1. General approach and framework:
The general aim of the training activities of the Pestalozzi Programme is to train education professionals to become multipliers for Council of Europe standards and values in education.

The work is based on three main pillars:
- **Content**: standards and principles as well as project results of the Council of Europe
- **Methodology**: learner-centred, peer-training, collaborative work on issues of common concerns to find fit solutions for diverse contexts
- **Four-fold concept of competences development**: developing sensitivity and awareness, knowledge and understanding, individual practice, societal practice

2. Number: CoE 2013 0909-0913 Norway

3. Related Council of Europe Project:
- 4th European Seminar of the Pestalozzi Programme at the European Wergeland Centre, Think Tank, Oslo, October 4-7, 2011
- Pestalozzi Programme project on "Developing intercultural competence through education"
- Council of Europe Intercultural Cities project and Pestalozzi Programme workshops for teachers on "Developing and assessing intercultural competence"

Documents:
- MED-23-13 E Resolution on the enhancement of teachers’ professional development through the Pestalozzi Programme
- MED-23-12 A Report on the Pestalozzi Programme, the Council of Europe training programme for education professionals
- MED-23-6 Professional development and social recognition
- MED-26-4 The Role of Teachers

Learning resources:
- Huber, J. (ed) (2012) Intercultural competence for all - Preparation for living in a heterogeneous world (Pestalozzi series n°2)
5. Deadline for application: 01/05/2013
6. Working language(s): English
7. Venue:
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   Strømsø Torg 7, 3044 Drammen, Norway
   Tel: +47 31 01 21 05
   Fax: +47 31 01 21 11
   E-mail:
   Web site: http://www.firsthotels.no/Vare-Hotell/Hotell-i-Norge/Drammen/First-Hotel-Ambassadeur/
8. Number of available places:
   15 participants from the signatory States to the European Cultural Convention
   5 participants from the host country
9. Target group:
   Teachers of any subject from primary and secondary education (pupils’ age ranging from 6-19), school heads, teacher trainers
10. Focus of the training activity:
    The workshop aims to familiarize the participants with ways of developing and assessing intercultural competence. Short keynote presentations as well as many activities, discussions and interactive sessions will be on the program. Concepts and theories of intercultural learning, evaluation and assessment will be introduced and exemplified in learning activities. A recently developed evaluation tool will be tried out helping participants to recognize and keep track of their development in intercultural competence. Moreover, possible uses of the tool related to learning activities inside and outside the classroom will be introduced. As a result of the workshop, participants shall develop action plans as to how to integrate the evaluation approach and the tool itself in their own educational practice. There will be an online follow-up task after the workshop.
11. Expected results:
    Participants will
    • have developed an increased understanding of the concepts, approaches and methodology of intercultural competence development
    • have developed an increased understanding of evaluation/assessment to support learners’ (self)reflection and development
    • be familiar with the ICC tool as they will have tested it;
    • be familiar with and will have tried out a number of learning activities fostering intercultural competence;
    • have developed ideas and plans as to how to integrate the ICC tool into their professional practice
12. **Outline of programme**:

**Monday:**
Arrival before 17:00

Afternoon: Welcome
Ice breaking
Introduction to intercultural competence and related concepts

**Tuesday:**
Morning: Introduction to the components of intercultural competence – participants relate to own practice stories and try out activities

Afternoon: Presentation and discussion: Evaluation & Assessment
Learning/evaluation activities related to ICC -> which components are developed

**Wednesday:**
Morning: Ethnographic task
Visit to local school

Afternoon: Leisure in Oslo (related to ethnographic tasks)

Evening: Dinner in Oslo

**Thursday:**
Morning: Learning and evaluation activities – group work focusing on selected components of ICC tool with debriefing discussions on adaptability

Afternoon: Action plans

**Friday:**
Morning: Evaluation
Introduction of follow-up (online)

Afternoon: Participants’ departure after 12:00

13. **Organising body**:
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**Co-organizing body**:
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14. **Coordinator of the training :**

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15. **Travel and subsistence expenses :**

**Travel expenses :**

i. Travel expenses of participants from the signatory States are covered by the Council of Europe according to the rules.

ii. Travel expenses of participants from the host country Norway will be reimbursed by The European Wergeland Centre upon completion of the workshop.

**Subsistence expenses :**

Subsistence expenses – accommodation and meals - are covered by the host country for all participants. Any travel or activity, included in the programme of the European Workshop, should also be taken in charge by the host country.

16. **Other information :**

The success of the training activities depend on the commitment of all the participants. By accepting to participate in the Pestalozzi programme, participants and facilitators agree to participate actively and assiduously in all the phases of the activity.

**Information for participants from the signatory States to the European Cultural Convention :**

Travel expenses : Participants benefiting from reimbursement of their travel expenses are advised to consult carefully on the website the section about “Rules”. Application form : Candidates must send their application form duly completed to the National Liaison Officer of their country of residence. All information available on : [http://www.coe/Pestalozzi](http://www.coe/Pestalozzi)