

## **Help bridge the gap from High School to University**

We are looking for first and second year students to participate in developing materials and activities to help first-year students integrate into university. We would like you to share your experience of being a student and help shape activities to support future students entering University.

We are calling for 3-5 students at the University of Belgrade to participate in the [Circle U.](#) European University Alliance to develop student-driven bridging activities at Circle U. universities. You will work alongside representatives across the [Circle U. institutions](#) in London, Paris, Berlin, Oslo, Louvain, Belgrade and Aarhus. The group will discuss the challenges faced during the transition from high school to university, and develop programmes, activities and/ or online tools which support the social and academic integration of first-year students.

Students will get the chance to work together with peers from other Circle U. universities across Europe, contribute their ideas to this important topic and gain valuable experience for their CVs. A two-day event including the participating students from across Circle U. is planned for Autumn 2022, which we hope will take place in person. Travel expenses for any in-person events will be covered.

The group will be supported by the academic and professional staff working on the project. The project is led by prof. Dalibor Sokolovic from the Faculty of Philology.

### **Time commitment**

From April 2022, the student focus group will meet online every two weeks for one to two hours. The first meeting will be with other representatives from the University of Belgrade and is scheduled to take place in April. On average, we expect that students would contribute 1 hour per week to the development of activities outside of the meeting. The group is expected to run until December 2022.

### **How to apply**

Please send expressions of interest and self-nominations to [nikola.savic@rect.bg.ac.rs](mailto:nikola.savic@rect.bg.ac.rs) by 28/03/2022. Please include a 200-word explanation of your motivation for getting involved and what you hope to achieve.

If you would like to discuss this opportunity, please email Nikola Savic on [nikola.savic@rect.bg.ac.rs](mailto:nikola.savic@rect.bg.ac.rs)