

Recognition Scheme for Educational Oversight: report of the desk-based analysis of EUSA LLP, March 2021

Outcome of the desk-based analysis

1 From the annual return and documentary evidence, the monitoring team concludes that the EUSA LLP is continuing to maintain academic standards and the quality of student learning opportunities since the [March 2020 RSEO review](#).

Changes since the last QAA review

2 EUSA's Spring 2020 programme commenced as planned, with student numbers aligning with those of 2019. However, owing to the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, all internship-based experiential learning on the Spring programmes was halted and students returned home in early March 2020. Three of the four academic courses had already been completed by the middle of March 2020. The fourth programme, a hybrid experiential and academic course, was completed remotely, with revised learning outcomes reflecting the shift to academic research-based assessment. Summer programmes were all cancelled owing to the pandemic and associated travel ban. Autumn 2020 programmes were all cancelled with one exception, New York University, which ran with a small number of students undertaking newly offered virtual internships in London. Planning and development

Despite highly challenging circumstances, EUSA has made satisfactory progress on the recommendation to ensure documented oversight of actions taken and systematic evaluation at institutional level by all stakeholders

Progress in working with the external reference points to meet UK expectations for higher education

10 EUSA's main external reference points for academic standards continue to be working closely with fully accredited US universities to meet the quality and inclusivity standards of these degree-awa