



Newsletter European Educational Policy

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NEW CALLS

- **[Life Long Learning program 2007-2013 has opened](#)**. The LLL program is the successor of the Socrates, Leonardo da Vinci and e-learning programs. Budget 7.000 million. The four pillars with its [strategic priorities](#) (p.7-11) are: Comenius program (around pupils), Erasmus program (students), Leonardo da Vinci (vocational), Grundtvig (adult education). 4 key activities: KA1: Policy cooperation and innovation, i.e. [EQF](#), [Europass](#), [Euroguidance](#). KA2: Languages. KA3 Information and communication technologies. KA4: Dissemination and exploitation of results. The whole structure is complemented by the Jean Monnet Programme, towards European integration. [The Call includes different deadlines \(phase I\), specifying the different programs](#):
 - Erasmus University Charter, 30 November 2007
 - Comenius, Grundtvig Mobility, 31 January 2008
 - Leonardo da Vinci: Mobility 8 February 2008
 - Comenius, Leonardo da Vinci, Grundtvig Partnerships, 15 February
 - Jean Monnet Programme, 15 February 2008
 - Comenius, Erasmus, Leonardo da Vinci, Grundtvig: Multilateral projects, Networks and Accompanying Measures, 29 February 2008
 - Erasmus Mobility, 14 March 2008
 - Leonardo da Vinci: Transfer of Innovation multilateral projects, 14 March 2008
 - Transversal programma, 31 March 2008
- **[Calls for tenders on study's about contribution of multilingualism to creativity and ICT on language learning](#)**
- European Schoolnet asks **recommendations** for the [eLearning Awards 2007](#), until 11-11.

RECOMMENDATIONS & RESOLUTIONS or PREPARATORY COMMUNICATIONS:

- The EPCoCu&Ed adopted a initiative report by Pal Schmitt: **[physical education should be compulsory in schools, for at least three lessons in a week](#)**, by a overwhelming majority.
- The EPCC&E has adopted a wide ranged [resolution about efficiency and equity](#).

NEWS

- The deadline of the **[EC consultation on Education in the 21st Century is extended](#)**, 15/12
- In her yearly Lisbon strategy report the **[EC warns that there is a slow pace of reform in education and training that threatens Europe's competitiveness](#)** in the long term.
- The **[Commission calls Member states to implement the Actionplan on Adult Learning](#)**;
- **[Results of the EU-Canada call](#)**. 11 new projects will start of as October 2007.
- **[Brazil is looking around the reform their secondary education](#)**.

AGENDA

- Brussels, 19 Nov, meeting of EPCCult&Ed
- Thessaloniki, 19-20 Nov, Cedefop: [Evidence-based policy making in guidance](#).
- Ollerup, Denmark, 29Nov-2Dec, Effe Colloquium: [Teacher in the Age of Globalisation](#).
- Brussels, 30 Nov-1Dec, **[European Education Policy Network](#)**: Advancing EurEdAgenda,

NEW REPORTS/RESEARCH

- **[Report on language program of Comm. Orban: 30 examples promote language learning](#)**
- European Schoolnet report: [a review of studies on ICT impact on schools in Europe](#).
- Updated link **[Report on the Implementation of the Action Plan "Promoting language learning and linguistic diversity 2004-2006"](#)**. (also containing the national reports).
- **[Study on Active Citizenship Education](#)**, DG Education, final report feb 07.