

Making it happen: from policy to implementation

The European Basic Skills Network Annual General Assembly and Conference



WHEN

5-7 June 2019



WHERE

Tallinn, Estonia
Hestia Hotel Europa
(Paadi 5, 10151 Tallinn, Estonia)






ORGANIZER

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Wednesday, June 5th

Venue: Hestia Hotel Europa

Paadi 5, 10551 Tallinn

16.00 – 16.30	Registration and coffee	
16.30 – 19.00	General Assembly including a coffee break	
19.00 –	Short meeting of the Executive Committee	

Conference Program

Thursday, June 6th

Venue: Hestia Hotel Europa

Paadi 5, 10551 Tallinn

09.00 – 09.30	Registration and coffee	
09.30 – 09:50	Formal opening	
09:50 – 10.20	Key-note speech from Estonia	<i>Ministry of Education and Research, Estonia</i>
10:20 – 11:00	The EBSN Capacity Building Series	<i>Zoltán Várkonyi and Tamás Harangozó, EBSN EPALE Team Presentation of results so far, Q & A/ discussion</i>
11.00- 11.20	The EBSN's CBS in the context of the Upskilling Pathways initiative	<i>European Commission (TBC)</i>
11.20 – 11.40	Coffee break	
11.40 – 13:00	Parallel sessions	<i>Presentations of examples of good implementation processes. 3 × 15 min presentations followed by discussion</i>
	Workshop W1: National policy implementation	
	Celia Sokolowsky, <i>DVV, German Adult Education Association, Germany</i>	Volkshochschulen: Basic education in the service of a democratic society
	Sara Jaminé, <i>VOCVO, Belgium</i>	Structural Flemish approach: the Strategic Literacy Plan
	Vassiliki Nikolopoulou and Angeliki Lytsiou <i>Ministry of Education, Research and Religious Affairs General Secretariat for Lifelong Learning, Greece</i>	Education and training in correctional centers.
	Workshop W2: National policy implementation	
	Cäcilia Märki, <i>Swiss Association of Adult Education (SVEB), Switzerland</i>	Basic Skills policies in Switzerland –basic skills within the framework of the recent Swiss law on further education
	Leena Nissila, <i>Ministry of Education, Finland</i>	Basic Skills in Finland, policy and implementation (title TBC)
	Zoltán Varkonyi, <i>Modus, Hungary</i>	Policy Support for the Implementation of Upskilling Pathways in Hungary.

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Workshop W3: Outreach, motivation, results

Clare McNally,
NALA, Ireland

Take the first step – a national literacy and numeracy awareness campaign in Ireland

Myriam de Hoo,
CINOP, Netherlands

Combatting low literacy by targeting specific groups: CINOP's innovative pilots for the Dutch government programme 'Count on Skills'

Jan Evensen,
Fønix AS, Norway

Applying the goals of national policy to the individual's needs – approach, methods and results of the work of Fønix, Norway

Workshop W4: Implementing Professional Development of Teachers and Trainers

Rosemarie Klein,
*bbb Büro für berufliche
Bildungsplanung, Germany*

Professionalisation of Trainers for Work Based Basic Skills

Mai Timmi,
*Ministry of Education and
Research, Estonia*

Implementation of training of trainers in Estonia (title TBC)

Patrick Ramberg Singler,
Fønix AS, Norway

Teacher training for implementation of VARK learning strategies for adults with low basic skills

13.00 – 14.00	Lunch
14.00 – 14:10	Presentation of the Caroussel concept and organization
14.10 – 15.40	<p>First round of Caroussel</p> <p>Ingrid Radtke, <i>Skills Norway, Norway</i> “Are you as good as you think you are?” – Promoting self-assessments with social media</p> <p>Laura Iveta Strode, <i>Ministry of Education and Science Department of Vocational and Adult Education, Latvia</i> Adult Learning curricula for developing key competences of employees</p> <p>Ena Drenkhan, <i>Tartu Folk High School, Estonia</i> Learning and teaching basic skills and key competences in non-formal adult education centres and folk high schools in Estonia</p> <p>Margit Dүүina, <i>Training center Osilia, Estonia</i></p> <p>Tiina Tambaum, <i>Estonian Institute for Population Studies, Tallinn University, Estonia</i> Teenage tutors facilitating the acquisition of e-skills by older learners: the problem of tutor's self-preparation and tacit knowledge</p>
15.40 – 16.10	Coffee break
16:10- 16:20	Implementing policy: presentation of the first draft of the Tallinn conference declaration
16.20- 16.50	Discussion of the draft in groups
16.50 - 17.00	Summing up the first conference day.
	Guided city-tour
20.00	Conference dinner

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Friday, June 7th

Venue: Hestia Hotel Europa

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09.00 – 09.30	Advancing Digital Inclusion in Estonia	<i>Linnar Viik, information technology scientist, one of the founders of Estonian e-Governance Academy and Programme Director of Smart Government</i>
09.30 – 10.45	Second round of Caroussel	3 × 20 min
	Dr Kees Hoogland and Dr. Mieke van Groenestijn, <i>HU University of Applied Sciences Utrecht, The Netherlands</i>	Towards a Common European Numeracy Framework
	Sam Duncan, <i>UCL Institute of Education, UK</i>	Lend Me Your Ears: when adults read aloud instead of in silence
	Karin Kurvits, <i>Headmaster of Pärnu Adult Gymnasium, adult trainer, Estonia</i>	
	Merle Protsin, <i>Students counsellor, former student of Pärnu Adult Gymnasium, Estonia</i>	Back to learning to formal education system
10:45 – 11:30	Coffee break / Market Place / “talk café”	
11.30 – 12.15	“Success Criteria for Policy Implementation – how do we know the policy works” - Round Table discussion	
12.15 – 12.30	Summing up: the conference message	
12.30 – 13.00	Closing remarks <i>EBSN Chair</i>	
13.00 – 14.45	Lunch	
14.45 – 15.45	Meeting of EC	