

INTERNATIONAL STUDY PROGRAMMES

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1 & 2 WEEK COURSES FOR EUROPEAN TEACHERS

MOBILE PEDAGOGY FOR LANGUAGE TEACHERS

Practical, creative 21st century learning experiences using mobile technologies

2018

SOUTHAMPTON:

1 WEEK: Saturday 21 July – Sunday 29 July

Total fee including course + accommodation: €1436

CAMBRIDGE:

1 WEEK: Saturday 1 September – Sunday 9 September

Total fee including course + accommodation: €1436

EXETER:

1 WEEK: Saturday 27 October – Sunday 4 November

Total fee including course + accommodation: €1436

2 WEEKS: Sunday 28 October – Friday 9 November

Total fee including course + accommodation: €1896

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Teachers of all foreign or second languages (not only English) to primary, secondary or adult learners are invited to attend this course. Participants will have the opportunity:

- to acquire new skills & ideas for teaching languages using mobile technologies
- to gain an insight into the use of technology in British schools
- to exchange ideas and develop links with teachers from schools in different European countries

COURSE CONTENT:

1. Mobile Pedagogy for language teachers – practical, creative 21st century learning experiences using mobile technologies with expert trainers such as Lucy Norris

- Rethinking pedagogy – Learning foreign & second languages in the 21st century
- Mobile learning & learner mobilities – mobile assisted language learning for academic & professional development (for teachers and their learners)
- Digital Literacies for language teachers & learners – what these are & how to grow your own
- Designing & creating effective multimedia learning tasks
- Using and evaluating educational & creative apps
- Staying safe online - privacy, data & what you need to know to protect yourself, your school & your learners
- Playing as learning - Virtual & Augmented Reality apps to enrich language
- Digital, Multimedia Storytelling - the power of narrative to engage language learners
- How to create a 'flipped learning' approach for your learners
- How to use mobile devices to reflect on, assess & contribute to learner progress
- How to create your own personal learning network via social media
- Creativity and Making – crucial ideas for effective language learning & teaching
- Overcoming challenges using a BYOD (Bring your own Device) approach

Participants will need at least level B1 English to benefit from the course.

You will need to bring your own tablet & smartphone, but need not have any previous experience of using them in your teaching.

You will gain practical skills in the creative design of mobile language learning tasks and you will build up an e-portfolio of materials you create with other participants.

2. Lecture & Discussion: The Education System & The Place of New Technologies

3. Day visits to 3 primary or secondary schools or adult education colleges (2 week course only)

Observe lessons where technology is in use in the classroom and lessons in the subject(s) requested by each participant.

4. An educational visit to Winchester from Southampton or

Ely from Cambridge or

Dartmoor National Park & Dartmouth from Exeter

LOCATIONS:

CAMBRIDGE, England: Population: 124,000, 63 miles (100 kilometres) north of London (1 hour by rail).

Cambridge is a beautiful historic city, world famous for its prestigious university with its magnificent ancient colleges and lovely riverside. It has picturesque shopping streets, fascinating museums and attractive parks.

The most convenient airports for Cambridge are Stansted & Luton, which have direct bus links to Cambridge. If arriving at other airports, travel is via central London.

EXETER, England: Population: 105,000; 190 miles (305 kilometres) south-west of London (2½ hours by rail).

Exeter is an historic city with a magnificent Gothic cathedral, many lovely old buildings and a variety of interesting museums. It is the county town of Devon, situated in beautiful hilly countryside, close to the South Devon coast and Dartmoor National Park.

The most convenient airports: Exeter (bus to city centre), Bristol (airport bus then rail or coach to Exeter) or Heathrow (direct National Express Coach to Exeter)

SOUTHAMPTON, England: Population: 220,000; 80 miles (128 kilometres) south-west of London (1¼ hours by rail).

Southampton is a pleasant university town and an important port situated on the south coast, within easy reach of the New Forest, Winchester, Salisbury, Portsmouth, Bournemouth and the Isle of Wight. There is an historic old town, interesting museums, a new waterside development and an excellent shopping centre.

The most convenient airports: Southampton (rail to city centre), Heathrow (direct National Express coach to Southampton) or Gatwick (direct coach or rail to Southampton)

TOTAL PRICE (as detailed on Page 1) comprises:

(a) **COURSE FEE:** to include:

Full programme of study sessions and visits as itemised above.

NB. Participants are responsible for paying their own daily transport costs, including transport to schools.

Optional visits are not included in the price.

(b) **HOST FAMILY ACCOMMODATION:** to include:

Full board accommodation with a local family (inclusive of registration fee): 8 or 12 nights

(Teachers may request to be the only guest of their mother tongue or to stay in the same family as a colleague).

Host families are carefully selected and offer a friendly welcome and opportunities to chat and learn more about life in Britain today.

Participants often find that the experience of staying with a host family is one of the most memorable aspects of the course. Accommodation is in single rooms (unless participants request to share). Breakfast, packed lunch and evening meal are provided by the host family. (Food allergies, likes and dislikes are taken into account.)

Please note that many of the suitable residential areas are not within walking distance of the town centre, and most host families are an easy bus ride from the town centre/tuition centre. Local transport from host families to the town centre and local schools is at the participants' own expense and is likely to cost 15-30 Euro per week.

Additional nights with host families can be arranged, giving participants extra time for individual research and visits. Accommodation can be provided for family members (but not unaccompanied children) subject to availability. (Rates on request).

Participants wishing to arrange their own (hotel or self-catering) accommodation may pay a fee for the course only.

PAYMENT:

Full payment will be due 2 months before the course begins, or for teachers awaiting funding – as soon as the grant is received.

Cancellation charges apply for cancellations 4 weeks or less before the course commences. 3-4 weeks before arrival: cancellation fee: 380 Euros.

No refund for cancellations within 3 weeks of arrival. Applicants are strongly advised to take out cancellation insurance.

TRAVEL:

Transport at the beginning and end of the course is not provided and International Study Programmes regrets that it is unable to assist with travel arrangements.

The most convenient airports: Cardiff Airport (rail or bus to city centre), Heathrow or Bristol Airports (direct National Express coach from both to Cardiff).

If arriving at other airports, travel to the course location is generally via central London by coach or rail.

For enquiries and timetables:

National Express Coach:

www.nationalexpress.com

0044-871 781 81 81

Rail:

www.thetrainline.com

0044-871 244 15 45

There is also a useful website www.traveline.info which will assist in planning a journey within the UK using every form of transport.

PREPARATION: Participants complete a detailed questionnaire before the course starts to ascertain their level of experience and training, as well as the age groups and types of learners they teach. Suggestions for pre-course reading are given.

EVALUATION: At the end of the course teachers participate in a detailed evaluation of the course.

FOLLOW UP: At the end of the course teachers are asked to consider which aspects of the course will be the most relevant to their own teaching situations. On their return they are invited to keep a record of how they have been able to utilise ideas gained on the course in their own classrooms. They are encouraged to share their experiences with their fellow participants by email. Teachers will also have email access to the teacher trainers for discussion and advice after the course.

INTERNATIONAL STUDY PROGRAMMES:

INTERNATIONAL STUDY PROGRAMMES has over 30 years' experience in designing teacher development courses for European Ministries of Education, teacher-training institutes and schools and has a well-founded reputation for providing quality courses.

ISP is an experienced provider of European Union funded programmes in the UK. As a course provider with many courses in the former Comenius Database and now in cooperation with many Erasmus+ funded schools, ISP has successfully arranged a wide variety of courses for thousands of European teachers funded by the European Union.

ISP offers an unusually wide variety of teacher development courses, not only for teachers of English and CLIL but also for teachers of other subjects including science, music, art and drama as well as for headteachers and inspectors, in a wide variety of locations in England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland. Each course is designed to meet the training needs of specific types of teachers.

ERASMUS+ GRANTS:

Schools may apply for Erasmus+ Key Action 1 funding for their teachers to attend courses in the UK.

(Individual teachers may no longer apply for grants.)

Teachers with Erasmus+ funding and those paying with their own or other funds are welcome to apply for listed ISP courses.

ISP is also pleased to design tailor-made courses to meet the needs of closed groups of teachers from one school.

The annual Erasmus+ deadline is on 2 February 2017 for courses starting 1 June 2017 – 31 December 2018.

Schools should first register on-line to obtain a Personal Identification Code (PIC) number for the school.

Applications for funding should then be made on-line to applicants' National Agency for Erasmus+.

International Study Programmes will be happy to help with information and advice for your school's Erasmus+ application.

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SOUTHAMPTON: SATURDAY 21 JULY – SUNDAY 29 JULY 2018

DRAFT PROGRAMME

DAY & DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SATURDAY 21 JULY			Arrive Southampton
SUNDAY 22 JULY	Free for individual research or Optional visit to the London or Salisbury & Stonehenge		
MONDAY 23 JULY	0900- Welcome and introduction 1000 1015- Lecture and Discussion: 1330 The English Education System: Recent Developments & Current Issues & The Place of New Technologies	1430- Walking tour of historic 1600 Southampton	
TUESDAY 24 JULY	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	Optional evening in an historic pub
WEDNESDAY 25 JULY	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
THURSDAY 26 JULY	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
FRIDAY 27 JULY	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers 1630- Evaluation Session 1730	
SATURDAY 28 JULY	0900- Educational visit to Winchester with tours of the city and the cathedral 1800		
SUNDAY 29 JULY	Depart Southampton		

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CAMBRIDGE: SATURDAY 1 SEPTEMBER – SUNDAY 9 SEPTEMBER 2018
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DAY & DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SATURDAY 1 SEPTEMBER			Arrive Cambridge
SUNDAY 2 SEPTEMBER	Free for individual research or optional visits eg. Fitzwilliam Museum or London		
MONDAY 3 SEPTEMBER	0900- Welcome and introduction 1000 1015- Lecture and Discussion: 1330 The English Education System: Recent Developments & Current Issues & The Place of New Technologies	1430- Walking tour of Cambridge 1630	
TUESDAY 4 SEPTEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	Optional evening in an historic pub
WEDNESDAY 5 SEPTEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
THURSDAY 6 SEPTEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	Optional punting on River Cam
FRIDAY 7 SEPTEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers 1630- Evaluation Session 1730	
SATURDAY 8 SEPTEMBER	0930- Educational visit to Ely 1630		
SUNDAY 9 SEPTEMBER	Depart Cambridge		

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EXETER: SATURDAY 27 OCTOBER – SUNDAY 4 NOVEMBER 2018

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DAY & DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SATURDAY 27 OCTOBER			Arrive Exeter
SUNDAY 28 OCTOBER	Free for individual research Optional visit to Sidmouth on the South Devon Coast		
MONDAY 29 OCTOBER	0900- Welcome and introduction 1000 1015- Lecture and Discussion: 1330 The English Education System: Recent Developments & Current Issues & The Place of New Technologies	1430- Walking tour of Exeter 1630	
TUESDAY 30 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	Optional evening in an historic pub
WEDNESDAY 31 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
THURSDAY 1 NOVEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
FRIDAY 2 NOVEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers 1630- Evaluation Session 1730	
SATURDAY 3 NOVEMBER	0900- Educational visit to Dartmoor National Park, Totnes and Dartmouth 1900		
SUNDAY 4 NOVEMBER	Depart Exeter		

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EXETER: SUNDAY 28 OCTOBER – FRIDAY 9 NOVEMBER 2018

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DAY & DATE	MORNING	AFTERNOON	EVENING
SUNDAY 28 OCTOBER			Arrive Exeter
MONDAY 29 OCTOBER	0900- Welcome and introduction 1000 1015- Lecture and Discussion: 1330 The English Education System: Recent Developments & Current Issues & The Place of New Technologies	1430- Walking tour of Exeter 1630	
TUESDAY 30 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	Optional evening in an historic pub
WEDNESDAY 31 OCTOBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
THURSDAY 1 NOVEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
FRIDAY 2 NOVEMBER	0900- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1230 Language Teachers	1330- Workshop: Mobile Pedagogy for 1630 Language Teachers	
SATURDAY 3 NOVEMBER	Free for individual research Optional visit to Sidmouth on the South Devon Coast		
SUNDAY 4 NOVEMBER	Free for individual research or Optional visit to Albert Museum and Topsham		
MONDAY 5 NOVEMBER	0830- Day visit to a primary or secondary school or adult education college 1600 Observe lessons where technology is in use in the classroom and lessons in the subject(s) requested by each participant. Opportunity for discussion with teachers		
TUESDAY 6 NOVEMBER	0830- Day visit to a primary or secondary school or adult education college 1600 Observe lessons where technology is in use in the classroom and lessons in the subject(s) requested by each participant. Opportunity for discussion with teachers		Optional cinema or theatre visit
WEDNESDAY 7 NOVEMBER	0900- Educational visit to Dartmoor National Park, Totnes and Dartmouth 1900		
THURSDAY 8 NOVEMBER	0830- Day visit to a primary or secondary school or adult education college 1600 Observe lessons where technology is in use in the classroom and lessons in the subject(s) requested by each participant. Opportunity for discussion with teachers 1600- Evaluation Session 1700		
FRIDAY 9 NOVEMBER	Depart Exeter		