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### Workshop Schedule:

**20th Annual Conference 2013**

**"Language, Identity and Culture in Language Education"**

Date	Time	Room 1	Room 2	Room 3	Room 4	Room 5	
	9:00 - 10:00						
		<i>Intercultural learning within the Pestalozzi Programme of the Council of Europe</i> <i>KEYNOTE SPEECH by Josef Huber, Head of the Pestalozzi Programme of the Council of Europe</i>					
	10:15 - 10:45			Coffee Break			
Sat. 9. March 2013	10:45 - 11:30	Did they really say that?  by: Rob Williams (University of Westminster/ICC)	Whose side are we on anyway? Mediation and cultural affiliation in translation  by: Dr. Zelma Catalan (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)	Between glorification and reality: How do we approach "real" culture when teaching a foreign language? (Language: French)  by: Hanna Caso (Institut Français)	How intercultural am I? Or: The European language portfolio as a tool in intercultural education  by: Nikolina Tsvetkova (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)		
	11:45 - 12:30	Chinese is not hard (Chinese for Europeans)  by: Rob Williams (University of Westminster/ICC)	Translating and mediating between cultures: The Bulgarian experience within the PICT Project  by: Dr. Maria Stoicheva, Dr. Zelma Catalan & Nikolina Tsvetkova (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)	Class activities to develop the intercultural competence / Activités de classe pour développer la compétence interculturelle (Language: French)  by: Julie Castagnet (Institut Français)	Bulgarian language policy and the linguistic competence of Bulgarian citizens on the basis of some European surveys  by: Penka Dimitrova Hristova (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)		
	12:30 -14:00		Lunch				
	14:00 - 15:00	Session particulière par invitation/ Special session by invitation only	<i>Acquérir et enrichir des compétences plurilingues et interculturelles à but professionnel: Un processus de prise de conscience et d'appropriation</i>  Jean-Claude Lasnier, ancien directeur d'AGERCEL Association de Gestion du Réseau des Centres d'Etudes des Langues des Chambres de Commerce et d'Industrie Françaises (langue française)				
	14:00 -14:45	"Can you teach intercultural competence?"  by: Prof. Debra Ali Lawson (Bern University of Applied Sciences)	Values: written in the stars, promoted by the media  by: Zareva Desislava (New Bulgarian University)	Les Enjeux interculturels des TICE dans l'E/A des langues. Cas du Français et de l'Anglais pour l'ingénieur Marocain (Language: French)  by: Prof. Hassan Abouabdellah (Université Moulay Ismail, Meknès, Morocco) & Dr. Souad Touhami (Ecole Nationale Supérieure d'Arts et Métiers (ENSAM) Morocco)	Becoming European: Do European projects help? An overview of intercultural comprehension and expectations in education, implicated in the documentation of European programmes  by: Radosveta Draakeva (Sofia University, St. Kliment Ohridski)	Pestalozzi Programme resources and activities for intercultural competence  by: Ildikó Lázár (Council of Europe, Pestalozzi Programme)	
	15:00- 15:45		Business rhetoric and intercultural communication  by: Dr. Ivanka Mavrodieva (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)	"A modern, vibrant, multicultural Britain": The London 2012 Olympics opening ceremony in the language and culture classroom  by: Emilia Slavova (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)	"Aprender una lengua: Un viaje de ida y vuelta"(Language: Spanish)  by: Rocío Aguiar Docal, Asesora Técnica de la Consejería de Educación.		



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Sat. 9. March 2013	16:30 - 17:15	The cross-cultural academic experience: The case of Bulgarian Fulbright Fellows  by: Desislava Karaasenova (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)	Teaching intercultural competence in EFL classes in Japan – development of a framework and analysis of responses in autobiography of intercultural encounters  by: Prof. Yukie Koyama (Nagoya Institute of Technology), Prof. Kahoko Matsuimoto (Tokai University) & Prof. Hideki Ohno (Daito Bunka University)	Intercultural awareness and sociolinguistic competence and their impact on students second language acquisition in a study abroad context  by: Kristin Brogan, Prof. Dr. Muiri O Laoire (Institute of Technology, Tralee IRE) & Helen Kelly (The Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland)	Malentendidos culturales a través de sketches (Language: Spanish)  Sketches created and represented by Rubén García Gómez and Pablo Burgos Fuentes, Teachers of Spanish from the Consejería de Educación.	
	17:30 - 18:30	<i>Acquiring and developing plurilingual and intercultural management skills for vocational purposes: an insight into an awareness-raising process.</i>  by Jean-Claude Lasnier, Former Director of AGERCEL (Association de Gestion du Réseau des Centres d'Etudes des Langues) of the French Chambers of Commerce and Industry				
<b>Debate: "This house believes that national stereotypes are useful for language teaching"</b>  Maria Stoicheva, Associate Professor at the University of Sofia "St. Kliment Ohridski", seconded by Michael Carrier from Cambridge English & Michael Byram, Emeritus Professor in the School of Education, Durham University seconded by Leah Davcheva from AHA Moments, Centre for Intercultural Learning						
Sun. 10. March 2013	09:00 - 10:00	Coffee Break				
	10:00 - 10:30	Coffee Break				
	10:30 - 11:15	Testing online with a combination of self-evaluation and actual test: the best of both worlds or a waste of time?  by: Christoph Schepers (Studieskolen, Copenhagen)	Autobiography of intercultural encounters: theoretical underpinnings and practical use  by: Dr. Leah Davcheva (AHA Moments, Centre for Intercultural Learning)	Invitación a una casa búlgara (Language: Spanish)  A play created and presented by Blagovesta Stefanova Slavova, Rubén García Gómez and Pablo Burgos Fuentes, Teachers of Spanish from the Consejería de Educación	ICT and the impact of social media  by: Sanna Simola, (Turku University of Applied Science)	
	11:30 - 12:15	The media language in crises covering  by: Ina Bacheva (Sofia University, St. Kliment Ohridski)		Una docena de claveles (Language: Spanish)  by: Blagovesta Stefanova Slavova, Teacher of Spanish from the Consejería de Educación	Language - a factor for building of European identity in the social media." ("Езикът като фактор за формиране на европейска идентичност в социалните медии")  by: Desislava Manova Georgieva, (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)	
	12:30 - 13:00	Summary and Closing				
	13:00 - 14:30	Lunch				
	14:45 - 16:30	Guided walking tour of Sofia				
	16:30	Delegates depart				