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VIRTEACH

A Virtual Solution for a comprehensive and coordinated training for Foreign Language Teachers in Europe

The VirTeach project started in September 2018 and it has a duration of three years.

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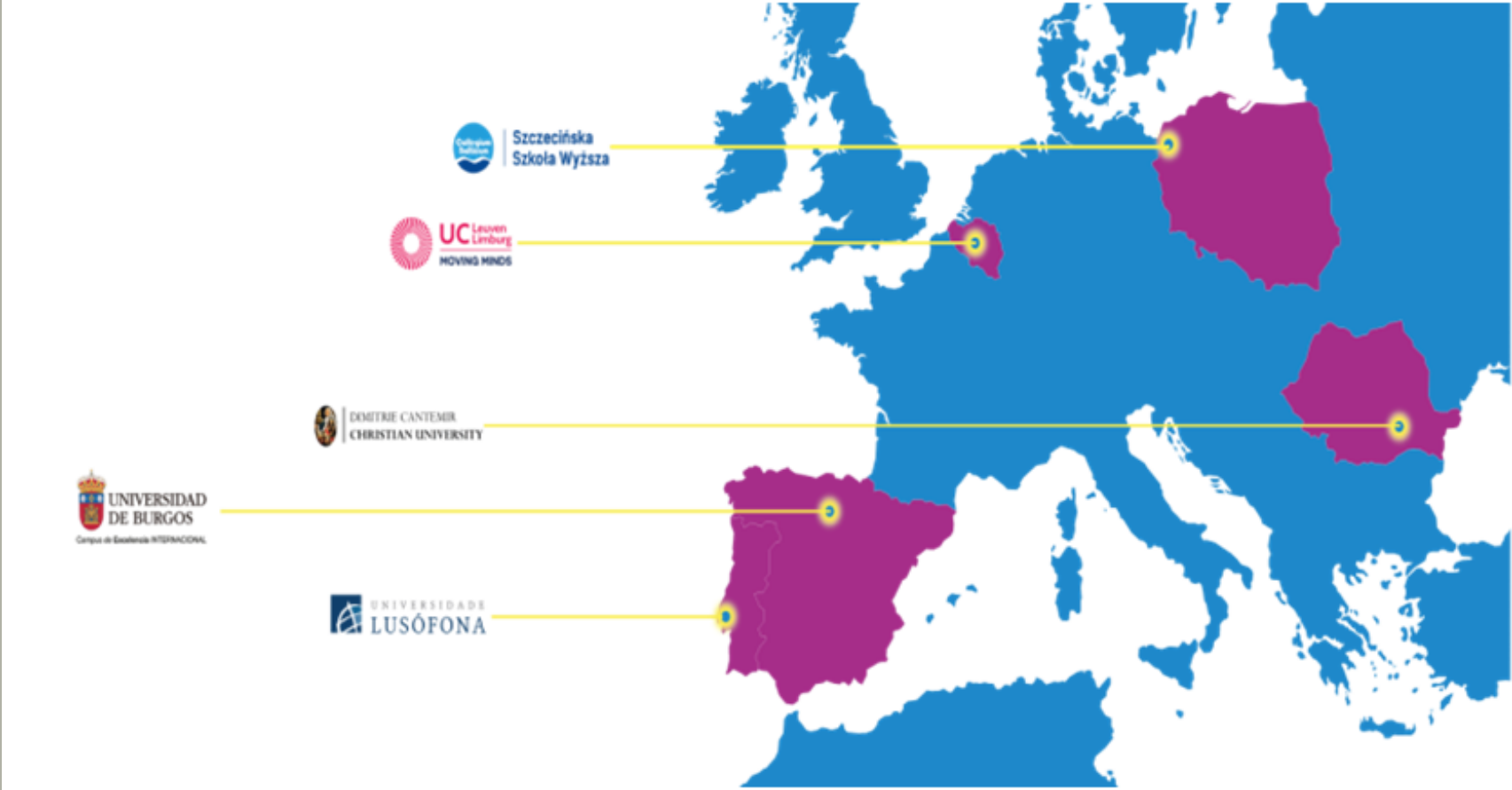
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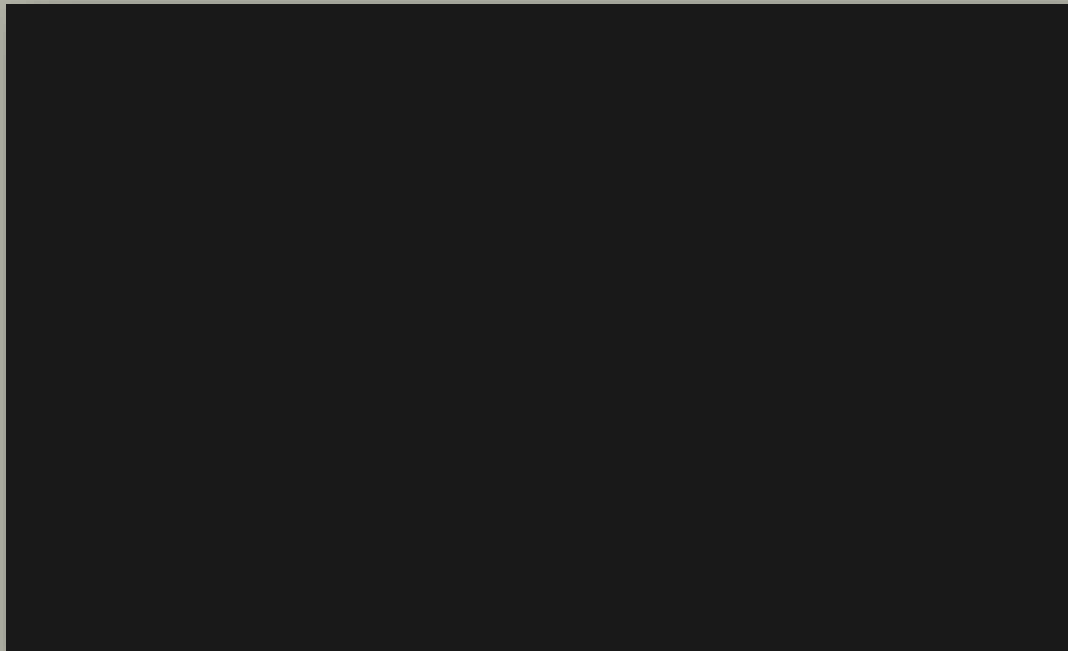


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The key action:

- Cooperation for innovation and the exchange of good practices

The field most impacted:

- Strategic partnership for higher education

***VIRTEACH* Objectives**

- to create a digital tool to improve the postgraduate certificates on Masters on Education (Foreign Languages)
- to provide teachers, researchers, student teachers and policy-makers with open-source tools and resources.

- to implement language training activities at a pre-service stage.
- to create a digital platform, a virtual learning environment (VLE).

- convergence of curricular formats at a European level
- the design of a White Paper for a comprehensive Language Teachers Training at a European scale.

Transnational cooperation

- target groups
- exchange of best policies in ITE
- development of coherent competence levels
- transparency
- creation of a series of digital tools

Foreign Language teacher training
the way to access the teaching profession.

***VIRTEACH* Project Results**

- to raise and homogenize the competences for an efficient and high quality teaching practice at Secondary Education stages
- to develop methodologies

- systematic analysis of the current situation in the EU
- to deploy a set of resources to ensure the right steps and progress in the right direction.

Realized meetings

Our first meetings

29 October

Kick-off meeting in Burgos,
Spain



14-15 March

II Transnational meeting
held in Lisbon, Portugal.



I Congreso Internacional V Congreso Psicoeducativo Educando el Futuro

Comparte tu experiencia
el 23 y 24 de Noviembre 2018

Salón de actos Fundación Cajacirculo
Plaza de España 3. BURGOS

Información e inscripción

The conferences we participated in:



The Project Aim - The Course

Foreign Language Teacher Training

- a comprehensive course adapted to the needs of 21st century teaching professionals.

The e-learning course

- the most relevant language teaching methodologies
- a high quality teacher training program
- an integrated sequence of best practices and classroom techniques.

The Modules

The students will acquire skills in teaching:

- communicative competence and skills
- culture and inter-culturality
- effective teaching strategies.

**The structure of the course
(each section – 3-4 hour work)**

**Unit 1. How to teach communicative
language skills**

Section 1. 1. Grammar Focus

Section 1. 2. Oral Performance Focus

*Section 1. 3. Discourse and Pragmatics
Focus*

Unit 2. How to teach culture and interculturality

Section 2. 1. Literature and media in the classroom

Section 2. 2. Intercultural Communication

Section 2. 3. English for Specific Purposes

Unit 3. Effective teaching strategies

Section 3. 1. Strategies to teach

Section 3. 2. Second language acquisition

Section 3. 3. Learning assessment/Critical Thinking

LEARNING SEQUENCE TEMPLATE

Each of the three sections follows the same **structure** (duration:1week):

- Introduction to... (video), exercises
- Basic points
- More elaborated conceptual points on the issue
- A complete and comprehensive view of the topic.

Basic points

- relevant content knowledge (video)
- exercises to check knowledge acquisition
- guided discussion forum
- optional - additional resources or extended contents available to download.

More elaborated conceptual points on the topic

- content knowledge (video)
- exercises to check knowledge acquisition
- a deliverable on one/two aspects of the given contents
- a guided discussion on doubts and difficulties.

A complete and comprehensive view of the topic

- lesson presentation (video)
- a guided set of exercises to build on a final deliverable
- extra sheets and templates for a complete deliverable
- a guided discussion forum
- deliverable and assessment.

Piloting ,Testing & Dissemination

- participants
- a call for teachers
- dissemination

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Thank you for your attention



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