

Programme

Thematic Conference: learning, teaching, exchanging – school cooperations in the Danube Region

Venue: Day 1: Bertha von Suttner Schulschiff, Donauinselplatz, 1210 Vienna
Day 2: OeAD-Haus, Ebendorferstraße 7, 1010 Vienna

Day 1: Thursday 18th June

- 09.30** **Arrival, check-in, registration, coffee**
- 10.00** **Official opening and overview**
Ewald Waba, GRG 21 Schulschiff "Bertha von Suttner"
Ernst Gesslbauer, Austrian National Agency for Lifelong Learning
- 10.15** **Colours of the Danube Region: Integrating the Differences – Creating a New Mosaic**
Vedran Dzihic, Austrian Institute for International Affairs
- 11.00** **Overview Erasmus+ /eTwinning**
- 11.15** **Parallel Workshops: cooperations between schools in the Danube Region (Part 1)**
- Why do we need to cooperate?
 - What are the challenges in cooperation?
 - What are successful ways of quality assurance in projects and mobilities regarding the Danube Region?
 - What are the challenges of the teaching profession in the Danube Region?
- 12.30** **Break**
- 13.15** **Parallel Workshops: cooperations between schools in the Danube Region (Part 2)**
- 14.30** **The Danube Region Strategy and cooperation in education and training**
Jürgen Schick, Austrian Federal Ministry of Education and Women's Affairs
- 14.45** **eTwinning quiz – 10 Years eTwinning and the Danube Region**
- 15.30** **Coffee & tea**
- 16.00** **eTwinning training**
- Departure of buses to hotels: 17.45; Meeting point: 17.40 in front of Schulschiff
- 20.00** **Dinner**

Facilitator: Ursula Panuschka, Austrian National Agency for Lifelong Learning

Day 2: Friday June 19th**09.30 Workshop review****10.00 Best practice: Erasmus+ / eTwinning project ESCAPE**Elisabeth Hasiweder, Bundeshandelsakademie Linz
Michael Huber-Kirchberger, Bundeshandelsakademie Linz**10.15 Establishing project ideas – partner finding****10.30 Group work**

- defining project ideas
- discussing aims
- writing applications
- registering projects on www.etwinning.net

13.00 Presentation of project ideas

Official end 13.30

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