

ESP Conference

The 24th ESP-conference runs from Wednesday March 3rd to Sunday March 7th, 2010. The conference as a whole is a Comenius in-service training for teachers and head teachers. The programme consists of keynote speeches, a variety of workshops on ICT-innovation within education. School visits, social events, singing and dancing are also included. Happening in London...

ESP Contact Seminar

Wednesday March 3rd, at an extra fee of €100. Arrivals March 2nd. The conference is preceded by workshops, specifically designed for beginners in the field of international Computer Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL) projects. It also enables teachers to create international project which support creative learning.

Conference Fee

ESP Contact Seminar plus Conference: €500 (€470 members)

ESP Conference: €400 (€370 ESP members).

The conference fee includes most food, some drinks, conference materials, social evening, school visits and transport.

Membership ESP Association

Become a member of the ESP learning community of teachers! Membership fee for 2010: € 30.

Hotel

The conference hotel is the [Strand Palace Hotel](#), London.

- Single rooms: £ 90 (circa € 115) per person per night;
- Double rooms: £ 60 (circa € 75) per person per night (but you have to share).

English breakfast included.

Funding

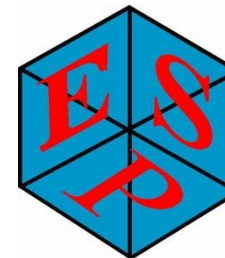
The conference is eligible for funding. Applications to your National Agency by **15th September 2009**.

Presentations and workshops

We encourage participants to contribute with own presentations or to run workshops. Please indicate during registration.



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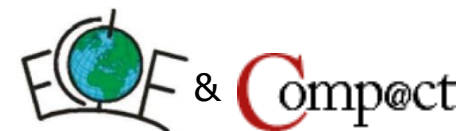
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March 3rd -7th, 2010



Bridging Intercultural Diversity through Global Learning

The theme of this conference is fostered by the idea that schools nowadays need to cater for more than the transmission of knowledge, in order to enable young people's participation in the diverse world in which they live.

- Methodology in Schools needs to be more versatile.
- Every student's diverse talents need recognition and development.
- Creative collaborative learning supported by ICT.
- Motivation by Collaborative Global projects for students and teachers.
- Similarities and differences between cultures enable positive life long learning.

A working and training conference for and by educators

- ESP is the oldest network organisation in the world focussing on ICT-based innovation of education.
- In 2010 our 24th conference is for heads and teachers of primary, secondary, vocational and special needs' education, International/ ICT coordinators, teacher trainers, educational researchers, and policy makers.

Main Themes

Main question during this conference is "how to empower and encourage teachers and schools to start designing, planning and actually performing innovative ICT-based international projects that help building all these connections and competences."

- Designing, planning and evaluation of Computer Supported Collaborative Learning (CSCL) and other innovative projects, like e-Journalism.
- Teachers' professional development in internationalisation, project-based learning and teaching, and ICT-usage.
- Exploration of electronic learning environments and advanced ICT-tools for collaborative learning and teaching.



Main Activities

You will be able to:

- share best practices and projects based on Collaborative Learning and Educational use of ICT;
- set up collaborative projects through **eTwinning**;
- use the material from "**the Image of the Other**";
- use the **British Council** website of www.globalgateway.org;
- take part in workshops for the implementation/follow-up of Computer Supported Collaborative Learning projects;
- find partners for the development of collaborative projects;
- attend presentations which give a deeper insight into both the technical and human challenges that ICT presents;
- share experiences and exchange views with partners from other countries;
- acquire the latest developments in the field of interactive resources for teacher;
- discuss issues of sustainable Life Long Learning between colleagues.



**Join us to participate and mutually share the newest and most meaningful learning experiences with your colleagues from Europe and beyond.
Don't do it alone: let's unite under the wings of ESP!!!**

Conference Website: www.espnet.eu/esp24

**DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION
NOVEMBER 30th 2009**

