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**UNESCO CHAIR OF INTERCULTURAL POLICY  
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AND SOLIDARITY  
UNIVERSITY OF MACEDONIA**

**21-HOUR VIRTUAL EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR**

**“UNESCO ACTIONS FOR INCLUSIVE EDUCATION IN THE  
CONTEXT OF THE 17 SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT  
GOALS”**

**24 MAY, 31 MAY, and 7 JUNE 2021**

**SEMINAR PROGRAM**

**The seminar is open to all - Certificates of attendance will be provided**

**Registration is required for each day of the seminar**

**Zoom link**

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**Monday 24 May 2021**

**16:00-22:00**

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## **THE RIGHT TO EDUCATION: UNESCO'S MAIN GOAL**

**16:00-16:15 Opening remarks**

**Eugenia Alexandropoulou-Egyptiadou**, Vice-Chancellor Professor, Department of Applied Informatics, University of Macedonia, Director of the Master's Program LAW AND INFORMATICS, Research Associate of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy

**Ekaterini Tzitzikosta**, President of the National Commission for UNESCO in Greece

**Despina Anagnostopoulou**, Associate Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia, Academic coordinator of Jean Monnet EUVadis project, Director of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy and holder of the Jean Monnet Chair

**1<sup>st</sup> SESSION**

**THE RIGHT TO EDUCATION**

**16:15-18:05**

**Paraskevi Naskou Perraki**, Professor (ret) of International Law and International Organizations, University of Macedonia, fmr Director of UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy:

**THE RIGHT TO EDUCATION - GREECE'S COMMITMENTS FROM INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS CONVENTIONS**

**Maria Brokou**, BA International and European Studies, MSc European Policies for the Youth, Education, and Culture, University of Macedonia, Researcher at Jean Monnet Project EUVadis, fmr Accredited Assistant of the European Parliament:

**THE UN CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES – THE EU IMPLEMENTATION POLICIES AND MEASURES**



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## Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy

### Konstantina Kartali:

UN Convention on the Rights of the Child and the right to education

### Anna Filippou:

The right to education

### Renia Kokkali:

The 4 A's of the Right to Education

### Dominiki Miteloudi:

UNESCO'S Convention Against Discrimination in Education (CADE)

### Nefeli Efthymia Lipantoudi:

UNESCO Observatory on the right to education

### Discussion

**BREAK 18:05-18:15**

**2<sup>nd</sup> SESSION**

**EDUCATION AND THE 17 GOALS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

**18:15-20:05**

**Dimitrios Fatouros**, Communications Officer for Greece, UN Regional Information Center in Brussels (UNRIC):

**UN's 17 GOALS FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

**Michael Skoullou**, Emeritus Professor of NKUA and Director of NKUA'S UNESCO Chair for Management & Education for Sustainable Development in the Mediterranean:

**EDUCATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT (SEN): PRINCIPLES AND DEVELOPMENTS BASED ON UNESCO WORLD CONFERENCE ON SEN (17-19 / 05/2021) AND THE SPECIAL SESSION OF UNESCO CHAIRS**





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**Stefanos Katsoulis**, PhD candidate, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia, Research Associate of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy, Director of UNESCO Youth Club of Thessaloniki:

### **UN YOUTH STRATEGY WITH AN EMPHASIS ON EDUCATION**

#### **Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Athena Stefanidou:**

Sustainable Development and Quality Education

**Areti Staraka:**

Presentation of "Education 2030 Framework for action"

**Zisis Veloukas:**

Presentation of "Action 4education" (Considerations on Quality Education in today's Covid era)

**Maria Stoikou:**

8. Linking Goal No. 4 with Goal No. 5, No. 10, No. 11, No. 16, No. 17

**Discussion**

**BREAK 20:05- 20:15**

**3<sup>rd</sup> SESSION**

**FUTURES OF EDUCATION AND THE IMPACT OF THE PANDEMIC**

**20:15-21:55**

**Vera Dilari**, MSc, National Coordinator of ASPnet UNESCO, Research Associate of the Laboratory of Educational Policy, Research, Development and Inter-University Cooperation (ERDIC), University of Piraeus:

#### **UNESCO: SHAPING A NEW VISION FOR EDUCATION**

**Anastasia Psallida**, High School Professor, PhD candidate, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia, Research Associate of the UNESCO Chair for Intercultural Policy:

**CONCLUSIONS FROM UNESCO ONLINE SEMINARS ON EDUCATION AND RESPONDING TO COVID-19**



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### **Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

#### **Styliani Dergementzoglou:**

Presentation of “Futures of education” initiative and “Progress update” (March 2021)

#### **Panagiota Pergantopoulou:**

Presentation of “Urban Solutions: Learning from cities responses to Covid-19”

#### **Irini Lianidou:**

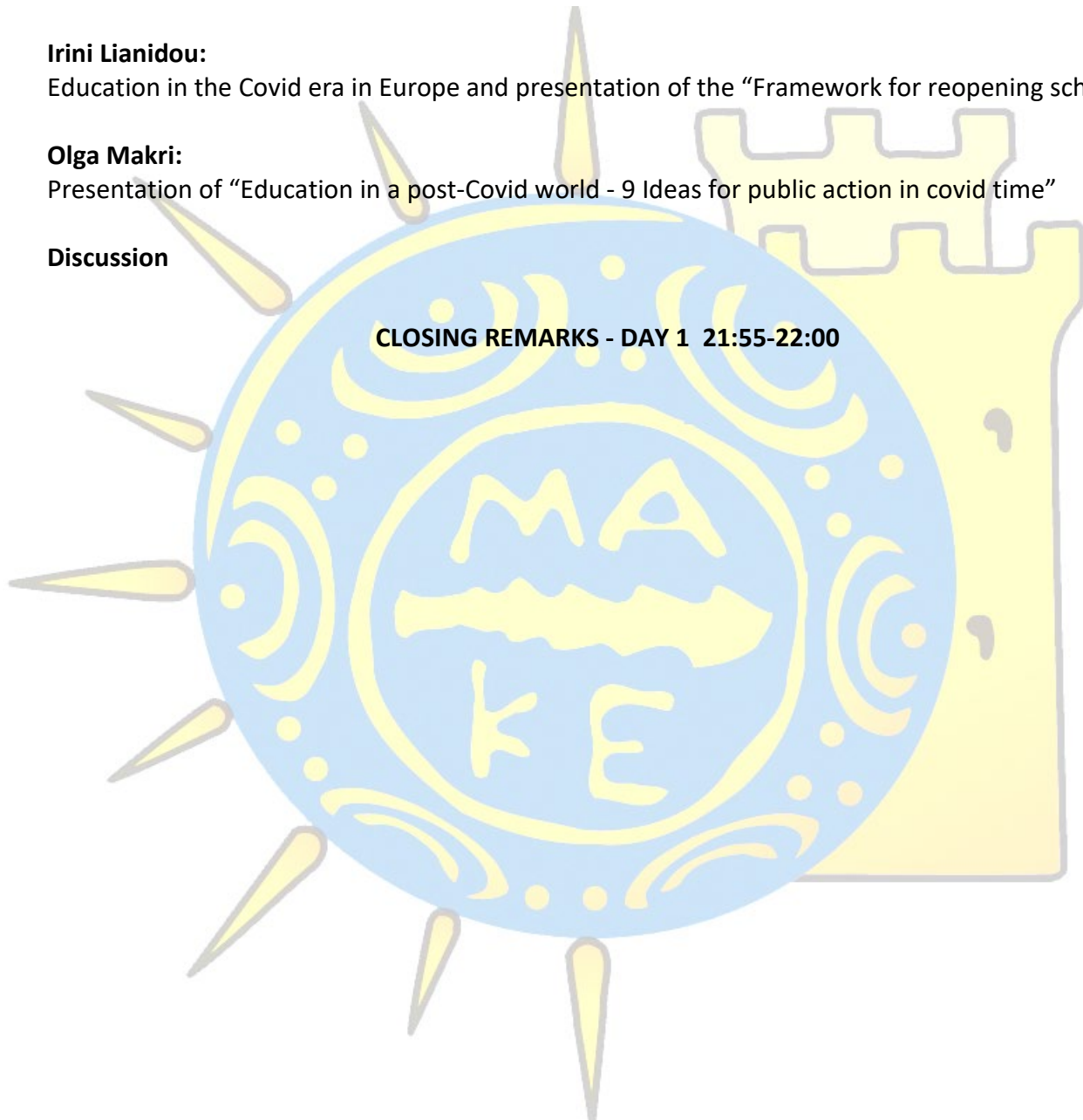
Education in the Covid era in Europe and presentation of the “Framework for reopening schools”

#### **Olga Makri:**

Presentation of “Education in a post-Covid world - 9 Ideas for public action in covid time”

#### **Discussion**

**CLOSING REMARKS - DAY 1 21:55-22:00**





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**Monday 31 May 2021**

**16:00-22:00**

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**INCLUSIVE EDUCATION -  
EDUCATION OF SOCIALLY VULNERABLE GROUPS**

**4<sup>th</sup> SESSION**

**EDUCATION AND ARMED CONFLICTS**

**16:00-16:50**

**Kalliopi Hainoglou**, Assistant Professor, Department of International and European Studies, Research Associate of the UNESCO Chair "Intercultural Policy" and the Chair "Women, Peace and Security", University of Macedonia:

**THE RIGHT TO EDUCATION IN A PERIOD OF ARMED CONFLICTS AND OTHER UPHEAVALS**

**Fotini Bellou**, Assistant Professor, Department of International and European Studies, Director of the UNESCO Chair "Women, Peace and Security", Head of the EU Security Watchspot, Jean Monnet Project EUVadis, University of Macedonia:

**SECURITY TRAINING IN POST-WAR REGIONS: THE GENDER DIMENSION**

**Discussion**

**5<sup>th</sup> SESSION**

**THE ROLE OF "CULTURE" IN THE PROCESS OF INCLUSION TO EDUCATION**

**16:50-17:40**

**Vassilis Papalimperis**, High School Professor, President of the Hellenic Cultural and Educational Club for UNESCO and Organizer World Youth Symposium on Cultural Heritage:

**UNESCO AND NON-FORMAL EDUCATION: PRESENTATION OF WORLD SYMPOSIUM ON CULTURAL HERITAGE**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Anastasia Hadjifotiou:**

Intangible cultural heritage and education

**Elizabeth Luca:**

Developing "intercultural competences"

**Discussion**





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## 6<sup>th</sup> SESSION

### CURRICULA AND EDUCATION

17:40-18:50

**Despina Anagnostopoulou**, Associate Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia, Academic coordinator of Jean Monnet EUVadis project, Director of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy and holder of the Jean Monnet Chair:

**INTERCULTURAL DIALOGUE AND EDUCATION – REVIEW OF THE JEAN MONNET EU VADIS PROJECT'S ACTIONS IN COLLABORATION WITH THE UNESCO CHAIR OF INTERCULTURAL POLICY FOR AN ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP AND SOLIDARITY**

**Despina Natsi**, LL.M, lawyer, researcher, member of TOGETHER research program, adult educator in human rights:

**PRESENTATION OF "TOGETHER" PROGRAM UNDER ERASMUS +**

**Chrysanthi Michlizoglou**, English language teacher, INTERCAP mentor, Regional Directorate of Education of Central Macedonia

**Dimitris M. Mylonas**, PhD, Economist - Lawyer, INTERCAP Project Manager, Regional, Directorate of Education of Central Macedonia:

**INTERCAP: ACTIONS AND RESULTS FOR QUALITY EDUCATION**

**Mary Drossopoulou**, PhD, Postdoctoral Researcher & Intercultural Instructor, University of Leeds, United Kingdom:

**PRESENTATION OF "CHANGING THE STORY" PROGRAM**

**Discussion**

**BREAK 18:50-19:00**

## 7<sup>th</sup> SESSION

### INCLUSIVE EDUCATION

19:00-20:10



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**Georgia Georgaki**, Postgraduate Student, Department of Educational and Social Policy,  
University of Macedonia:

**INTERCULTURAL CAPACITY IN THE CONTEXT OF THE SCHOOL VOCATIONAL  
ORIENTATION AS A CRITERION FOR THE (RE) INTEGRATION OF CULTURAL MINORITIES  
THE LABOR MARKET**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Eleni Chandolia:**

Education of immigrants

**Eleni Petridou and Vassilios Argyriou:**

UNHCR and Refugee Education: "Refugee Education 2030"

**Giorgos Spyridonidis:**

Refugee education in Greece: Intercultural education of Greek Muslims / Pomaks in the region of  
Thrace

**Margarita Paraskevopoulou:**

"Story telling" technique

**Stella Massia:**

"Passport for refugees and migrants"

**Discussion**

**8<sup>th</sup> SESSION**

**GIRLS' AND WOMEN'S ACCESS TO EDUCATION**

**20:10-21:15**

**Dionysia Tsolaki**, PhD Candidate, Department of International and European Studies, University of  
Macedonia, Research associate of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy:

**INSTANBUL CONVENTION AGAINST VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND EDUCATION AGAINST  
VIOLENCE**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Maria Tsiavou:**





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Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) and  
general comments

**Maria Gianniou, Sofia Naziroglou, Thanasis Zisis, and Eugenia Zisi:**

“From access to empowerment 2019-2025”

**Iliana Salaka:**

Presentation of "UNESCO Atlas" ("Her Atlas")

**Maria Chinopoulou and Styliani Chinopoulou:**

The right of women to education in the COVID era

**Discussion**

**9<sup>th</sup> SESSION**

**INCLUSIVE EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES**

**21:15-21:55**

**Aglaia Katsigianni**, BA International and European International Studies, MSc International  
Studies, University of Macedonia, President of the Association of Paraplegics of the Prefecture of  
Drama:

**PRESENTATION OF GOOD PRACTICES RECORDED BY THE UNESCO REPORT “THE RIGHT TO  
EDUCATION FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES” AND EDUCATION OF PERSONS WITH  
DISABILITIES IN GREECE**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Despina Stavropoulou, Katerina Stavropoulou, and Melpomene Stavropoulou:**

International Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

**Efstratia Gouna:**

Right to education for children with visual impairments

**CLOSING REMARKS – DAY 2**

**21:55-22:00**



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**Monday 7 June 2021**

**16:00-22:00**

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## **UNESCO ACTIONS FOR DIGITAL LITERACY - SUSTAINABLE CITIES**

**10<sup>th</sup> SESSION (in Greek)**

**DIGITAL LITERATURE, EDUCATIONAL DIPLOMACY AND HATE SPEECH**

**16:00-16:45**

**Eugenia Alexandropoulou-Egyptiadou**, Vice-Rector, Professor, Department of Applied Informatics, University of Macedonia, Director of the Master's Program LAW AND INFORMATICS, Research Associate of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy:

**DIGITAL LITERACY AND BRIDGING THE DIGITAL GAP**

**Sofia Boutsiouki**, Assistant Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Macedonia:

**THE ROLE OF UNESCO IN EDUCATIONAL DIPLOMACY**

**Discussion**

**11<sup>th</sup> SESSION (in English)**

**INCLUSIVE HIGHER EDUCATION – THE IMPACT OF COVID – 19**

**16.45-18.00**

**Silvia Florea**, Dr. habil., Professor, Director of UNESCO Chair in Quality Management of Higher Education and Lifelong Learning, Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu:

**INCLUSIVE EDUCATION AND HOW HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS ARE RESPONDING TO THE CORONAVIRUS CRISIS**

**Christina Zourna**, PhD Researcher, Department of Educational and Social Policy, University of Macedonia:

**UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS' EXPERIENCES OF CHANGES ENFORCED DUE TO COVID-19 AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MACEDONIA: A MULTIVARIATE MIXED-METHODS RESEARCH**



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Discussion

**BREAK 18:00-18:10**

**12<sup>th</sup> SESSION (in English)**

**MEDIA AND INFORMATION LITERACY CITIES**

**18:10-19:00**

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

**Felipe Chibas Ortiz**, Associated Professor at the University of São Paulo – USP; Coordinator of the Research Group Toth-CRIARCOM of CEACOM; Regional Representative for Latin America UNESCO MIL Alliance; Co-leader UNESCO MIL Cities Network project:  
**“WORLDWIDE NETWORK OF MIL CITIES” PROGRAM**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Vanessa Zervogianni:**

“Media and Information Literacy Cities (MIL)”: New MIL curriculum for educators and learners

Discussion

**13<sup>th</sup> SESSION (in English)**

**SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COOPERATION OF EU WITH UNESCO IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION**

**19:00-20:15**

**Fotini Asderaki**, Associate Professor, Department of International and European Studies, University of Peiraeus, Jean Monnet Chair for EU Policies on Education, Training, Research and Innovation, Academic Coordinator of T4E:

**COOPERATION BETWEEN UNESCO AND THE EUROPEAN UNION IN EDUCATION**

**Dimitrios Skiadas**, Professor Department of International and European Studies, Jean Monnet Chair on EU Fiscal Governance and Auditing, University of Macedonia:

**JUST TRANSITION MECHANISM: A TOOL FOR SUSTAINABLE REGIONS & CITIES IN THE EU**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Nikolaos Gkekas and Efstratia Vouziou:**





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**Prodromos Tzounopoulos:**

“International Coalition of Inclusive and Sustainable Cities”

**Asimina Tsentourou and Theodora Tsiotra:**

“ICCAR and the New Urban Agenda”

**Discussion**

**BREAK 20:15-20:25**

**14th SESSION (in English)**  
**LEARNING CITIES (in English)**  
**20.25-21:45**

**Dimitrios Deligiannis**, Member of the collaborating teaching personnel of the Hellenic Open University, Chairman of the Municipality Council of the Municipality of Larissa

**THE GREEK MUNICIPALITY OF LARISSA AS A LEARNING CITY**

**George Bagakis**, Emeritus Professor of the Department of Educational Policy, University of Peloponnese, Special Advisor for Learning Cities of the Mayor of Corinth

**THE “SPOT” OF CORINTH IN THE UNESCO GLOBAL NETWORK OF LEARNING CITIES**

**Interventions by Interns of the UNESCO Chair of Intercultural Policy**

**Efstratia Kapsaliari**

“UNESCO Global Network of Learning Cities”

**Aikaterini Bachtsevani**

“UNESCO Global Network of Learning Cities” in Greece – a review of the motives of Municipalities

**Discussion**

**EVALUATION AND CONCLUSIONS OF THE SEMINAR**

**21:45-22:00**