

Invitation to the TWE+ Focus Group Meeting

Take part in the design of a resources tool and the development of a catalogue of innovative pedagogical tools & methods to enhance Erasmus + Teaching Mobility !

Dates: 20/05/2019-24/05/2019

Place: UniLaSalle, Beauvais, France

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Language: English

Application deadline: 13/05/2019

Accommodation: self-arranged – please ask whether there are still free places on our campus residence

About the project:

The project consortium consisting of Eötvös Loránd University, UniLaSalle, University of Alcalá, the Network of Universities from the Capitals of Europe (UNICA) and the European University Foundation (EUF) has identified that staff mobility for teaching is often not of sufficient quality and not easily accessible for (especially junior) teaching staff.

For this purpose, the Teach with Erasmus+ project (TWE+) is trying to tackle the accessibility to teaching mobility, as well as to set a framework that allows Higher Education Institutions to measure the quality of teaching mobility. **Furthermore, the consortium aims to collect a catalogue of innovative pedagogical tools & methods to be made available to the Higher Education sector.**

At the centre of the project outcomes will be the Erasmus+ Teaching Mobility Platform (ETMP), a Marketplace where institutions/teachers can offer and find teaching opportunities. The ETMP will be a logical continuation of www.staffmobility.eu, the current platform providing a marketplace for staff mobility for training.

The present focus group aims to support the development of the catalogue of the innovative pedagogical tools & methods

We are looking for participants with the following background:

- **higher education teaching staff**, who have experience on short-term mobility for teaching, especially within the frames of the Erasmus+ or LLP program
- **higher education teaching staff**, who have not participated in short-term mobility for teaching yet and are willing to share the obstacles they faced on this matter

Application procedure: please send the completed Application Form to Results will be announced by e-mail before 15th of May 2019.

Costs: there is no participation fee. Participants have to cover the expenses from other resources (We recommend Erasmus+ KA103 staff mobility for training). For questions regarding funding options please contact your International Office, or if you need any support on this question please do not hesitate to contact us

Preliminary programme

DAY 1 <i>20 May 2019</i> <i>Monday</i>	Arrival	
	16:00 – 16:30	Official welcome
	16:30 – 18:30 18:30 – 21:00	Introduction of the project and the participants Welcome cocktail and networking games
DAY 2 <i>21 May 2019</i> <i>Tuesday</i>	9:30 – 12:30	Workshop on experiences regarding teaching practices Discussion
	14:00 – 17:00	Workshop on experiences regarding teaching – main models and formats Discussion, based on design thinking tools, the bono's thinking hats, quick prototyping with Lego, use of real board games to get inspiration in order to be able to share our teaching methods and the way we create an offer to apply to a teaching mobility
DAY 3 <i>22 May 2019</i> <i>Wednesday</i>	9:30 – 12:30	Customer journey through Games – designing the resources tools Discussion
	14:00 – 17:00	Existing benchmarking analysis and teachers focus group Discussion
DAY 4 <i>23 May 2019</i> <i>Thursday</i>	9:00 – 12:00	Optimizing our customer journey: final work mixing our assumptions and dreams with insights from existing resources and teachers and students feedback
	Afternoon OFF – Visit to Paris	
DAY 5 <i>24 May 2019</i> <i>Friday</i>	9:30 – 12:00	Conclusion and next steps
	Departure	

There will be social events with students and colleagues every evening – including a wine and cheese party, as well as a cooking experience. As the campus is surrounded with woodlands, with buses connections to town center until 8.30 pm, we propose to organize dinners for all those hosted on campus for 15 € / person and lunches will be taken for all of us at the campus restaurant for 5 € /pers. Breakfast will be taken at the campus restaurant for those hosted on campus and will be complimentary as well as coffee breaks – in France, coffee breaks usually come with coffee and juices.