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**Registration
and welcome coffee**
8.30 / 9.00

**Welcome
and opening remarks**
9.00 / 9.30

- *Prof. Donata Vianelli*,
Rector, University of Trieste
 - *Mrs. Alessia Rosolen*,
Regional Minister for Labour,
Training, Education, Research,
Universities and Family,
Region Friuli Venezia Giulia
 - *Mr. Maurizio De Blasio*,
Councilor for Education
and Family Affairs, Municipality
of Trieste
-

**From MOOCs to genAI:
Promise and Practice
of Educational Technology
in Higher Education
and Lifelong Learning**
9.30 / 10.10

- *Prof. Christian Stöhr*,
Chalmers University, Gothenburg

**Rethinking Education
in the Age of AI: Opportunities,
Risks, and Implementation
Pathways**

10.10 / 10.50
– *Prof. Senad Becirovic*,
Pädagogische Hochschule
Niederösterreich / Baden

Coffee break
10.50 / 11.20

**Generative AI for Non-Technical
Learners: From Empirical
Findings in Coding Education
to Perspectives on
Multidisciplinary Education**
11.20 / 12.45

- *Prof. Alessandra Melonio*,
Ca' Foscari University of Venice
 - *Prof. Teresa Scantamburlo*,
University of Trieste
-

Lunch
12.45 / 14.00

**Round Table: From Digital
Learning to Workforce Skills:
Aligning Higher Education
with Societal and Industry
Needs**

- 14.00 / 15.15
- *Mrs. Silvia Agostini*,
Moderator / University of Trieste
 - *Prof. Pier Vincenzo Di Terlizzi*,
Principal / Kennedy Technical
Institute, Pordenone
 - *Mrs. Patrizia Pavatti*,
Head of the Education,
Guidance and Student
Support Unit / Region Friuli
Venezia Giulia
 - *Mr. Paolo Omero*,
CEO, InfoFactory, Udine
 - *Mr. Claudio De Masi*,
President of foundation
Randstad AI & Humanities
and Chief Public Administration
Officer, Milan
 - *Mr. Marco Olivotto*,
General Director, LEF / Lean
Experience Factory, San Vito
al Tagliamento / Pordenone

Coffee break
15.15 / 15.45

**Governing Change:
The University
as a Pedagogical Laboratory**
15.45 / 16.25

- *Prof. Pier Cesare Rivoltella*,
University of Bologna
-

**The ALMA Digital Education
Hub Project**
16.25 / 17.05

- *Prof. Fortunato Musella*,
Director, ALMA Digital
Education Hub
-

**The ALMA Project for UniTS:
From Results to Future
Perspectives**
17.05 / 17.45

- *Prof. Paolo Edomi*,
University of Trieste
-

Aperitif
18.00 / 19.00