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### Professional Network Forum of the ECML: forthcoming events

The Professional Network Forum of the ECML is formed of international associations and institutions that share common values and have overlapping expertise in the field of language education and assessment. Under the auspices of the ECML, the members of the Forum have agreed to share their know-how and have committed themselves to work together on areas of common interest in the service of language education.

#### Current members:

**ACTFL** (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages),  
**AILA** (International Association of Applied Linguistics),  
**ALTE** (Association of Language Testers in Europe),  
**CEL/ELC** (Conseil Européen pour les Langues/ European Language Council),  
**CercleS** (European Confederation of Language Centres in Higher Education),  
**EALTA** (European Association for Language Testing and Assessment),  
**EAQUALS** (Evaluation and Accreditation of Quality in Language Services),  
**ECSPM** (European Civil Society platform for multilingualism),  
**ECML** (European Centre for Modern Languages) of the Council of Europe,  
**EDiLiC** (Education, Cultural and Linguistic Diversity),  
**EFNIL** (European Federation of National Institutions for Language),  
**EPA** (European Parents' Association),  
**EUNIC** (European Union National Institutes for Culture),  
**FIPLV** (Fédération Internationale des Professeurs de Langues Vivantes),  
**IAM** (International Association of Multilingualism),  
**ICC** (International Certificate Conference e.V.),  
**OLBI** (Official Languages and Bilingualism Institute of the University of Ottawa).

- Flyer of the network: [English](#) – [French](#)
- Dedicated web pages: [English](#) – [French](#)

The following events as well as national events can also be found in the [International Calendar of the ECML](#).



<i>(Listed in alphabetical order of the members)</i>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>
<b>ACTFL</b>		
Website: <a href="https://www.actfl.org/">https://www.actfl.org/</a>		
<a href="#">ACTFL 2021</a> Pre-Convention Workshops: 18 November 2021 Annual Convention and World Languages Expo: 19-20 November 2021	19-21 November 2021	<b>Call for proposals: deadline to submit a proposal   15 January 2021</b>  San Diego Convention Center and Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina, San Diego, CA, USA
Pre-Convention Workshops: 17 November 2022 Annual Convention and World Languages Expo: 18-20 November 2022	18-20 November 2022	Boston Convention and Exhibition Center and Westin Boston Waterfront Hotel, Boston, MA, USA
Pre-Convention Workshops: 16 November 2023 Annual Convention and World Languages Expo: 17-19 November 2023	17-19 November 2023	McCormick Place West Building and Hyatt Regency McCormick Place Hotel, Chicago, IL, USA
Pre-Convention Workshops: 21 November 2024 Annual Convention and World Languages Expo: 22-24 November 2024	22-24 November 2024	Pennsylvania Convention Center and Philadelphia Marriott Downtown Hotel, Philadelphia, PA, USA
Pre-Convention Workshops: November 20, 2025 Annual Convention and World Languages Expo: November 21-23, 2025	20-23 November 2025	Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, New Orleans, LA, USA
<b>AILA</b>		
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<a href="#">Participation through language: Actors, practices, ideologies</a>	25-26 March 2021	ZHAW Zurich University of Applied Sciences, Winterthur, Switzerland (and online)
<a href="#">Centre for Applied Linguistics and Multilingualism (CALM) – Webinar series</a>	15 April – 19 November 2021	Online (organised by Centre for Applied Linguistics and Multilingualism, National University of Ireland, Galway)
<a href="#">3rd International Conference “Entretextos”</a> Conference theme: <a href="#">Discourse genres, corpus and translation in professional and academic contexts. Challenges and opportunities in the digital age</a>	13-14 May 2021	University of Alicante, Spain
<a href="#">19th AILA World Congress</a>	15-21 August 2021	University of Groningen, Groningen, Netherlands (virtual basis, additional hybrid layer if possible)
<a href="#">14th RaAM conference</a> Conference theme: <a href="#">Metaphor and Space</a>	23-26 June 2021	Vilnius University, Lithuania (and online)
<a href="#">ONELA 2021: Colloque AFLA and AILA Europe Junior Researchers 2021</a> Conference Theme: <a href="#">Instruments and explorations in applied linguistics</a>	19-21 October 2021	Toulouse, France
<a href="#">IRAAL Online Lecture: Corpus linguistics and natural language processing tools in text readability assessment</a>	11 December 2020	Online (organised by IRAAL)
<b>ALTE</b>		
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<a href="#">ALTE 1st Online International Colloquium</a>	28-30 April 2021	Online

<a href="#">7<sup>th</sup> International Conference: Safeguarding the future of multilingual assessment</a>	2022 or 2023	
<b>CercleS</b>		
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>EALTA</b>		
<a href="#">The 17th Annual EALTA Conference</a> "Variations on common standards"	1-6 June 2021	Budapest, Hungary
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>EAQUALS</b>		
<a href="#">Eaquals 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference</a>	22-24 April 2021	Europa Hotel, Belfast, United Kingdom
<a href="#">Upcoming webinars</a>		
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>ECSPM</b>		
<a href="#">Linguistic &amp; Cultural (Super)Diversity at Work – From theory and policy to action and (digital) practices</a>	Initially scheduled for 11-13 March 2020, now postponed	
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>European Centre for Modern Languages (ECML) of the Council of Europe</b>		
<a href="#">Programme activities – Annual calendar</a>		
<b>EDiLiC</b>		
<a href="#">Congrès EDiLiC</a>	2021	Thessalonique
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>EFNIL</b>		
<a href="#">Event calendar</a>		
<b>CEL/ELC</b>		
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<b>EPA</b>		
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<b>EUNIC</b>		
<a href="#">Event calendar</a> <a href="#">Webinars</a>		
<b>FIPLV</b>		
<a href="#">FIPLV World Congress of Modern Languages</a> "Language education in the times of global change: The need for collaboration and new perspectives"	27-29 June 2022	Warsaw, Poland
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>IAM</b>		
<a href="#">12th International Conference on Third Language Acquisition and Multilingualism</a> A doctoral workshop will be held on the day preceding the conference. <a href="#">Conference website</a>	8-11 September 2021	University of Zagreb, Croatia
<a href="#">Website</a>		

<b>ICC</b>		
<a href="#">EUROLTA and the changes to the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR ) focusing on mediation - Webinar with Katharina Palcu and Myriam Fischer</a>	28 January 2021, 17:00 CET	
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		
<b>OLBI / University of Ottawa</b>		
<a href="#">Bilingualism and beyond: Advancing the thinking on pedagogies, policies and practices</a>	29 April – 1 <sup>st</sup> May 2021	Online
<a href="#">Events calendar</a>		