





New Line of Development (LoD 18) Proposal

Sofia, 57th IG Meeting



Proposal Background

Initiative resulting from conclusions of the 2022 EUMACS, held in Brno (CZ) in October 2022:

- Discussions held within the 2022 EUMACS Language Education and Competences Syndicate (10 participants representing EMILYO member institutions from 8 countries);
- Syndicate conclusions presented during the EUMACS plenary session, incl.:

THE PROPOSAL TO ESTABLISH A NEW LINE OF DEVELOPMENT FOCUSED ON SUPPORTING MEMBER INSTITUTIONS IN DEVELOPING THEIR CAPABILITIES TO EDUCATE IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE.

December 2022: UoD (CZ) Rector-Commandant sent an official proposal of the new LoD and proposed COL Holcner as its chairman.



Idea behind the new LoD 18

LoD 18: “Development of capabilities of the EMILYO member institutions to conduct their education and training programs in the English language (DOCETEL)”

Initial intents:

- Solve the issue of limited resources and time available for „traditional“ L2 education (sharing and/or pooling);
- Enhance capabilities to develop cadets/students English language competences in relation to other learning outcomes (e.g. critical thinking, specific terminology, communication under stress etc.);
- Share and/or pool capacities supporting Institutions in implementing their „education/training in English projects“;
- Increase motivation and assistance to personnel involved in „education/training in English projects“.



Potential Scope of the new LoD 18

Sharing lessons learnt among the Institutions?

Joint language course(s) for teachers/academicians (design & conduct)?

Joint language courses for administrative and technical staff (design & conduct)?

Train the trainers program (joint program for selected English language teachers)?

Sharing training materials?

Reachback support to teachers/academicians (on-line consultation center)

Others

Forms of intended activities: full time, on-line, hybrid



Way ahead

Provided the new LoD 18 and its chairman will be approved:

Please, consider potential active involvement of your respective institution in the LoD 18.

Contact the proposed LoD18 chairman with the following information (if possible, before April 14th, 2023):

- PoC of your institution in relation to LoD 18;
- Activities your institution would prefer to implement within the LoD18 (prioritization);
- Any other comments/proposals regarding the LoD18 concept.

Elaborated scope and plan of activities within the LoD18 to be presented during the next IG meeting in May 2023.

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Thank you for your
attention.

