

## **GNLC Webinar: Higher Education Institutions supporting local communities during COVID-19**

UNESCO Global Network of Learning Cities, UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning

Date and Time: 15 April 2020, 13:00 to 14:00, Central European Time

Place: GNLC Webinar Online https://zoom.us/j/849793306, Meeting ID: 849 793 306

## **Programme**

Time	Item
13:00-13:05	Moderator introduction  Ms Marie Macauley, Programme Specialist, UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning (UIL)
	Welcoming remarks Ms Edith Hammer, Programme Specialist, UIL
13:05-13:15	Opening address: Responses of Higher Education Institutions in face of COVID-19
	Mr Francesc Pedró, Director, UNESCO International Institute for Higher Education in Latin America and the Caribbean (UNESCO-IESALC)
13:15- 13:22	The American University in Cairo: Supporting local communities and promoting lifelong learning during COVID-19
	Ms Malak Zaalouk, Professor of Practice, Director of the Graduate School of Education, Middle East Institute of Higher Education, The American University in Cairo, Egypt
13:22-13:30	University of Glasgow: Supporting local communities during COVID-19 in the context of a learning city
	Mr Mike Osborne, Professor – Chair of Adult and Lifelong Education, Deputy Director of the Social Innovation Laboratory, University of Glasgow, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
13:30 – 13:38	Bahir Dar University: Supporting local communities during COVID-19 in the context of a learning city
	Mr Abiy Menkir Gizaw, Lecturer and Community Service Director, Department of Adult Education and Community Development, Bahir Dar University, Ethiopia
13:38- 13:45	Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile: Supporting local communities and promoting lifelong learning during COVID-19
	Mr Patricio Donoso, Provost for Managerial Institutional Affairs, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, Chile
13:45- 14:00	Questions and answers followed by closing remarks