

## CONCLUSIONS

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1. Adoption of Law on Student Organizing is a priority in Balkan higher education area. Teaching staff and students need to be “on the same side” during the legislative making process. Student representative bodies and student organizations need to cooperate more in finding mutual interests.
2. Student representatives need to serve as an example (“a role model”) to all other students the will follow them. We need quality and qualified student leaders who will fight the best for the interest of all others.
3. Students need to learn to share “the job”, to know who is responsible in caring out specific activities. Student parliaments and organizations need to learn to co-exist.
4. Students need to reevaluate study overload and finish implementation of Bologna process.
5. European qualifications framework for Lifelong Learning, including Qualifications Framework for European Higher Education Area, through implementation of national qualifications framework, represents a good model for reform of national educational system.
6. Benefits of implementation of national qualifications framework for students is in getting education and qualifications that better fits their needs, plan their careers and enable internationally recognised qualifications.
7. Concept of senior students mentoring juniors is beneficial for both students and mentors in promoting strong sense of mutual support and understanding.
8. “In order to learn something modern and new, we need to listen to our ancestors”. Alumni organizations will help us in achieving our goals more quickly and efficiently.
9. New ICT (meaning Information Communication Technology) brings around new possibilities for better learning, distance learning, improved communication, and plenty of benefits that all stakeholders need to grasp for the best benefit for the students.