

Developing International Projects for Schools
Sunday 26 September - Saturday 2 October 2021, Lisbon
#DIPS21

Day-to-Day Course Programme

Sunday 26 September	
Evening	Arrival of participants. Welcome Drinks (optional event)
Monday 27 September	
09.15- 11.00	Introductions and Ice Breaker: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Getting to know each other ● Collaborative activity to discuss aims and objectives of the week.
11.00 - 11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.30 - 13.00	Keynote Speaker: Dr Kevin Rowland M.B.E <i>“Network leadership, system thinkers in action”</i>
13.00-14.15	<i>Lunch</i>
14.15-15.15	Workshop (3 groups) Sharing good practice in the management and implementation of international projects. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Presenting good practice for international projects: LFEE Europe accredited courses from Scottish Government. ● LFEE Europe / Interacting tailor-made courses to suit the needs of schools. Themes include: Working with an international partner - Making the most of hosting
15.15-16.30	Mini exhibition and Mocktail party 1... present your projects! Sharing of good practice - participants present their own projects followed by Networking to find potential partners.

	Discussion + Learning Log
20.00	"Free" dinner and evening

Tuesday 28 September	
09.15 - 09.45	Warm up activity
09.45 - 11.00	Stefan Schaaf, Director of Erasmus+ National Agency in Germany <i>"Erasmus+ 2021 - 2027: Opportunities and Innovations"</i>
11.00 - 11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.30 - 13.00	3 revolving workshops of 45 mins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Kevin Rowland: <i>Creativity and School Leadership</i> ● Meri Aatsinki-Hämäläinen: <i>Internationalisation of the Finnish School System</i> ● <i>Games for leadership and making connections</i>
13.00 - 14.15	<i>Lunch</i>
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15.00 - 16.15	Plenary DAREIC Montpellier <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Strategies workshop led by DAREIC Montpellier: Applying for Erasmus + funding
16.15 - 17.15	Mocktail Party Part 2: Sharing of good practice - participants present their own projects followed by Networking to find potential partners.
	Group dinner

Wednesday 29 September	
09.15 - 09.45	Warm up activity
09.45 - 11.00	<p>Fred Verboon, Director, The European School Heads Association</p> <p>“Creating, developing and sustaining a successful international Programme for schools”</p>
11.00-11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.30-13.30	<p>Revolving Workshops</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vasco Corisco, Project Officer - Adult Education, Erasmus+ National Agency, Portugal: “Internationalisation of Portuguese Education” • Juanma Melgar Jiménez, Centro del Profesorado Norte de Tenerife: “Connecting Tenerife to Europe: sharing good practices on the internationalisation of Schools”
13.30-14.00	Discussion + Learning Log
14.00	<i>Lunch</i>
	<p>Free afternoon and evening</p> <p>Cultural activities to strengthen links between participants</p>

Thursday 30 September	
09.15 -09.45	Warm up activity
9.45 - 10.45	<p>Choose your workshop:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Turing Programme. Pupils' mobilities with the United Kingdom. Lesley Atkins, International Education Officer, Glasgow City Council. • Vocational Projects. Sharing good practices. Workshop led by Portuguese colleagues from vocational schools.
10.45 - 11.00	Ask our Specialists: prepare your questions for the panel show

11.00- 11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
11.30 - 13.00	Panel Show: Q&A to a panel of specialists including Jens, Vasco, Kevin, Fred, Meri, participants, etc.
13.00 - 14.15	<i>Lunch</i>
14.15 - 16.00	Workshop. 3 groups. Working on an Erasmus+ project & New project development: a practical, hands-on workshop.
16.00 - 16.30	Discussion + Learning Log
20.00	"Free" dinner and evening

Friday 1 October	
09.15 - 9.45	Warm up activity
9.45 - 11.00	Workshop <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delegates to develop and finalise an international project suitable for their school/Local Authority. Presentation of new international projects by delegates.
11.00-11.30	<i>Coffee break</i>
14.00	The week in pictures: watch the film of the week! Assessment, Certificates of Attendance and any other administration End of course.
	<i>Lunch</i>
	Farewell buffet and drinks

Saturday 2 October	
	Departure of participants

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Aims:

- Sharing best practices
- Meeting new partners
- Exchanging ideas for projects
- Finding out more about the new Erasmus+ programme
- Running and managing an international project
- Efficient tools for communication
- Interactive blended approach both online and face to face
- Dynamic school leaders
- Communities of Practice: creating and nurturing a learning community
- Extending networks
- Exploring the Portuguese school system and comparing it with systems from other countries
- Presenting the new UK Turing Programme.

Audience:

- International Project Coordinators in Schools
- International Project Coordinators in charge of a Consortium / Local Educational Authority
- Current participants in International Projects
- Teachers/Managers interested in future projects.

Speakers/Presenters: This course is run by **LFEE Europe and our partner, InterActing**. We combine a wide range of experiences, from developing and running courses to leading multinational research and innovation projects. Our team includes:

- Representatives of National Agencies
- School leaders
- International coordinators
- Course providers
- Policy makers.

Number of participants: 100. Working groups will be organised during the week.