***Equity and Inclusion in School EducatioN***

**Contact Seminar**

**Type of event:**

**For which sector(s):**

School EducationVocational Education and TrainingHigher EducationAdult EducationYouth

**Key action(s) targeted:**

KA1KA2KA3

**Budgetary year:** 2016

**Hosting country:** ES

**Coordinating National Agency**: Spanish National Agency (ES01) – SEPIE Servicio Español para la Internacionalización de la Educación

**Partner National Agency(s)**: Not applicable.

**Title of event: *Equity and Inclusion in School Education***

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| **Event organiser** |
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**Starting date of the event:** 20/11/2016 (at 20:00h approx.)

**Ending date of the event:** 23/11/2016 (at 12:00h approx.)

**Event venue (city, country):** Málaga, Spain

**Working language:** English.

**Number of places in total:** 60 (max.)

**Number of participants per country:** up to 4 (depending on the number of interested countries)

**Aim:**

Promoting the creation of strategic partnerships (KA2) related to equity and inclusion in School Education.

**Profile of participants:**

The contact seminar is targeted at education professionals (educators, teachers, head teachers, school counsellors, etc.) and representatives from school authorities. We welcome participants interested in designing and implementing methodologies to promote inclusive education or working with equity and inclusion dealing with any of the reasons described in the Erasmus+ *Programme Guide* 2016:

* **disability** (i.e. participants with special needs):
* **educational difficulties**: young people with people with mental (intellectual, cognitive, learning), physical, sensory or other disabilities; learning difficulties; early school-leavers; low qualified adults; young people with poor school performance;
* **economic obstacles**: people with a low standard of living, low income, dependence on social welfare system or homeless; young people in long-term unemployment or poverty; people in debt or with financial problems;
* **cultural differences**: immigrants or refugees or descendants from immigrant or refugee families; people belonging to a national or ethnic minority; people with linguistic adaptation and cultural inclusion difficulties;
* **health problems**: people with chronic health problems, severe illnesses or psychiatric conditions;
* **social obstacles**: people facing discrimination because of gender, age, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, disability, etc.; people with limited social skills or anti-social or risky behaviours; people in a precarious situation; (ex-)offenders, (ex-)drug or alcohol abusers; young and/or single parents; orphans;
* **geographical obstacles**: people from remote or rural areas; people living in small islands or in peripheral regions; people from urban problem zones; people from less serviced areas (limited public transport, poor facilities).

The participants should be interested in exchanging and developing good practices, methods, materials, tools, pedagogical approaches and/or ways of working in European cooperation and committed to plan Erasmus+ Strategic Partnerships (KA2) on the theme of the seminar.

Preference will be given to participants who are not currently involved in an Erasmus+ project.

**Programme of event:** available soon on event website.

**Event webpage**: available soon.

**Travel information:** Malaga’s international airport connected to many cities in Europe and high speed train station connected to Madrid and Sevilla.

**Event fee**: Not applicable.

The Hosting NA will cover accommodation (3 nights), meals, documentation and cultural activities.

**Travel costs**: to be covered by the sending NA.

**Deadline to which NAs inform organizer about number of participants they will send**: 17/06/2016

**Deadline to which organizer confirms number of places reserved:** 24/06/2016

**Deadline for sending details of participants to hosting NA:** 20/09/2016

**Application deadline for selected participants**: 30/09/2016

**Participant’s information to be sent to the hosting NA:** name, organisation, email address.

**Registration:** On-line registration form available soon on event website.

**Is National Agencies staff welcome?** yes

**If yes, what is role and rules of participation of NA staff in event:** We welcome our colleagues from other NAs who would be willing to help with supporting participants. It would be advantageous if they have had experience in project administration. The registration rules for NA staff are the same as for other participants.

**Additional information:** Further information will be soon available on the event website.