



Erasmus +



CLIL for Higher Education

Atlantic Language | Galway | Ireland

Objectives

The Erasmus Plus course on CLIL Methodology for Higher Education focuses on the development of lesson facilitation where the dual targets of content and language are being simultaneously pursued. Sessions in this course will focus on scaffolding lessons, increasing communicative interaction among student, setting collaborative tasks, introducing target language, promoting enquiry-based learning, providing support for the learners.

Programme

This seminar will take place in the beautiful city of Galway, on the Atlantic Ocean coast, known as the cultural capital of Ireland. Participants will be provided with Erasmus Plus Staff Mobility (STT) certificates and EUROPASS upon completion. With a duration of 5 days (25 hours of classes, divided between morning and afternoon), the seminar also includes a cultural immersion in various activities including an Irish Dance Night and Irish Pub Night. There is also the option of a day-trip to the splendid Aran Islands on Saturday.

Participants

This course is designed for teachers at third level colleges and universities who work with students in seminars, tutorials and workshops, using English as the medium of communication. Participants should have CEFR level B2 or higher in English, and be prepared to develop their use of English for the facilitation of CLIL lessons with non-native speaking students of their academic subjects.

Accommodation

Accommodation is provided by the organizer and included in the price of the seminar.

The organiser offers four options of 7-night (Sat to Sat) accommodation in Galway:

- **Apartment Accommodation.** One room in a shared self-catering apartment
- **Accommodation in Host Families** experiencing an Irish family with half-board Monday to Friday and full-board at the weekend
- **B&B Accommodation** breakfast included
- **Hotel Accommodation** 3 star minimum

**Travel time can range from 25 to 50 minutes ca depending on location. We endeavor to place you in as a close a proximity as we can*

Financing

Participation on the course can be funded through the use of an Erasmus Plus STT grant from your academic institution.

The Organiser, Atlantic Language, will provide the required documents including the STT invitation, work plan and a Certificate of Participation for all seminar participants.

Programme Cost

Option A Course + Apartment	€715
Option B Course + Host Family	€760
Option C Course + B&B	On Request
Option D Course + Hotel	On Request

For efficacy of workshops only a limited number of applications can be admitted on the first apply, first served basis.

**There is high season supplement on accommodation. €40 for apartment / residence and €25 for HF (For the programmes between 29 Jun and 14 Sep 2019)*

Who it's for?

Third-level educators teaching their subjects through English to non-native speaking students

Level of English

B2 and above on the CEFR [↗](#)

Dates:

21 - 25 January, 2019

11 - 15 March, 2019

20 - 24 May, 2019

09 - 13 September, 2019

18 - 22 November, 2019



Atlantic Language is a high quality English language school in Ireland with sites in both Galway in the west and Dublin in the east.

A market leader in language education in Ireland, Atlantic has received several awards including the **Ulster Bank Achievers Award for International Business** in Connacht and the prestigious Language Travel Magazine Award for the **Best English Language School Europe 2009** which also acknowledged the professionalism of Atlantic Language but also the important part played by Atlantic.



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Seminar Workshop Programme

Atlantic Language's CLIL Methodology for 3rd Level Teachers Programme has been developed in collaboration with Mr. Jim Connolly, Academic Coordinator for Specialist Courses, and considers the essential needs of and the

challenges faced by users of the English language in teaching a subject's content in parallel with a foreign language. The seminar programme is delivered over 25 workshop hours, divided between

mornings (3h) and afternoons (2h). Atlantic Language and its tutors reserve the flexibility to amend the sequence or content to be delivered based on the observed or expressed needs of Seminar participants.

Day 1 - MON	Day 2 - TUE	Day 3 - WED	Day 4 - THU	Day 5 - FRI
AM	AM	AM	AM	AM
Understanding the Nature of CLIL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introductions. What is CLIL? ▪ Aims & Rationale for using CLIL 	Language Acquisition in CLIL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Language Needs in a CLIL Lesson ▪ The Lexical Approach ▪ Teacher Language 	Lesson Planning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Three-way Lesson Objectives ▪ Enquiry-based Learning ▪ Promoting Research and Collaboration 	Introducing New Content and New Language <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Increasing Student Collaboration ▪ Providing Scaffolding 	Assessing Learning in CLIL <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Supporting Learners ▪ Developing Learning Strategies ▪ Assessment vs. Evaluation
PM	PM	PM	PM	PM
In at the Deep End <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Seeing CLIL from the Students' Perspective ▪ A Demonstration CLIL Lesson 	C is for Cognition <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Analysing the Cognitive Demands of a Lesson ▪ Thinking Skills in CLIL 	Planning for Subject-specific Contexts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Selecting Materials ▪ Adapting Authentic Materials ▪ Visual Organisers 	Improving a Lesson Plan with More Student Collaboration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Seeing CLIL from the Tasks and Activities to Employ ▪ Using ICT 	Consolidating Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Methods of Review ▪ Reflecting and Planning
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Atlantic Language Dublin and Galway are recognised by ACELS, a service of Quality and Qualifications Ireland, for English language teaching (ELT).