**University of Latvia** will host the Blended Erasmus+ Staff Training organised by the European University Foundation with the aim to improve the daily work and intercultural competences of the academic and administrative staff working with international colleagues and students from 29th till 31st May, 2017.

This 3-days Higher Education staff training will offer the participants to experience a combination of traditional physical training with e-learning components including also an online webinar preceding the event.

**More information and application:**  <http://uni-foundation.eu/best-riga>

Agenda

**Webinar** - Introduction to Interculturality - Monday, 22 May 2017

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| Day 1 - Monday, 29 May 2017 |
| **Morning** | Introduction and WelcomeImportance of Intercultural learning in the framework of university staff in international relationsErasmus+ staff mobility opportunities and how it fosters a EHEA |
| **Afternoon** | Culture and social diversity Cultural understandings of social hierarchy, management and time |
| **Evening** | Erasmus+ 30th anniversary dinner at Lirumlarum |
| Day 2 - Tuesday, 30 May 2017 |
| **Morning** | Intercultural competence and communicationIntercultural communication in a professional setting |
| **Afternoon** | Guided boat tour of Riga |
| Day 3 - Wednesday, 31 May 2017 |
| **Morning** | Student exchange programmes and cultural encounters |
| **Afternoon** | Networking |
| **Farewell** |