

FLUENCY SPECIALIZATION

Student's feedback

"It was great... very invigorating but challenging."

"I am full of ideas and ambitions to learn more..."



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The 'European Clinical Specialization is a one-year program, providing both the knowledge and the clinical skills, to assist speech-language therapists in becoming European Fluency Specialists.

Graduates of this course will distinguish themselves by their outstanding ability, in-depth knowledge and expertise in the field of fluency disorders. Since the start of the course, participants from over 25 EU and non EU countries have enrolled.

The program is a well-designed combination of lectures, clinical practice and home assignments.

If you are already working as an SLT, this specialization course is compatible with your current workload.

Lectures are provided during two intensive weeks, scheduled during the academic year.

These modules are combined with web-based follow up sessions in the home country of the participant.

Preparatory reading and home assignments form an integral

part of the course.

The specialized clinical training, under supervision of a fluency specialist, can begin after the first intensive week.

Since this program leads to certification, the different course units will be evaluated. Evaluation is based on permanent evaluation, portfolio, and specific evaluation moments.

The different lecturers, all staff members of the participating European institutes, were selected based on their expertise. All have numerous years of experience in the field of fluency disorders. In addition, world experts are invited as guest lecturers.

The program is organized by fourteen different partners in ten EU and non-EU countries. The partners are Arteveldehogeschool Gent (A. Breda & V. Waelkens), Katholieke Hogeschool Vives (M. Meersman), Katholieke Universiteit Leuven (L. De Nil), L-Università ta' Malta (J. Agius), Trinity College Dublin (M. Leahy), Rheinisch Westfälische Technische Hochschule & Universitätsklinikum Aachen

(P. Schneider), Escola Superior de Saude do Alcoitao (J. Carmona), University of Silesia (K. Węsierska), University of Central Florida (M. Vanryckeghem), and University of Austin Texas (C. Byrd); co-ordinating institute is Thomas More Antwerp (K. Eggers). Associate partners are the Michael Palin Centre London (E. Kelman), KEΘT Athens (G. Fourlas), Erasmus Medical Center (M. C. Franken) and the Dutch Association for Stuttering Therapy (M. Pertijs).

This program provides specialist knowledge and skills, that can be recognized by your local professional body as important criteria leading to clinical specialization. The target group are graduates of Bachelors or Masters programs in Speech and Language Pathology.

More information (e.g., enrolment) is available at www.ecsf.eu.

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