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Aragon Agency for Quality Assurance and Strategic Foresight (ACPUA)
Spain

10th of March 2023

Dear Mr. Serrano,

Re: Statement by the INQAAHE Board on the recognition of Aragon Agency for Quality Assurance and Strategic Foresight (ACPUA)

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the *International Network for Quality Assurance Agencies in Higher Education (INQAAHE)*, I extend my congratulations to the *Aragon Agency for Quality Assurance and Strategic Foresight (ACPUA)* for completing a recognition process against the *INQAAHE Guidelines of Good Practice (GGP) 2016*.

The INQAAHE Board, on its meeting of 28th of February 2023, approved the recommendation of the INQAAHE GGP Recognition Committee on recognizing ACPUA as substantially compliant with GGPs 2 and 4, and fully compliant with GGPs 1, 3 and 5 of the INQAAHE Guidelines of Good Practice (GGP), as per the overview below:

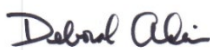
GUIDELINES OF GOOD PRACTICE

GGP1:	The Structure of the External Quality Assurance Agency (EQAA)	Fully compliant
GGP2:	Accountability of the EQAA	Substantially compliant
GGP3:	The EQAA'S Framework for the External Review of Quality in Higher Education Institutions	Fully compliant
GGP4:	The EQAA and its Relationship to the Public	Substantially compliant
GGP5:	Decision Making	Fully compliant
GGP6:	The QA of Cross Border Higher Education	Does not apply

As per the INQAAHE GGP Recognition Committee's recommendation, the INQAAHE Board recognizes ACPUA as fully aligned with the INQAAHE GGPs 2016 for a duration of **3 years** commencing on the day the decision was taken. The INQAAHE Board also endorses the GGP Recognition Committee's Recommendations and suggestions regarding areas of enhancement and respectfully requests that an enhancement plan to be submitted within 2 months from the decision date and an interim progress report to be submitted within two years of this notice.

As such, and as per the duration mentioned, ACPUA will be enlisted in the list of the INQAAHE GGP aligned agencies on the INQAAHE respective webpage. This achievement entitles ACPUA to be a GGP Recognized INQAAHE Member and avail respective benefits related to the category of membership.

Congratulations again on this major step towards enhancement.
Sincerely,



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INQAAHE President