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Network for astronomy school education - NASE

Report for the period from August 2015 to November 2016

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During this period NASE organized:

1) 25 courses

- 69th Honolulu (USA) – August 2015
- 70th Tegucigalpa (Honduras)- August 2015
- 71st Bogotá (Colombia) – October 2015
- 72nd Bucaramanga (Colombia) – October 2015
- 73rd Salta (Argentina) – November 2015
- 74th Concordia (Argentina) – November 2015
- 75th Rosario (Uruguay) – December 2015
- 76th Tegucigalpa (Honduras) – February 2016
- 77th Macas (Ecuador) – April 2016
- 78th San Luis Potosí (México) - May 2016
- 79th Matehuala (México) - June 2016
- 80th Guatemala (Guatemala) - June 2016
- 81st Managua (Nicaragua) - July 2016
- 82nd Malang (Indonesia) - July 2016
- 83rd Pamplona (Spain) - July 2016
- 84th Mendoza (Argentina) – August 2016
- 85th Villarubia (Paraguay) – August 2016
- 86th Tegucigalpa (Honduras) – August 2016
- 87th Cluj (Romania) – September 2016
- 88th Jujuy (Argentina) – September 2016
- 89th Concordia (Argentina) – September 2016
- 90th Habana (Cuba) - September 2016
- 91st Bogota (Colombia) – October 2016
- 92nd Medellin (Colombia) – October 2016
- 93rd San Luis Potosi (Mexico) – October 2016

- 2) The first seminar in the Bogota Planetarium on NASE Practical Astronomy Education involving coordinators of Central and South American countries (Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Cuba, Ecuador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Spain and Uruguay).
- 3) NASE has got certification IRAM-ISO 29990-2013 standards in Argentina, which means about ‘Learning services for non-formal education and training’ and basic requirements for learning service providers (LSP), in order to achieve compliance with certain goals and achieve concrete results that comply with an applicable standard worldwide. This certification is necessary to get for each country. In this way Argentina is opening a way for the establishment of certification in other countries, although NASE does not make this

documentation for all 21 member countries, because of the financial investment that this would represent. All countries that are part of NASE are governed by the same dynamics and structures but to certify the quality standards the president of NASE has decided to certify first in the country where the program NASE is more widespread and where they have developed more courses, which is in Argentina. In spite of that, the documentation can be very easily extended to other countries after changing a few specific details.

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