US in Focus - Virtual Teacher Training

Zoom, 10-11 July 2020

Friday, 10 July 2020   Venue: Zoom platform

Login/Registration	11:00 - 11:15

Project Introduction: Innovative Ways of Teaching English Teach About U.S. | Elections Project 2020 (40 min + 20 min Q&A)

11:15 - 12:15

Thematic framework of the project, learning objectives, procedures and timelines, tasks and topics (overview). Review of student entries from previous iterations of the project in Germany.

Lecturer: Joannis Kaliampos | Explanation of the program
POC: Dusica Milivojevic

Coffee break	12:15 - 12:30

Project Based Learning
Lecturer: Bojana Golubovic

12:30 - 13:15

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5 minute break	13:15 - 13:20

Hands-On Workshop – Part I: "Teaching and Learning with Moodle."

13:20 - 14:50

A discussion of how to incorporate "blended learning" into a foreign language (English) classroom. An introduction to Moodle, a "show-and-tell" session to demonstrate its basic functions, exploration of the Moodle e-classroom, and hands-on experimentation using examples of online tasks and project content.

- Communication: Engaging in forum discussions and chats
- Vocabulary: Compiling your own glossary of 'election lingo'
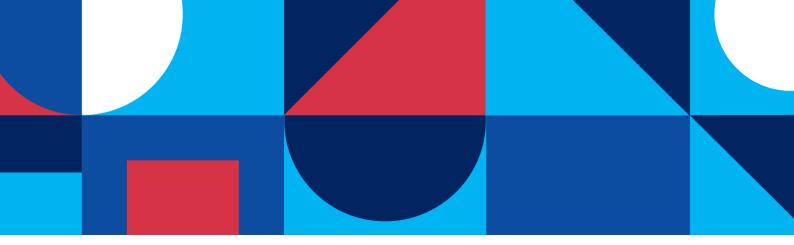- Classroom management: Modifying, deleting, adding assignments and resources

Lecturer: Joannis Kaliampos

Lunch break

14:50 - 15:50

Civics Discussion

15:50 - 16:50

Lecturer: Bojana Golubovic

How to Debate Effectively

16:50 - 17:30

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Media Literacy: Part I   9:00 - 10:00
Lecturer: Ivana Milosevic

Short break   10:00 - 10:10

Media Literacy: Part II   10:10 - 11:00
Lecturer: Ivana Milosevic

Coffee break   11:00 - 11:15

U.S. Presidential Election System: Issues in Focus   11:15 - 12:45

Lecturer: Stevan Nedeljkovic, Assistant Professor at the Faculty of
Political Sciences, Belgrade

Lunch break   12:45 - 13:30

U.S. Elections and Visual Culture

13:30 – 14:50

A session on analyzing American political cartoons, memes, campaign ads, and more.

Lecturer: Public Affairs Officer Timothy Standaert

Short break

14:50 – 15:00

Facilitating creative project outcomes: The election in your selected state

15:00 – 16:00

Lecturer: Joannis Kaliampos

Random Drawing for School State Selection

16:00 – 16:10

Schools will be randomly assigned one of the swing states

Wrap up session (Q&A)

16:10 – 16:30