Reviving the ancient Greek agora for higher education

The ancient Greek agora provided an open space that served as a meeting ground for citizens to exchange ideas and form alliances resulting in historical advances. Is such an agora possible today? The EU-funded aUPaEU project will follow the ancient Greek concept of the agora and build a shared space where all stakeholders can provide and consume services while contributing their knowledge. The project is based on the collaboration of five academic institutions from two European alliances under the European Universities Initiative, EPiCUR and Unite!, which are working to integrate and offer acceleration services in the context of a coordinated support
system for higher education institutions, networks, alliances of universities, and their umbrella organisations.

Fields of science

- social sciences > sociology > gender studies
- social sciences > economics and business > economics
- social sciences > political sciences > political policies
- social sciences > economics and business > business and management
- social sciences > political sciences > public administration

Keywords

- Acceleration agora
- Transformation of HEIs
- Networks
- Alliances
- R&I ecosystem
- Open Science
- Shared Infrastructures
- Researchers careers
- societal outreach
- gender equality

Programme(s)

- HORIZON.4.2 - Reforming and enhancing the European R&I System [MAIN PROGRAMME]
- HORIZON.4.2.6 - Careers and universities

Topic(s)

- HORIZON-WIDER-2022-ERA-01-51 - Acceleration Services in support of the institutional transformation of Higher Education Institutions

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