

ERASMUS+ PARTNER IDENTIFICATION  
PROJECT TITLE:

<b>A. PARTNER ORGANISATION</b>	
OID	E10041844
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<b>B. PROFILE</b>	
Type of Organisation	Private Limited Company
Is the partner organisation a public body?	No
Is the partner organisation a non-profit?	No

<b>C. ACCREDITATION</b>	
Has the organisation received any type of accreditation before submitting this application?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Independent Schools Inspectorate</li> <li>• British Council</li> </ul>

Has the partner organisation participated in a European Union granted project in the 3 years preceding this application? **YES**

EU Programme	Year	Project Identification or Contract Number	Applicant/Beneficiary Name
Erasmus+ KA2	2015	2015-1-FR01-KA204-015334	Petra Patrimonia Corsica
Erasmus+ KA1	2015	2015-1-IT01-KA102-004469	Istituto Tecnico Economico "Cesare Battisti"
Erasmus+ KA1	2016	2016-1-IT01-KA102-005187	ITSCG J.SANSOVINO
Erasmus+ KA1	2016	2016-1-IT01-KA116-005093	I.S.I.S.S. "G.B. CERLETTI"
Erasmus+ KA1	2017	2017-1-IT01-KA102-005870	ISTITUTO D'ISTRUZIONE SUPERIORE "T. CATULLO"
Erasmus+ KA1	2017	2017-1-IT01-KA102-005874	Istituto Istruzione Superiore Alfredo Panzini
Erasmus+ KA1	2017	2017-1-IT01-KA116-005869	I.S.I.S.S. "G.B. CERLETTI"
Erasmus+ KA2	2018	2018-1-BE01-KA202-038594	SCS LogoPsyCom
Erasmus+ KA2	2018	2018-1-UK01-KA204-048120	Eurospeak Language Schools Ltd.
Erasmus+ KA2	2018	2018-1-PL01-KA204-051042	Danmar Computers
Erasmus+ KA2	2018	2018-1-LV01-KA204-047012-P1	Azote

#### D. BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

<p>Please briefly present the partner organisation.</p>	<p>Eurospeak Language Schools Ltd, is a private English language school, accredited by the British Council, Independent Schools Inspectorate (ISI) and are a UKVI licensed Tier 2 General and Tier 4 General of the points based system. Established in 1991, we are an accredited Cambridge English exam centre and a Trinity College London teacher training centre. We offer a variety of language and vocational training courses. We have two locations: Reading, Berkshire and Southampton, Hampshire.</p> <p>We remain dynamic and forward thinking, and use the newest teaching materials, technology and interactive learning tools. Our teachers are highly skilled and enthusiastic and both our academic and administrative teams have years of experience in aiding students from all over the world with their visa requirements and employment opportunities. We have an extremely multicultural student community, a great learning environment and provide extracurricular activities to help all students engage in cultural immersion.</p> <p>Our prime objective is to give all learners the best opportunity to improve their lives and aim to give them the necessary skills they need in both their personal and professional lives, to attain success. By helping them attain a good command of the skills they require, we are confident that our learners go on to lead successful and happy lives wherever they choose to live and work. We also value integrity and harmony between students, with their diversified cultures and nationalities in order to develop our own strong sense of community.</p> <p>Eurospeak has consistently built and maintained a good international reputation with great teachers, affordable prices and a relaxed, friendly atmosphere. At Eurospeak we genuinely care about our students' welfare and pay great attention to their specific needs, whilst providing them with challenging and fulfilling courses, including General English, Bespoke Courses, Vocational Training, Teacher Training and Exam Preparation. Each summer we host a summer school for Juniors (ages 12-17) as well where they learn about the language as well as the English culture.</p> <p>Our learner focused courses require and inspire active learning, while acting as a springboard for the future. We maintain varied and interesting methodologies in our classes, and strive to support learners in succeeding their goals, as we welcome them from all over the world. Number of staff members is approximately 20. Number of learners per annum is approximately 1000, with a majority being between the ages of 18-30. Number of courses per annum is approximately 90.</p>
<p>What are the activities and experience of the organisation in the areas relevant for this application?</p>	<p>We are predominantly active in the field of youth and adult education as partners of different kinds of KA1 and KA2 projects.</p> <p>The key for us is to work on both local and international projects and we try to cover broad scale of themes and topics according to what our target group finds interesting. We focus mainly on language learning, vocational and educational training (VET), intercultural understanding, community development and e-learning. The activities of the organisation are based on the approaches of non-formal education, experiential and intercultural learning, social inclusion and active participation.</p> <p>As most of our students are under the age of 30, we often provide informal advice to them regarding social integration, finance, accommodation, cultural awareness, and immigration. We regularly organise social outings where the students are able to explore various aspects of the surrounding area and make connections with other young students. We find it important not only to teach them the language of the country they are in, but also how to comfortably live and integrate into the society.</p>

	<p>Our background and knowledge of the implementation of various type of learning methodologies in different learning contexts gives us the relevant experience for the implementation of this project. Our organisation is experienced in, and actively adopts new types of learning material, methodologies and the incorporation of new and traditional teaching styles and methods. Our academic and administrative teams are both multinational and highly experienced in their specific areas of expertise, and collaborate together effectively on a daily basis, bringing ideas, creativity and opinions to the academic progress of our courses and the efficiency of the operational functions which enable them.</p>
<p>What are the skills and expertise of key staff/persons involved in this application?</p>	<p><b>Gaurav Vahi</b> – School Director. Gaurav has expertise in financial management, funding applications, immigration, international and national policy and regulations.</p> <p><b>Kelsea Mucherino</b> – School and Erasmus Coordinator. Kelsea holds an M.A. in TESOL from the University of Reading (UK) with a thesis written on the topic of formulaic language. She also holds an M.S. in Secondary Education from the University of Bridgeport (USA) and a B.A. in English and French from the University of Connecticut (USA). She also has various language teaching certifications and has taught in multiple countries in a variety of contexts teaching French and English. She has expertise in education, linguistics, and cultural awareness.</p> <p><b>William Barker</b> – Erasmus coordinator and teacher. William has over 20 years’ experience in teaching English as a foreign language. He holds a CELTA certificate and has experience as Director of Studies. He has also written training courses on university preparation and business. Besides his teaching experience and qualifications, he holds a BSc (hon) in Rural Geography from Ruskin University, certification in psychotherapy, and is a qualified journalist.</p> <p><b>Ravi Shankar</b> - Postgraduate in IT with more than 18 years’ experience in design and development using EAI (Enterprise Application Integration), SOA and J2EE. He is experienced in managing and coordinating educational projects within EU programmes. He also possesses high expertise in designing innovative training solutions based on Information Technology, designing and maintaining computer systems, including Websites and e-solutions, and long-term experience in the development of training programs and materials, delivery of Information Technology courses, and design and implementation of pilot innovative, educational actions in the region. He is an expert in many IT related fields, including networks, security, messaging and enterprise class systems.</p> <p><b>Pradeep Shukla</b> - BEng in Electronics and Communication. He has 15+ years’ experience in the IT industry and is an enthusiastic innovative technology expert, with extensive experience in enterprise architecting and building IT applications and solutions. As a Business Process management professional with a focus on AI-based applications, he has a diverse portfolio of successfully orchestrated enterprise solutions. He has deeper experience in providing cost effective IT solutions and has successfully helped many companies in digitalisation and has extensive experience in the development of training materials to be implemented on e-platforms and wide knowledge in the field of teleworking and interactive forms of social communication.</p>

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