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## **GELS Training Week**

**Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, June 2019**

**All sessions to take place at the Old Building of the School of  
Philosophy**

### **Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June**

Arrival in Thessaloniki

20:00 Meet & greet (informal welcome drinks)

### **Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June**

9:00-10:00 Welcome, introduction, update on GELS and ice-breaker

10:00-11:00 Opening keynote (Pearson's introduction to the *Global Scale of English*)

11:00-11.30 Coffee break

11:30-13:00 Workshop by Jutta Sendzik

13:00-14:30 Lunch break

14:30-16:00 Presentation by Elizabeth M. Anthony on *Problem-based learning: a gateway to engineering undergraduates' language learning autonomy*, followed by a round table to share practical ideas used in engineers language education (task-based learning, learning by doing, hands-on learning activities) [participants to think ahead of a very practical activity they use in class]

### **Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June**

9:00-10:30 GELS Collaboration in practice (Mimi and Emilie, David and Julie, Nicola and Divya, others?)

10:30-11:30 Taking engineering to C1: experiences and challenges (Lead by Saule Petroniene), presentation and discussion.

11:30-12.00 Coffee break

12:00-13:00 EMI: a perspective from Malaysia (Mimi Mohamed).

13:00-14:30 Lunch break

14:30-16:00 EMI part 2 [Where are we at? Which direction(s)? (Any volunteers?)]

20:00 (Drinks reception followed by) dinner (venue TBA)

### **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June**

9:00-11:00 Intercultural Competence and STEM: Developing a program for intercultural competence for STEM-students (Lead by Christoph Merkelbach)

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-13:00 Curriculum Clinic (part 1): bring your own (curriculum!), present it and get ideas on how to improve/modify it to include some of the GELS principles and other ideas implemented/suggested by colleagues (could include LSP elements, but also ICC, study skills, using online tools, etc.)

13:00-14:30 Lunch break

14:30-16:00 Curriculum Clinic (part 2)

16:00-16:30 Plans for the future and concluding remarks

### **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June**

Networking, collaborative brainstorming and “walking meeting” event at the beach! (More info to come)