at each partner universities to prepare ideas would need to be established**

# **Coordination within NOVA and BOVA**

- **Sharing of competence**
- **Joint NOVA-BOVA strategy based on external evaluation**
- **Selected just few (not too many) priority areas to show results**
- **Areas should represent joint interests coming up from the regional interests and experience gained during co-operation**
- **Joint strategy in fund raising (with EU funds)**

# **Joint external cooperation of NOVA- BOVA**

- **Exploring East direction  
(PhD studies, MSc , TEMPUS,TACIS,  
INTERREG )**

# **PROPOSALS TO THE N-B EVALUATION TEAM**

- **Appreciation for the efforts**
- **Evaluation approved**
- **Suggestions to go further to have continuous self-assessment and contributing to improvement process**
- **Suggestion for external evaluation to advise on structure but especially to focus on strategic matters**