

## **Annex I: HENRE glossary of Radiography Education Terminology**

**Assessment:** Evaluation of a students work via examination, essay writing, research or project work. Is also a term used in quality assurance to measure the outcomes of a programme (accreditation of learning). Has a criterion to be measured against.

**Clinical Placement/Study:** Learning in the clinical environment. Student is encouraged to transfer theory into practice under supervision.

**Competency:** To acquire knowledge/skills/attitude and ability to perform/demonstrate skills. Can be measured.

**E-Learning:** A method of interactive learning in a digital environment e.g. discussion forum, computer assisted learning, no fixed time or location, web-based environment. Can involve assessment.

**Examination:** Seen or unseen assessment on a specific topic with a specified number of questions to answer.

**Independent Learning:** Student initiated learning. Study may be directed or undirected.

**Learning Outcome:** A description of what we want to achieve at the end of a process. Expressed in terms of student competence. The focus is on the students experience and achievements.

**Lecture:** Information transfer by the teacher (expert) to a large group of student listeners in an essentially non-interactive environment. Focus is on introduction of new material.

**Mentorship:** Supervision by a senior to provide support and guidance to enable the student to achieve. Acts as a role model over a period of time. The focus is on a holistic approach to student welfare.

**Module:** A specifically defined part of a course. A unit of study linked to an area of theory and practice.

**Seminar:** Student led teaching and learning on a specific pre-researched topic. The emphasis is on active participation and the sharing of ideas/knowledge. May involve some knowledge transfer.

**Tutorial:** Personal interaction/support with a student on a one to one basis or very small group. The aim is to reinforce knowledge and understanding and provide feedback to student.

**Workshop:** Sharing of ideas in-group setting on a given task. Teacher facilitates active participation (brain-storming).