

LIFELONG LEARNING PROGRAMME - GRUNDTVIG ORGANISATIONS WILLING TO HOST A GRUNDTVIG ASSISTANT

HOST COUNTRY: POLAND

**THIS IS AN EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM OF THE POLISH INSTITUTION
WISHING TO HOST A GRUNDTVIG ASSISTANT IN 2013/2014.**

1. HOST ORGANISATION

Name of institution/organisation	Centrum Badań Migracyjnych (CeBaM) UAM		
Type of institution/organisation	Centre for Migration Studies at the Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznan		
Legal Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public	Size (staff) 21
Commercial Orientation	<input type="checkbox"/> Profit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non profit	Size (students) The University has 47.000 students
Location	<input type="checkbox"/> Rural	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Urban	
Address	Coll. Historicum ul. Św. Marcin 78		
Postcode	PL-61-809	City	Poznań
Country	POLAND		
E-mail address	pkrolik@amu.edu.pl		
Website	http://cebam.amu.edu.pl/en/		

Can your institution be easily reached by public transport?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes, by: bus, tram <input type="checkbox"/> no, explain:
Can you help the Assistant to find suitable accommodation?	<input type="checkbox"/> yes, we can find accommodation and take care of the practical arrangements <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes, we can give information on potential accommodation, but we cannot take on any practical arrangements

2. CONTACT PERSON

(This person will supervise the Grundtvig Assistant if the application is successful)

Title (Ms/Mr)	Ms		
First name	Natalia		
Family name	Bloch		
Department (if relevant)	Department of Ethnology and Anthropology		
Position	Dr.		
Work Address	<i>(if different from 1.)</i>		
Address			
Postcode	61-809	City	Poznań
Country	POLAND		
E-mail address	nbloch@amu.edu.pl		
Website	http://cebam.amu.edu.pl/en/		

3. ORGANISATION'S PROFILE

Overview of activities provided to adult learners:

The Centre for Migration Studies (CeBaM UAM) is an academic research centre established at the Adam Mickiewicz University (UAM) in Poznań in 2009. The Centre seeks to connect research

about migration topics with practical work in Poznan. In accordance to this goal, it organises workshops and seminars about migration and multicultural life in Poznan and Poland for the interested public. Within various EU projects offers have been made to establish the connection between research and the everyday life. The Centre is also involved in educational activities aimed at the Polish population in order to promote tolerance towards immigrants, to overcome interethnic barriers, to challenge racism, and to disseminate reliable knowledge and information on various forms of social life and worlds of cultural values.

Moreover, the Centre aims to create various interdisciplinary, one-year long postgraduate programmes exploring the phenomena of migration and exile which are open for all interested persons having at least a bachelor's degree. The courses on offer will be aimed at university graduates whose professional work involves contact with various categories of migrants inside and outside Poland, as well as at those who work in government and local administration, legal professionals, social workers, missionaries, individuals preparing to work in immigrant-centred multicultural communities.

Adult learners with special needs or from socio-economically disadvantaged groups:

Yes No

If YES, please specify:

4. EXPERIENCE IN EUROPEAN COOPERATION ACTIVITIES

Does your institution/organisation already have experience in European cooperation activities?
Have you hosted an assistant from abroad before?

The Centre for Migration Studies has experience in cooperation activities as it regularly works with various institutions and organisations in Europe and outside. The Centre is one of the main partners of the Integration Network for Immigrant Youth (INIY), which is an international cooperation network for integration of immigrant youth. Moreover, the CeBaM is a member of the European Migration Network.

The first Grundtvig assistant is currently working for the CeBaM UAM until July 2013. She is open for questions and can help with the application procedure. You can contact her on the following email address: pkrolik@amu.edu.pl.

5. MOTIVATION TO HOST AN ASSISTANT

What are your reasons why you would like to host an Assistant?

The work on a multinational level is very valuable for both sides, as it enriches the Centre and the assistant on a personal and professional level. As the Centre is already working with various partners from abroad within different EU projects the language skills of the assistant are definitely an important trump. We are sure that the assistant will bring new inputs to our work on the practical level and therefore help us to stay dynamic and be visible in the city.

6. POSSIBLE TASKS FOR AN ASSISTANT

In which areas will the Assistant be involved and how? Will the Assistant have an opportunity to teach his/her culture and mother tongue?

- Planning and Preparing courses and seminars for the citizens of Poznan
- Planning and Preparing courses and seminars for migrants
- Participation in national educational projects like seminars and lessons
- Keeping the websites up-to date
- Book keeping and accounting
- Establishing own projects
- Representing the Centre on conferences and symposia

The tasks very much depend on the assistant's experience and skills.

7. ASSISTANT'S PROFILE

Please indicate your preferences regarding the profile of the Assistant (experiences, language skills, field(s) of expertise, subjects taught, etc.).

- good command of Polish and English
- interest in the topic of migration
- open and reliable
- able to work independently