

National Chapter: **Spain**

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Introduction

Objectives:

The National Chapter Spain is jointly led by the National Agency for Quality Assessment and Accreditation of Spain (ANECA), the Conference of Rectors of Spanish Universities (Crue) and the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC).

Its mission is to support the reform of research assessment in Spain, recognising the diverse outputs, practices and activities that maximise the quality and impact of research.

Its aims are in close connection with the commitments of the Agreement, with particular attention to:

Commitment 6, by creating a joint initiative to promote and support the revision and development of the research assessment criteria, tools, and processes in Spain, in line with the Agreement principles and criteria described in the four core commitments;

Commitment 7, by engaging with research performing and research funding organisations as well as evaluation agencies and researchers' associations in Spain, whether they have signed the Agreement or not; and

Commitment 8, by enabling mutual learning within the Chapter and in collaboration with the CoARA working groups.

The European reform initiative opens an opportunity to reflect on the research evaluation system in Spain and will allow proposals for improvement to be put forward in line with the rest of the international research community so that research and innovation in Spain can continue to grow in excellence and, academic and societal impact.

The National Chapter Spain brings together universities, research centres, national quality assurance agencies and learned societies in an effort to advance research assessment at a national level in alignment with CoARA

List of all affiliated organisations

- National Agency for Quality Assessment and Accreditation of Spain (ANECA)
- The Conference of Rectors of Spanish Universities (Crue)
- Spanish National Research Council (CSIC)
- ACCUA
- Agencia de Calidad Universitaria de las Illes Balears
- AQU Catalunya
- AQuAS
- AVAP Agència Valenciana d'Avaluació i Prospectiva
- Centre de Recerca Matemàtica (CRM)
- EU-LIFE
- FECYT
- Fundación Agencia Aragonesa para la Investigación y el Desarrollo (ARAID)
- Fundación para la Investigación Biomédica del Hospital Universitario La Paz
- Fundación Universidad San Jorge
- IDIBAPS
- Institució CERCA
- Institut Català de Nanociència i Nanotecnologia (ICN2)
- Institut de Bioenginyeria de Catalunya
- Instituto de Investigación Sanitaria Biodonostia (IIS Biodonostia)
- ISGlobal - Barcelona Institute for Global Health
- Sociedad Científica Informática de España (SCIE)
- Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona
- Universidad Autónoma de Madrid
- Universidad Carlos III de Madrid
- Universidad CEU Cardenal Herrera
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- Vall Hebron Institut de Recerca
- ACPUA-Agencia de Calidad y Prospectiva Universitaria de Aragón
- ACSUG
- Agencia para la Calidad del Sistema Universitario de Castilla y León

- Fundación para el Conocimiento madrimasd
- Fundación Universidad Católica de Valencia San Vicente Mártir
- Unibasq-Agencia de Calidad del Sistema Universitario Vasco
- Universidad Camilo José Cela
- Universidad de Castilla-La Mancha
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