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ECML training and consultancy: network meeting (Graz, Austria, 7-8 March 2017) and upcoming national workshops

ECML training and consultancy activities for member states respond in a targeted and bilateral way to specific national priorities in the Centre's member states. The content of each activity is tailored to target groups and needs expressed by ECML representatives at national level.

The meeting held at the ECML on 7 and 8 March provided a platform for 44 local organisers of 12 national training workshops and ECML consultants to clarify issues about the nature of activities (aim, outcomes, scope, format etc.). It focused on 5 of the 10 areas of training and consultancy offered by the ECML. The two-day event also allowed the local organisers and the teams moderating the activities to explore aspects relevant to the local needs and context and to become familiar with specific materials, and to plan further dates and details.

- [Website dedicated to ECML training and consultancy for member states](#)



ECML training and consultancy for member states: upcoming events in 2017

Dates	Venues	National training workshops / National support events (view details)	Local organisers
Content and Language Integrated Learning A pluriliteracies approach to teaching for learning (CLIL) To train teachers in the use of adaptable curricular models and teaching materials that help ensure deeper learning both in terms of language and in terms of subject-specific literacies. Coordinator: Oliver Meyer.			
26-27 May 2017	Belgrade, Serbia		Aleksandra Begović, Serbia
28-29 August 2017 Dates to be confirmed	Finland		Finnish National Board of Education/Swedish language education
13 September 2017	The Hague, The Netherlands		Boersma, Project Officer, Nuffic, Schools Network Department, The Hague
October 2017	Pedagogical University of Tyrol (PHT), Innsbruck, Austria		
6-7 October 2017	ECML, Graz Austria	Bundesseminar "State-of-the-art-Konzepte zum sprachsensiblen/sprachbewussten Arbeiten im Fachunterricht im Vergleich" National support event: Introduction to the ECML project: A pluriliteracies approach to teaching for learning"	
4-5 December 2017 Dates to be confirmed	ECML, Graz, Austria	Expert meeting	
Evaluation and assessment** Relating language curricula, tests and examinations to the Common European Framework of Reference (RELANG) Innovative methodologies and assessment in language learning, EU – ECML cooperation agreement 2016-2017. Coordinator: José Noijons.			
10-12 April 2017	Riga, Latvia		Rita Kursite, National Centre for Education

19-21 April 2017	Lisbon, Portugal		Ana Xavier, Directorate General for Education, Ministry of Education
2-4 May 2017	Floriana, Malta		Alice Micallef, Directorate for Quality and Standards in Education
10-12 May 2017	Madrid, Spain		María Ángeles Rivero Moreno, Ministry of Education, Culture and Sports
24-26 May 2017	Dublin, Ireland		Karen Ruddock, Post-Primary Languages Initiative, Marino Institute of Education
29-31 August 2017	Brussels, Belgium		Karine Dekeukelaere, Ministère de la Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles
Adult migrants Quality assurance in language and citizenship courses To enhance the quality of language and citizenship courses for adult migrants by focusing on quality assurance of courses and on improving the level of expertise of teachers and teacher trainers. Coordinator: Richard Rossner.			
October 2017 Dates to be confirmed	Malta		
November 2017 Dates to be confirmed	Luxembourg		
Young migrants** Supporting multilingual classrooms Innovative methodologies and assessment in language learning, EU – ECML cooperation agreement 2016-2017. Coordinator: Brigitte Gerber.			
20-21 April 2017	Tallinn, Estonia		Kärt-Katrin Pere, Foundation Innove
27-28 April 2017	Prague, Czech Republic		Kamila Sladkovská, National Institute for Education
27-28 April 2017	Floriana, Malta		Lara Debono, Ministry for Education and Employment - Migrant Learners' Unit

4-5 May 2017	Thessaloniki, Greece		Marina Mattheoudakis, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
8-9 May 2017	Helsinki, Finland		Elina Turunen, Finnish-Russian School
10-11 May 2017	Brussels, Belgium		Karine Dekeukelaere, Ministère de la Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles
7-8 July 2017	Graz, Austria		Petra Weiss, Brigitte Stückler Sturm - Österreichisches Sprachen-Kompetenz-Zentrum
Mobility Plurilingual and intercultural learning through mobility (PluriMobil) To provide teachers, teacher trainers and international officers with training and practical resources to help them support the plurilingual and intercultural learning of students before, during and after a mobility activity. Coordinator: Mirjam Egli.			
15-17 June 2017 Dates to be confirmed	Denmark		
2-5 September 2017 Dates to be confirmed	Armenia		
20-22 October 2017 Dates to be confirmed	Switzerland		
Online technology Use of ICT in support of language teaching and learning (ICT-REV) To provide training in the application of pedagogical principles in teaching languages with technology and to promote the effective use of ICT tools and open resources in support of quality language teaching and learning. Coordinators: Pauline Ernest.			
4-5 May 2017	Armenia		Satenik Arakelyan
21 September 2017	Luxembourg		Jean-Marc Putz, Christiane Klein
26 October 2017	Montenegro. Podgorica		Natasa Peric

Plurilingual education Plurilingual and intercultural competences: descriptors and teaching materials (FREPA) To enhance plurilingual and intercultural education at grassroots level (teacher training and classroom teaching) or at a policy level (curriculum design, reform of educational policies) or any level in between. Coordinator: Michel Candelier.			
8-9 May 2017	Greece	Training workshop View details	Chryssa Laskaridou, EFL state school advisor, Regional Directorate of primary and secondary education Central Macedonia, Greece
6-7 November 2017	University of Essen, Germany	Training workshop dates to be confirmed	Daniel Reimann, University of Duisburg-Essen
28-29 November 2017	ECML, Graz, Austria	Pluralistic approaches for teacher training (CARAP/FREPA) - Colloquium	
Romani Quality education in Romani for Europe (QualiRom) To promote quality education in Romani within a human rights perspective by providing training on the use of QualiRom materials and consultancy on the Curriculum Framework for Romani for curriculum development. Coordinator: David Little.			
12-13 September 2017	Zagreb, Croatia	Introducing the Curriculum Framework for Romani	Ingrid Jurela Jarak, Ministry of Education of Croatia
15-16 September 2017	Niš, Serbia	Introducing the Curriculum Framework for Romani	Ministry of Education, Center for teacher training in Niš
Teacher education Using the European Portfolio for Student Teachers of Languages (EPOSTL) To support reflection and self-assessment of the didactic knowledge and skills necessary to teach languages. Coordinator: David Newby.			
12 October 2017	Faculty of Philosophy, Department of English, Sarajevo University, Bosnia and Herzegovina	Preparatory meeting of training workshop	
13-14 October 2017		Workshop	Merima Osmankadić and Larisa Kasumagić-Kafedžić, Bosnia and Herzegovina
Electronic European Language Portfolio Supporting local networks in using an electronic European Language Portfolio To offer advice in the process of introducing and/or improving electronic European Language Portfolio platforms and in establishing effective networks of users and stakeholders. Coordinator: Bärbel Kühn.			
		Currently no request for 2017	