









INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE TEACHING WEEK

@ UNIVERSITÉ SAVOIE MONT BLANC

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DESCRIPTION

We are pleased to invite guest lecturers from our partner universities to our International Language Teaching Week which will take place at the Université Savoie Mont Blanc (Annecy-Chambéry) from 21 till 26 June 2021.

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WHAT WILL YOU HAVE TO DO?

Guest lecturers are invited to prepare **lecture sessions or workshops** (a session lasts 90 minutes) aimed at academic and administrative staff members from the Université Savoie Mont Blanc (USMB) and other partner universities. Some lectures will also be dedicated to the USMB undergraduate and postgraduate students.

Guest lecturers will be asked to deliver **4 or 5 sessions** and suggest their own topics for their lectures. For this edition of our International Teaching Week, we have targeted a **list of subject areas linked to languages.**

After selection, guest lecturers will be placed in pairs with USMB lecturers working in the same discipline so as to allow the **exchange of good practices** and the **development of new networks**.



Please note that you may also suggest another subject for your lectures if you believe it may be of some interest for our colleagues. The USMB international relations team members will consider all options.

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SUBJECT AREAS

- Foreign languages:
 - French as a Foreign Language
 - English as a Foreign Language
 - Spanish as a Foreign Language
 - German as a Foreign Language
 - Italian as a Foreign Language
 - Etc.
- Education:
 - Intercomprehension methods between Romance languages
 - Pedagogy of language teaching
 - Pedagogical innovations
- Interculturality:
 - Intercultural communication
- Etc.

WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE UNIVERSITÉ SAVOIE **MONT BLANC?**

Great networking opportunities (more than 150 expected participants from many countries)







Payment of the teaching hours at the USMB usual rate (approx. 40 € gross per hour)

Extra activities and excursions to discover the area

(free of charge for guest lecturers - see page 7)



Teaching mobility eligible to an Erasmus+ STA grant from your home university (travel + stay package)





FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

CAN I APPLY EVEN THOUGH MY UNIVERSITY DOES NOT YET HAVE ANY VALID COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE USMB?

Yes, you can. All applications will be considered. However, in case of a big number of applications, the priority will be given to the USMB partner universities academic staff members.

I DO NOT WANT TO GIVE 4 TO 5 SESSIONS OF LECTURES. CAN I TEACH LESS OR MORE?

We expect participants to teach for an average of 8 hours. However, some shorter lectures could be used to complete another lecture on some more specific point. The other way around, on some very specific subject area where there are little specialists, a longer lecture could be appreciated. Thus, you are free to make your own suggestion.

THE SUBJECT I WANT TO TEACH IS NOT IN THE LIST SHOWN ABOVE: CAN I APPLY THOUGH?

Yes, you can. If you have an idea of a subject which is linked to languages, interculturality or teaching methods, you can suggest it while applying to the teaching week.

I AM INTERESTED IN TAKING PART IN THE ACTIVITIES BUT AS A TRAINEE NOT AS A LECTURER. IS IT POSSIBLE?

Another call for applications will follow early 2021 for participants. This specific call is aimed only at lecturers who will teach during the week. You can contact us to give us your email address and make sure you receive the call for applications in 2021. Training mobilities will be eligible as well for Erasmus+ grants (STT) from your home institution.

ACTIVITIES & EXCURSIONS

Below is a **list of activities** in which you'll be able to take part during the week at the Université Savoie Mont Blanc.

[A complete and detailed program will follow early January 2021].

- 21st of June is the first day of Summer that we celebrate in France through a big & popular music festival: "Ia Fête de la Musique";
- Savoie is a great place for those who like to hike in the mountains: "la Croix du Nivolet" and "le Plateau du Semnoz" are worth it;
- If you have never visited Annecy, "the Venice of the French Alps", then it may be the best opportunity for you to discover this city!
- The Mont Blanc mountain range is beautiful and not far from Chambéry. Why don't you come with us to Chamonix and go up to the "Aiguille du Midi" which culminates at **3842m**?



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HOW TO APPLY?

Apply Online until **October 15th**, 2020 at <u>https://sphinxdeclic.com/d/s/u5</u> <u>n051</u>

Notification of Acceptance by **December 1st**, **2020**

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