

"Teaching the intercultural in contexts of student mobility"

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School of Foreign Languages and Literature,
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**IEREST
conference**

Alma Mater Studiorum,
University of Bologna
Via Filippo Re, 8, Bologna, Italy



Thursday, 12th June

8.45	Registration	
9.15	Greetings • Daniela Galligani, <i>President of the School of Foreign Languages and Literature, Interpreting and Translation, University of Bologna</i> • Giovanni Gentile Marchetti, <i>Head of the Department of Modern Languages, Literature, and Cultures, University of Bologna</i> • Paul Bayley, <i>Head of Teaching and Learning- Language Centre, University of Bologna</i> • Ana Beaven, <i>IEREST project coordinator, University of Bologna</i>	
9.30	Keynote Student Mobility, Identity, and Language Learning: A New Role for Concept-Based Instruction? • Celeste Kinginger, <i>Pennsylvania State University</i>	
10.30	The IEREST project: An overview • Claudia Borghetti, <i>University of Bologna</i>	
11.00	Coffee break	
Parallel session 1		
	Room 1 Chair: Mette Rudvin	Room 2 Chair: Neva Čebtron
11.30	Bridging the Gap – Teaching Intercultural Communication through Live Experience • Geoffrey Gibson, <i>University of Hull</i> • Andrew Cornforth, <i>University of Hull</i>	Whose knowledge?: Academic “culture shock” from an intercultural perspective • Andreas Jacobsson, <i>Karlstad University</i> • Annika Malmsten, <i>Karlstad University</i>

12.00	International Field Experience: Implications for intercultural learning and teacher education - Erika Hepple, <i>Queensland University of Technology</i> - Donna Tangen, <i>Queensland University of Technology</i>	Reducing Uncertainty through Intercultural Competence - Marga Menendez-Lopez, <i>University of Surrey</i> - Richard Bale, <i>University of Surrey</i>
12.30	A module-based approach to foster and document the intercultural process before and during the residence abroad - Christine Penman, <i>Edinburgh Napier</i> - Sibylle Ratz, <i>Edinburgh Napier</i> - Benedicte Cebrian, <i>Edinburgh Napier</i>	Loving Neighbor as Self: Creating a Culture of Curiosity on the Home Campus by Translating Meaningful Study Abroad Experiences into Cross-Cultural Friendships Kelly Pengelly, <i>Taylor University</i>
13.00	Lunch break	
Parallel session 2		
	Room 1 Chair: Rosa Pugliese	Room 2 Chair: Irina Golubeva
14.30	Intercultural experiences of foreign students at a north Hungarian university and its implications for tertiary education Tünde Bajzát, <i>University of Miskolc</i>	The European Project Semester. A practical approach to experience multi-cultural and multi-disciplinary cooperation on a real-life project in a real-life environment Johan Wouters, <i>Avans University</i>
15.00	British and Spanish Erasmus students: a comparative analysis of Intercultural Communicative Competence - Gloria Gutiérrez Almarza, <i>Nottingham Trent University</i> - Ramiro Durán Martínez, <i>Universidad de Salamanca</i> - Fernando Beltrán Llavador, <i>Universidad de Salamanca</i>	The EUFICCS methodology: linguistic and cultural immersion, and acquisition of the Reflective Intercultural Competence - Lavinia Bracci, <i>Siena Italian Studies</i> - Elena Cellai, <i>Ulissee Cultural Association</i>
15.30	Teaching the intercultural in contexts of student mobility: the case of the University for Foreigners of Siena - Carla Bagna, <i>University for Foreigners of Siena</i> - Sabrina Machetti, <i>University for Foreigners of Siena</i>	Down the Rabbit Hole: Developing Intercultural Sensitivity during Student Mobility Emilia Slavova, <i>University of Sofia</i>
16.00	Coffee break	

16.30	Criteria for a successful Erasmus experience: student perceptions in the IEREST project • Maryam Asoodar, Alzahra University, University of Leuven • Lut Baten, University of Leuven • Jan Van Maele, University of Leuven • Basil Vassilicos, University of Leuven
17.00	Problematising the intercultural: Students' experiences during a pre-departure programme • Prue Holmes, Durham University
17.30	Closing session
19.30	Conference dinner



Friday, 13th June

9.15	• Monica Turci, Vice Head of Teaching and Learning - Language Centre, University of Bologna • Ana Beaven, IEREST project coordinator, University of Bologna
9.30	Keynote (video-recorded) Creating an international community of active citizens • Michael Byram, Emeritus Professor, University of Durham
10.00	Intercultural activities through the eyes of students and teachers: feedback from the IEREST project • John Osborne, University of Savoy • Neva Čebren, University of Primorska • Irina Golubeva, AEDE-Hungary
10.30	Interculturality in interaction: Insights from students in an IEREST pre-departure module • Luisa Bavieri, University of Bologna • Ana Beaven, University of Bologna • Claudia Borghetti, University of Bologna • Rosa Pugliese, University of Bologna
11.00	Coffee break

Parallel session 3

	Room 1 Chair: Luisa Bavieri	Room 2 Chair: John Osborne
11.30	Mobility as an intercultural training agenda: A dual-tier self-study resource for educators - Rachel Linder, <i>University of Paderborn</i> - Leah Davcheva, <i>Centre of intercultural learning, education and research</i>	What is within affects what is without: The importance of “intra-cultural” understandings for developing “intercultural” competencies Gregory Poole, <i>Doshisha University</i>
12.00	Linking virtual exchange to physical exchange - Francesca Helm, <i>University of Padua</i> - Lisa Griggio, <i>University of Padua</i>	Intercultural competencies: what students in study and placement mobility are learning and what we say they should be learning - Annelies Messelink, <i>Utrecht University</i> - Jan van Maele, <i>University of Leuven</i> - Helen Spencer-Oatey, <i>University of Warwick</i>
12.30	Incorporating insights from outgoing/incoming 2012/2013 into 2014 blended pre-departure training - Sophie Reissner-Roubicek, <i>University of Warwick</i> - Emily Lim, <i>University of Warwick</i>	Preparation of students for international mobility: what are we preparing our students for? Monika Kovács, <i>Eötvös Loránd University</i>
13.00	Lunch break	
14.30	IEREST dissemination - Sara Casini, <i>Bee-com Association</i> - Martina Galetti, <i>Emmaboshi Studio</i>	
14.45	Hand-on IEREST pre-departure teaching activities Prue Holmes, <i>Durham University</i>	
15.30	Intercultural preparation for mobile students: Roundtable discussion - Chair: Ana Beaven, <i>University of Bologna</i> - Discussants: Andrea Ceccherelli (<i>University of Bologna</i>), Miguel Gallardo (<i>AEGEE-Europe</i>), Francesco Girotti (<i>University of Bologna</i>), Irina Golubeva (<i>AEDE-Hungary</i>), Celeste Kinginger (<i>Pennsylvania State University</i>), Lucia Livatino (<i>University of Bologna</i>), John Osborne (<i>University of Savoy, Chambéry</i>), Monica Turci (<i>University of Bologna</i>).	
17.00	Closing session	

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