

“Access to Basic Skills”

The European Basic Skills Network Annual General Assembly and Conference



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Berlin, 6-8 June 2018



VENUE

Palais Kulturbrauerei
(Schönhauser Allee 36, 10435 Berlin,
Germany)



ORGANIZER

EBSN in cooperation with the German Ministry of Education and Research, the German Federal Institute for Vocational Education and Training as coordination point for the 'National Decade for Literacy' and the German Institute for Adult Education (DIE)



INFORMATION

This event is organised as part of the 'Decade for Literacy' national programme.



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Wednesday, June 6th

Venue: Palais Kulturbrauerei

(Address: Schönhauser Allee 36, 10435 Berlin)

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

Conference Program

Thursday, June 7th

Venue: Palais Kulturbrauerei

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09.00 – 09.30	Registration and coffee	
09.30 – 10.00	Formal opening	<i>Welcoming speeches by the host institution and the EBSN</i>
10.00 – 10.20	Literacy and Basic Skills Policy in Germany	Dr. Ulrich Raiser , chairman of the task force for Further and Adult Education of the Länder and Head of the Unit Adult Education and Basic Skills, Senatsverwaltung für Bildung, Jugend und Familie
10.20 – 10.40	The Decade for Literacy in Germany – cooperation and implementation	Karin Küßner , Head of National Coordination point „Decade for Literacy“, Federal Institute for VET
10.40 – 11.00	Pathways to basic skills, challenges and success criteria	Prof. Dr. Josef Schrader (Director of the German Institute for Adult Education and Speaker of the National Scientific Board of the Decade for Literacy)
11.00 – 11.20	Coffee break	
11.20 – 11.50	Round Table	<i>Lessons for Europe from the German experience</i> , moderated by Joyce Black
11.50 – 12.30	Presentation of the Capacity Building Series	Presentation by the EBSN-EPALE Capacity Building Team followed by a discussion
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch	

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13:30 – 15:00	Carousel (6 x 15 min)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Results of the project REACH- REaching young adults with low ACHievement in literacy (Dr. Simone Ehmig, Stiftung Lesen) iChance – addressing young adults through an innovative, multimedia-based campaign (Jan-Peter Kalisch, Bundesverband Alphabetisierung und Grundbildung) Addressing access to the world of work in the BasisKomPlus-project (Emily Hall, Arbeit und Leben NRW) “Logical levels”, a guidance model for adults in need of basic skills provision. Ingrid Wilhelmsen and Patrick Ramberg Singler, Fønix, Norway Educational movies on key competences, Petra Javrh, Estera Mozina, Slovenian Institute for Adult Education The Swiss approach, Cäcilia Märki, SVEB, Switzerland
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break	
15:30 – 16:30	Conference Statement	Presentation and discussion of a pre-prepared draft for a Conference Statement
16:30 – 17:15	Bus-transfer from Kulturbrauerei to the Basic Skills Center	
17:15 – 18:30	Visit and presentation of the Basic Skills Center in Berlin (optional)	Grundbildungszentrum, Paretzer Straße 1, 10713 Berlin- Wilmerdorf, http://grundbildung-berlin.de/willkommen/)
20:00	Conference dinner	

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09.00 – 09.30	The regional strategy for Literacy and Basic Skills and the Alpha-Award in Berlin	Tim Opitz , Senatsverwaltung für Bildung, Jugend und Familie
09.30 – 10.40	Roundtable debate: Different Pathways to Basic Skills. Focus on flexible provision	Participants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Kai Kolpatzik (AOK Bundesverband, Federal Association of Health Insurance) - -Anna Gabai (German Trade Union /Arbeit und Leben Berlin Brandenburg) - Claudio Vital (INAPP, Italy) - Arjan Beune (Dutch Reading and Writing Foundation) - Estera Mozina (SIAE, Slovenia) - Joyce Black (Learning and Work, UK) Chaired by Graciela Sbertoli
10:40 – 11:20	Coffee break and Market Place	
11.20 – 12.20	Parallel Sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Workshop 1: "Education and Skills Online Assessment". Presentations from the Slovenian Institute of Adult Education and CINOP (NL). - Workshop 2: Basic Skills in VET Presentation nr 1: "Upskilling Pathways – Linking Basic Skills and Vocational Learning to Support Progression" Presenter: Alex Stevenson (Learning & Work, UK) Presentation nr 2: "Integration of literacy and numeracy across the VET – policy and procedure" Presenter: Inez Bailey (NALA, Ireland) - Workshop 3: "Inclusive Basic Skills provision" Presentation nr 1: Schools as Community Learning Spaces Presenter: Christianne Fenech, Directorate for Research, Lifelong Learning and Employability, Malta Presentation 2: "Initial literacy for newly arrived women in Catalan rural areas" Presenter: Caterina Casanovas ACEFIR (ES) - Workshop 4: "Basic skills: Journalistic competences for adult educators" LEK-AE project. Presenters: Wilfried Frei (AT); Michael Sommer, (DE); Raffaella Kihrer (EAEA); Maurice de Greef, (BE and NL)
12.20 – 12.35	Summing up: the conference message	<i>David Mallows</i>

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12.35 –	Closing remarks	Joyce Black, EBSN Chair
12.45		
12.45 –	Lunch	
14.30		
14.30 –	Meeting of the Executive Committee	
15.30		