



Join a vibrant community of international educators and immerse in the experience of innovative teaching and learning with East Bridge University's Paris Residential Program.

East Bridge University offers the students of the Department of Education a 6-day intensive workshop in Paris as a part of our exclusive residential program. The workshops are organised to help students get global exposure which will aid them in their future academic and professional pursuits.

East Bridge University offers five academic workshops for B.Ed., M.Ed., and Doctoral students:

- Fun and Effective Activities for Language Teachers
- Teach with a Twist! Motivate Your Students with Creative Teaching Strategies
- Digital Tools and Techniques for Student Engagement
- ICT Basic Tools for Gamification and 21st Century Skills
- Facing Diversity: Intercultural Classroom Management

Students are required to choose any one from the above workshops during their program.

### Program Details:

Fees: The fee for the Paris Workshop is included in the course fee.

**Exclusions:** The program does not cover the cost of visas, flights, accommodation, transportation, or meals.

**Optional:** The program is not mandatory for the students to attend. However, if a student cancels after confirmation, he/she will not be able to participate in the program on another date.

**Course Timetable:** The final schedules will be provided two weeks before course commencement.

**EBU Support:** Our support team will help the students with bookings, reservations, and visa applications upon request.



#### WHY ATTEND EBU'S PARIS RESIDENTIAL WORKSHOP?

#### Get the opportunity to interact and learn in a culturally diverse environment!

Participants can engage in creative and expansive learning experiences and be part of the international learning community. The workshops provide a unique opportunity to interact with peers from all across the globe.

### Learn about the upcoming innovative teaching and learning methods!

Throughout the workshops, participants will learn about the latest trends that are shaping the 21st-century educational landscape from internationally renowned educational professionals.

#### Gain a global exposure to kick-start your international career!

The in-person workshops are an excellent opportunity to network with educators, professionals, and fellow students from all across the globe. It is a great place to form professional and academic relations that will help in the long run.

### Get a deeper understanding of the modern global educational sphere!

As the participants immerse themselves in the transformative learning experience, they can gain a deeper understanding of their teaching skills and form fresh perspectives of their profession.

#### Immerse yourself in art, culture, and the historical heritage of Europe!

The workshops will allow students to delve deeper into the European Cultural heritage beyond academic and classroom settings. They can experience the iconic landmarks, exquisite art and literature, and the delectable cuisine in the City of Lights, Paris.

### Who can attend the workshops?

The Paris Residential Program is appropriate for any EBU student in the Department of Education who wants to acquire academic knowledge in an international environment and grasp the current trends influencing the modern educational field.



### Fun and Effective Activities for Language Teachers

### **Course Description:**

Fostering an engaging and interactive classroom is essential for any effective learning environment. The course equips participants with a toolkit filled with ready-to-use activities that make learning more fun and exciting. Participants learn cool ways to teach vocabulary, grammar, listening, speaking, and writing. The interactive teaching methods enable participants to grab student's attention, fostering creativity in classrooms, and making the learning process more fun and exciting.

#### Learning outcomes:

- Implement a wide range of engaging language teaching activities without prior preparation
- Enhance student engagement and participation in language learning
- Foster a dynamic and inclusive classroom environment
- Adapt teaching methods to different learning needs
- Promote communication, collaboration, and enthusiasm among students.

#### **Tentative Schedule**

#### DAY - 1: Course introduction

Introduction to the course, the school, and the external week activities; Icebreaker activities;

Presentations of the participatory schools; Needs analysis.

### DAY - 2 : Team building exercises

No prep activities for team building; Cultivating tolerance and acceptance.

# DAY - 3 : Enhancing fluency and engagement

Low-tech, high-touch activities; Improving fluency; Role-plays and Simulation Games.

# DAY - 4 : Games, grammar, and real-life context

Vocabulary games; Grammar practice in speaking and writing; Using real-life objects.

#### DAY - 5: Interactive comprehension

Comprehension activities; Fun, Fast-paced Writing Activities.

## DAY - 6 : Course closure and cultural activities



### Motivate your Students with Creative Teaching Strategies

### **Course Description:**

This course aims to integrate creative thinking and problem-solving in lesson planning developing student-centered activities to foster student engagement and motivation. Participants can seamlessly integrate creative digital tools into the teaching and learning processes. The course will equip the participants with skills and tools to effectively engage and motivate the students and teach with a twist!

#### Learning outcomes:

- Understand how to motivate students with problem-solving and creative thinking-based tasks
- Effectively engage students with visual thinking methodologies
- Integrating artful thinking strategies in the learning process
- Develop student-centered exercises and activities
- Use apps to foster students' creativity and engagement

### **Tentative Schedule**

### DAY - 1: Course introduction & how to motivate students

Introduction to the course and school along with Icebreaker activities; Presentations of the participatory schools; Motivating students; The Science of Creativity.

### DAY - 2: Thinking strategies

Promoting critical thinking; Visual and artful thinking strategies; Designing visual/artful thinking projects.

## DAY - 3 : Integrating thinking strategies

Integrating visual/artful thinking strategies in your lesson plan; Fostering problem-solving skills; Active learning through ICT(hands-on activity).

### DAY - 4: Enhancing through new methods

Vocabulary games; Grammar practice in speaking and writing; Using real-life objects.

#### DAY - 5: Get creative

Mind Mapping; Promoting creative thinking; What's your twist? Implementing what you've learned.

## DAY - 6 : Course closure & cultural activities



### Digital Tools and Techniques for Student Engagement

### **Course Description:**

In the era of digital transformation, the education sector has also undergone several shifts that educators to develop require keen understanding of the technological resources, edTech apps, and AI tools. This course focuses on enhancing classroom management, optimizing engagement through digital tools, and leveraging platforms like Google Classroom for better learning outcomes. Participants will gain hands-on experience in creating impactful lesson plans and presentations and creating digital tests and quizzes.

#### Learning outcomes:

- Gain proficiency in Classroom
   Management Systems like Google
   Classroom
- Learn to design and deliver presentations, videos, and lesson plans
- Familiarise with tools for crafting interactive lessons using interactive boards and digital tools
- Formulate digital tests, and quizzes, and acquire tools to gather feedback
- Adapt to interactive teaching methods using tablets and computers

### **Tentative Schedule**

## DAY - 1: Introduction to classroom management systems

Introduction to Classroom

Management Systems; Overview of
Google Classroom Site Setup.

### DAY - 2: Designing interactive lessons

Design presentations, videos, and interactive lesson plans; Digital tools for interactive teaching.

## DAY - 3 : Interactive boards, tests, and quizzes

Role of interactive boards in modern education; Designing digital tests and quizzes.

## DAY - 4 : Gathering feedback from students

Learn tools to gather real-time student feedback; Create lessons using digital tools.

### DAY - 5 : Remote teaching and interactive online classroom

Explore the difficulties of remote and online teaching; Gamified elements and strategies for an interactive online classroom.

### DAY - 6 : Course closure & cultural activities



### ICT Basic Tools for Gamification and 21st Century Skills

### **Course Description:**

educational The landscape 21st-century demands greater technological integration with traditional learning methods. It has become imperative for educators to integrate AI tools to foster the development of vital skills in students, such as critical thinking, collaboration, and creativity. This program will equip educators with the essential skills to navigate EdTech Apps and Al tools. Participants will learn to integrate technology into lesson plans and discover the of gamification. Practical experiences hands-on sessions on include Kahoot! quizzes, Padlet for collaborative projects, and Canva to create engaging materials for the class.

#### Learning outcomes:

- Learn the effective use of ICT tools
- Understand the principles of gamification
- Create interactive lessons that foster critical thinking, collaboration, creativity
- Overcome common challenges in the integration of classroom technology
- Learn the best practices in ICT tools usage and gamification in learning

### **Tentative Schedule**

# DAY - 1: Course introduction and setting goals

Introduction to the course and school along with Icebreaker activities; Introduction to 21st Century Skills, ICT Tools, Gamification; Presentations of the participatory schools

### DAY - 2: ICT tools for gamification

Designing simple gamified elements for the lessons; Escape rooms: analogical and digital; Transform your lesson plan into a treasure hunt.

### DAY - 3: Online quizzes and games

Kahoot ; Mentimeter ; Jeopardy ; Plikers.

### DAY - 4: ICT tools to foster collaboration

Padlet; Google Drive; Classroom management tools; Trello.

### DAY - 5: ICT tools to foster creativity and critical thinking

Canva; Genially; TedEd; Reflection and questions; Evaluation of 21st-century skills; Professional Development; Workshop Conclusion, Certification, and Future Steps.

### DAY - 6 : Course closure and cultural activities



### Facing Diversity: Intercultural Classroom Management

### **Course Description:**

Working in multicultural educational settings demands innovative teaching and learning approaches that often differ from traditional classroom teaching. Through this course, participants will gain comprehensive knowledge of intercultural educational practices that meet the needs of culturally diverse students without interrupting the regular didactic flow. The course will address creating a syllabus for diverse students, overcoming language barriers, and promoting productive intercultural interactions.

### Learning outcomes:

- Identify different learning approaches & choose the correct teaching strategies
- Choose suitable methods for different classes, contexts, and moments during the lesson
- Select teaching strategies with concrete, across-the-board objectives
- Acquire expertise related to intercultural communication
- Convert diversity from burden to opportunity

### **Tentative Schedule**

## DAY - 1: Course introduction & setting goals

Introduction to the course and school along with Icebreaker activities; Presentations and Warm-up games; Typical multicultural classroom management problems; Needs analysis and Classroom "Identikit"; Presentations of the participatory schools

#### DAY - 2: Mindfulness and reflection

Active listening, empathy, mindfulness; Inclusive school: what unites us and what divides us? Games and soft skills

#### DAY - 3: Relation vs tolerance

A matter of identity: relation VS tolerance; Recognizing oneself and being recognized; The narrative construction of identity; Autobiographies.

#### DAY - 4: Language for communication

Communicative needs; Language to establish relationships; Language to study; Language for full integration; Mixed ability classes: Methods of Differentiation and cooperative learning.

#### DAY - 5: Inclusive school

Families and schools: strengthening relations; Building Inclusive Environments: from multicultural to intercultural classes.

### DAY - 6 : Course closure and cultural activities



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