Thursday, 18th of October 2018
Pre-conference, with focus on Empowerment training for Deaf stakeholders from Balkan region: Establishment of Sign Language and Sign Language Interpreting Programs in Balkan region

Third PRO-Sign2 conference, 19-20 October

Friday 19th October 2018

08.00 - 09.30 Registration

09:30 - 10.00 Welcome addresses (ProSign team, U of Belgrade, efsli, ENSLT and EUD)

10:00 - 10:45 Keynote address: Filipovic, Jelena & Vuco, Julijana (University of Belgrade)
Title to be announced

10.45 - 11:15 Raičević, Dragana; Gordić, Mihailo; Nikolić, Gordana and Van Herreweghe, Mieke (University of Ghent)
Serbian Sign Language: the state of affairs

11.15 - 11.45 COFFEE / TEA BREAK

11:45 - 12:15 Sapountzaki, Galini (University of Thessali)
Narrative templates and community sense-making: teaching performative differences between Greek Sign Language and spoken/written Greek at B2 level

12:15 - 12.45 Ni, Dawei; Keller, Jörg; Bürgin, Petrea; Meili, Aline (Zurich University of Applied Sciences in Winterthur)
Descriptors for communicative competences in sign languages in the CEFR

12:45 - 13:15 Turner, Graham; Quinn, Gary and Cameron, Audrey (Heriot-Watts University)
Leveraging CEFR in the politics of sign language teaching and learning policy in Scotland

13:15 - 14:30 LUNCH BREAK

14:30 - 15:00 Lerose, Luigi (UCLAN)
Teaching Sign Language through Cross-modality

15:00 - 15:30 Leeson, L., van Bogaerde, B., Haug, T. and Rathmann, C (ProSIgn)
Sign Language Teachers’ Competencies

15:30 - 15:45 Haug, Tobias (HfH Zurich, ProSign) & van den Bogaerde (HU-UAS, ProSign)
Sign Language Assessment I
15:45 - 16:00 Rathmann, Christian (Humboldt-Universität, ProSign) & Geissler, Thomas (Humboldt-Universität)
Sign Language Assessment II

16:00 - 16:30 COFFEE / TEA BREAK

16:30 - 17:15 Sign Language Assessment and Teachers’ Competencies: Group discussion
  Group 1: Haug & van den Bogaerde (English)
  Group 2: Leeson (IS)
  Group 3: Rathmann (IS)
  What are five key points?

17:15 - 17:40 Sign Language Assessment and Teachers’ Competencies: Group presentations

17:40 - 17:50 Concluding Remarks (ENSLT)

Evening Social Event at Deaf Club

Saturday 20th October 2018

09.00 - 9:30 Leeson, Lorraine (Trinity and ProSign) & Grehan, Carmel (Trinity)
Bridging the gap: The European Language Portfolio and L2 Irish Sign Language Learners at A2-B1 level

9:30 - 10:00 Rathmann, Christian (Humboldt and ProSign) & Geissler, Thomas (Humboldt)
eELP: Electronic European Language Portfolio and L2 German Sign Language Learners at B1 level

10:00 - 10:15 European Language Portfolio for Sign Languages: Plenary Discussion (ENSLT, two colleagues to be invited)

10:15 - 10:45 De Monte, Maria (Istituto Statale per Sordi di Roma and Università degli Studi di Roma Tre)
Filling the gaps. Italian Sign Language education before and after the SignLEF and the ProSign project

10:45 - 11:15 Celo, Pietro (SGB-FSS Schweizerischer Gehörlosenbund)
LIS Syllabus: a proposal of a syllabus for teaching Italian Sign Language, level A1 of Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), as L2 and the testing and assessing L2 sign language competence

11:15 - 11:45 COFFEE / TEA BREAK

11:45 - 12:15 Staub, Alexander (Melbourne Polytechnic)
Material development and use in the classroom
12:15 - 12:45  Matos Carew, Jade U (Cambridge Assessment English)
   A snapshot of a typical Level 2 course from the learner’s viewpoint

12:45 - 14:00  LUNCH BREAK

14:00 - 14:30  Leeson, L., van Bogaerde, B., Haug, T. and Rathmann, C (ProSlgn)
   Curriculum for Sign Language Teachers

14:30 - 15:15  Curriculum for Sign Language Teachers: Group discussion
   Group 1: Haug & van den Bogaerde (English)
   Group 2: Leeson (IS)
   Group 3: Geißler (IS)
   What are five key points?

15:15 - 15:45  COFFEE / TEA BREAK

15:45 - 16:00  Summary of Group discussions (each group approx. 5 minutes)

16.00 - 16:30  Final summary and PRO-SIGN2 products discussion

16:30 - 16:45  Concluding Remarks (efsli and ProSign)