

Holding The 6th ABEST21 Online Workshop "Assuring the Quality of the Online Lectures"

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On Thursday, April 22 2021 the 6th ABEST21 online workshop "Assuring the Quality of Online Lectures" held with Adjunct Associate Professor Catherine Sibala, School of International Corporate Strategy, Hitotsubashi University, Japan and Senior Lecturer Dr. Jayne Bye, School of Business, Western Sydney University Australia as the speakers.



Adjunct Associate Professor Catherine Sibala explained how they assure their quality of online education under the pandemic situation. She said that

Hitotsubashi ICS took technological measures to improve the quality of online education. For example, they installed high-quality camera, moderate amount of HUB and LAN Cable to assure

the internet connection and so on. Also, they introduced online communication tools such as Zoom and Miro to push online discussion in online class. Through these approaches, she told us that her school need to enhance online education with increasing asynchronous class and discussion class to improve the online education. After her presentation, they discussed about how to improve behaviors of students and teaching staff by developing the counterpart measure to the pandemic situation. Also, they shared their knowledge and experience in order to develop hybrid classes.



Dr. Jayne Bye explained the pandemic situation in Western Sydney University in Australia and how they acted for

students. After they turned to emergency remote teaching, they combined real time teaching with Zoom and asynchronous class with pre-recorded video to maintain the quality of online education. In these measures, they found that internet facilities in student's house are the key to improve the quality of online education. At the same time, she told us that her school need to provide teaching staff with new ways of working in online education. For future challenges, she pointed out how to invigilate examinations and to organize hybrid class system. After her presentation, they share their issue to be improved on invigilating online examination, developing hybrid classes and so on.

The 7th online workshop is going to be held on May 20, 2021.

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