

## **ESEC on-line Final International Conference September 28-29, 2020**

### Participants:

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**Prof. George Damaskinidis, INCLUDE**  
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### Monday, September 28, 2020:

Professor Marzano has opened the Conference underlying importance of parent training and opportunity of including the results achieved in ESEC Project into Partners' future activities or other projects. It has been stated that soft skills are crucial in approaching sensitive groups such as parents of children with behavioral disabilities. It has been agreed that emotional intelligence should be underlined and teachers should supported from the viewpoint of empathy towards the parents of disabled children.

Dr Kawa has presented overall situation on communication under Covid-19 , changes required to adapt to pandemics circumstances. Usefulness of new technologies was underlined.

Prof. Damaskinidis in his presentation of guidelines informed that all partners managed to implement the training course although the COVID-19 pandemic raised many problems due to lockdown restrictions that changed the face to face modality to distance learning and e-learning. Although they have changed the modality all partners preserved the original structure of the training course that was conducted successfully while only face-to-face learning was changed into distance learning, that gave all of the Partners good experience.

Presentation of Professor Zogla about positive parenting focused on patterns or ways of constructing knowledge and skills, working-out a needs-based programs, and negotiating with parents to construct their Parenting Science-based communication practice.

J.Alemany in presentation of achievements and results of ESEC project stated that The ESEC Project has been found to be very useful among many respondents regarding children with behavioral disturbances.

## Tuesday, September 29, 2020:

Dr Lizut has opened the second day of a Conference expressing her satisfaction with the course of the project and the professional work put into the project by all Partners.

The second day was devoted to the dissemination activities of the Project's results that has been performed so far and scheduled for the future.

There have been big conferences held in Northern Greece and in Latvia as well as various smaller scale on-line and traditional events in Spain and Italy. All Partners directed their dissemination activities on Face Book and social media because of their strong impact on the society.

### 1. CONCLUSIONS

It has been agreed that the outcome of ESEC project provides the educators with know-how to support parents of disabled children, especially that online trainings help to improve collaboration with parents who have straits in being involved in face-to-face trainings due to difficulties related to inhibitions resulting from the needs of everyday life. Project has been well conducted and everybody is looking forward to cooperate in preparation of Final Report.

It has been agreed that following actions should be taken in order to fulfill all Project assumptions:

- **JKPU** should send the guidelines to **INCLUDE** by **Oct.6<sup>th</sup>**.
- Each partners needs to conduct the local meeting at HEI/social structures to illustrate the guidelines and handbook through the platform of each organization during last two weeks of October.
- **JKPU** will prepare the poster and distribute it among the Partners to be translated into national languages by **October 15<sup>th</sup>**.
- **INCLUDE** will have the report with results of handbook and recommendations ready by **Oct.15<sup>th</sup>**. This short report should be translated into national languages.
- All Partners will send the documents of the Project to **JKPU** (M.Soliman) by **Oct.15<sup>th</sup>**. (Time sheets, financial documents etc.)
- **JKPU** will organize final international call in the week of **19-23 Oct.** date shall be agreed by **Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>**.

Thank you for your participation.