

## TEACHER EDUCATION FOR INCLUSION COUNTRY STUDY VISIT 2011

17<sup>th</sup>- 19<sup>th</sup> May 2011 Linz, Austria

### 17<sup>th</sup> of May (Tuesday)

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| 12.40    | Please meet in the hotel reception  | Hotel  |
| 13.00 -  | Lunch   | PH Buffet                                    |
| 14.00    |   |  |
| 14.00 -  | Welcome (introduction and project update)   | PH   |
| 14.30    | - Organisational details/programme,<br>Information about PH OÖ (Feyerer)<br>- Some words by Bm:ukk, representative<br>board member (Deutsch)<br>- by the Agency (Watkins) | 319  |
| 14.30 -  | Teacher education for inclusion in Austria  | PH   |
| 15.00    | - Introduction of the school system<br>- The development of inclusion and<br>teacher education (Feyerer)  | 319  |
| 15.00 –  | Implementation of competence-oriented   | PH   |
| 15.30    | models focusing the profile<br>(Braunsteiner, Niedermair)<br>Questions/discussion   | 319  |
| 15.30 –  | Break   | PH   |
| 16.00 –  | Guided tour at PH OÖ (Feyerer)  | PH   |
| 16.30    |   | 319  |
| 16.30 -  | Summary of the presentations and presentation   | PH   |
| 16.45    | of the profile paper (latest news by Watkins)   | 319  |
| 16.45–   | Presentations regarding use of competency   | PH   |
| 17.50    | approaches by representatives from Denmark,<br>Latvia, Lithuania, UK (England).<br>Questions/discussion<br>(moderation Donnelly)  | 319  |
| 17.50 -  | Organisational details – Programme (Prammer-  | PH   |
| 18.00    | Semmler)  | 319  |
| 19.00    | <b>Boat tour and dinner</b><br><b>Welcome to all guests (Rectors and Experts)</b><br>(Greiner)  | meeting<br>point:<br>Hotel<br>Terrace<br>Bar |
| open end | Bar Arcotel   |  |



## 18<sup>th</sup> of May (Wednesday)

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| 8.00 – 8.30              | Breakfast  | Hotel                         |
| 8.45                     | Start from the hotel   | Hotel                         |
| 9.00 – 10.00             | Welcome and short presentation of the school<br>Inclusion as a leitmotif? (Giegler)  | Europa Schule<br>– Media room |
| Coffee break is included | Info about the School:<br><a href="http://www.europaschule-linz.at/joomla/index.php">http://www.europaschule-linz.at/joomla/index.php</a>  |                               |
| 10.00 – 11.00            | Class visits (Giegler and colleagues)<br><i>8 groups (one Austrian, one guest)</i>   | Europa Schule<br>– 8 Classes  |
| 11.00 – 12.00            | Discussions with the headmaster and some teachers of the school.<br>Feedback to the profile by the teachers and headmaster (moderation: Prammer-Semmler)   | Europa Schule<br>– Media room |
| 12.30 – 13.45            | Lunch  | PH Buffet                     |
| 14.00 – 15.15            | <b>Meeting with the Rectors of all TEC in Austria</b><br>(moderation: Feyerer)<br>Key note Speakers to following topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- UN Convention and its implications for Teacher education (Nekula)</li> <li>- Changing conceptions of inclusion – international evidence (Donnelly)</li> <li>- Heterogeneity and Teacher education: Underpinning philosophy (Greiner)</li> </ul> | PH<br>319                     |
| 15.15-15.45              | Coffee Break   |                               |
| 15.45-17.00              | Plenary discussion with (inter)national experts:<br>(moderation: Moser)<br><i>„Inclusion as a leitmotif of TE“</i><br>(Nes, Teutsch, Mahon, Greiner, Watkins)  | PH Podium<br>319              |
| 17.00-17.30              | Feedback from the rectors to the profile document<br>(moderation: Watkins, Brunner)<br>Organisational details: Moser   |                               |
| 18.40                    | Start at the hotel (Gartner)   | Hotel                         |
| 19.00                    | VIP – guided tour at the “Landhaus” (guide)  | Landhaus                      |
| 19.30                    | Dinner invitation by LSR <sup>in</sup> Mag <sup>a</sup> Doris Hummer   |                               |
| 21.30-22.00              | <b>Official good-bye to Rectors and Experts</b><br>(Greiner)   |                               |



## 19<sup>th</sup> of May (Thursday)

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| 8.00 - 8.45   | Breakfast   |           |
| 9.00 – 10.15  | Feedback from students and teacher trainers concerning the profile. (Students, Moser, Braunsteiner, Niedermair, Starke, Stark, Feichtner)<br>Discussion session (moderation: Feyerer) | PH<br>319 |
| 10.15 – 10.45 | Break   | PH        |
| 10.45 – 12.00 | Conclusion of the experts - discussion and completion of the profile reflections template (moderation: Watkins)   | PH<br>319 |
| 12.00 – 12.30 | Final reflections and feedback on the meeting.  |           |
| 12.30         | Lunch   | PH        |



## Practical Information

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### Meeting venue

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4020 LINZ | Kaplanhofstraße 40  
AUSTRIA

### Accommodation

Arcotel Linz  
Untere Donaulände  
4020 Linz  
Austria  
[http://www.arcotelhotels.com/nike\\_hotel\\_linz/standort/](http://www.arcotelhotels.com/nike_hotel_linz/standort/)

### Local Transport to and from Linz Airport

The bus line 601 "Flughafenbus" has daily departures every ½ hour, except Sundays at 2.30 p.m. It takes about 20 minutes to the bus terminal at the main railway station "Hauptbahnhof". Then take bus line number 12 nine stops until stop "Parkbad". Next to the Parkbad you see the twelve-storey ARCOTEL Nike on your left. A single ticket is about 2.60 euros.

For more information please see <http://www.flughafen-linz.at/www/cm/en/index.html>.

### Local Transport to and from Vienna Airport

The "Vienna Airport Lines" departs for Vienna Central Station every half hour. It takes 45 minutes and a single ticket costs 7 euros. For more information please see <http://www.viennaairport.com/jart/prj3/va/main.jart?rel=en&reserve-mode=active&content-id=1249344074214>.

From Vienna Central Station take a train to Linz. They leave app. every 15 minutes and take about 1 hour and 40 minutes. A single ticket costs 31,20 euros. Please also see <http://www.oebb.at/en/>.

To get from Linz Central Station to the hotel, please see description above.