



FREE BLENDED-LEARNING TRAINING COURSE

ENGLISH AS A LINGUA FRANCA: PRACTICES FOR INCLUSIVE **MULTILINGUAL CLASSROOMS**

Applications **NOW** Open





















The ENRICH CPD Course

The University of Lisbon Centre for English Studies (ULICES) at the School of Arts and Humanities of the University of Lisbon (FLUL) and the EU-funded ENRICH Project (ERASMUS 2018-1-EL01-KA201-047894) are offering a free Continuous Professional Development Course for teachers of English as a foreign language (teaching groups: 120, 220, 330 and university level; as well as preservice teachers doing their supervised teaching practice in ELT MA programmes). This initiative is accredited as a training course by the Scientific-Pedagogical Council for Lifelong Training, with reference number CCPFC/ACC-106762/19. The Course responds to the need to incorporate an innovative approach to teaching English to multilingual and multicultural classes, integrates innovative training materials and follows the principles of distance education.

Aim

The Course aims at helping EFL teachers develop:

- awareness of the use of English as a Lingua Franca (ELF), with particular focus on the practical relevance of ELF to multilingualism and social inclusion;
- critical thinking skills through constructive networking with English Language Teachers from different countries and contexts;
- skills for planning, managing and coordinating teaching which integrates ELF in multilingual classrooms, involving especially refugees and other learners with a migrant background;
- skills for employing innovative language teaching practices, including CLIL, Task-based learning and ICT, to foster the learners' ELF-related communicative and other transversal skills required nowadays;
- skills for employing appropriate cultural content, including issues relevant to the European Cultural Heritage.

Methodology

The ENRICH Course adopts a blended-learning methodology, by integrating online self-study materials (video lectures), three face to face/online meetings with trainers/mentors and a final assignment. Experiential learning, critical thinking, networking and collaborative professional enquiry constitute the cornerstones of the ENRICH Course.

Who can participate

The ENRICH Course is addressed to all in-service teachers who teach English to Speakers of Other Languages, no matter their years of teaching experience. It has been developed in such a way as to cater for the needs even of teachers who have just started their teaching career, or pre-service teachers who are currently doing their supervised teaching practice.

Duration

The Course spans 300 study hours and will be implemented in the spring semester of 2020, i.e. from February to June.

Language

The official language of the programme is English.

Certification

Graduates of the ENRICH Continuous Development Course will receive a certificate from the ENRICH Project.

How to apply

Applications are now open. We expect a lot of interest from teachers, but we can only accommodate <u>30 participants</u>. Therefore, enrolment in the programme will be done on a first-come-first-served basis.

To apply, please fill in the <u>application form</u> at this link:

https://forms.gle/4syqkneCAjj4X8oE9

Applications will be received until midnight of

January 15th, 2020

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