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Re: Nomination of participants to Workshop No 1/2011¹ (16-18 February 2011) "Minority languages, collateral languages and bi-/plurilingual education" (EBP-ICI) within the framework of the ECML's third medium-term programme of activities 2008 - 2011, Graz, Austria

Venue: Graz, Austria

Dates: 16-18 February 2011

Participants: 1 delegate per member state,

to be nominated by the national nominating authorities

Working languages: English and French, with simultaneous interpretation

Deadline for nomination: 17 December 2011

Profile of participants

Preferably experts who participated in the network meeting in May 2010, if applicable. To ensure dissemination of project results priority should be given to decision-makers, experts running networks and/or projects and teacher trainers.

Professional background

Decision-makers, teacher trainers, researchers (language teaching and didactics, language education policies)

Experience, competences required

- University researchers, teacher trainers: with competences in sociolinguistics and variation, language awareness, integrated didactics, inter-comprehension, with a background in regional and minority languages;
- Institutional managers and decisions-makers in the field of language education policies: knowledge of and experience in teaching of regional and minority languages, bilingual education and or integrated didactics;
- Networks of national (private or public) or international associations (such as Mercator) involved in supporting regional and minority languages and in the dissemination of information on these languages and on the teaching of these languages.

Expected involvement/tasks before, during and after the event

- Expertise: assisting in the evaluation of materials produced by the project team;
- Contribution in the process of drafting useful recommendation for the final publication;
- Dissemination of project results and products as well as examples of good practice acquired at the workshop.

Information on the project is available online on the ECML project website under: http://ebp-ici.ecml.at/

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¹ Visa pending