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## › European Campus of Intercultural Perspectives

Training in intercultural competence  
for international students

29 August – 2 September 2016



Join us at the University of Münster and experience the European Campus of Intercultural Perspectives – Become a member of a multicultural student team, investigate aspects of intercultural competence and design your own project.



intercultural misunderstandings? How does conflict resolution work? These questions and others will be addressed in the summer school, which unites theory and practice as participants work together in a multicultural team.

Participants will come together for two sessions per day. After work, don't miss out on exploring the beautiful city of Münster!



Contact with people from other cultures at work and in everyday life is a common fact nowadays, a consequence of increasing globalisation and migration. Therefore intercultural competence has become an essential skill for all people involved, be it in working life abroad or in multicultural teams in one's home country. But what is intercultural competence? What is a culture shock? What options are there to deal with



The summer school will be held by "Ethnology in School and Adult Education" (ESE e.V.). This society is closely connected with the Institute of Ethnology and has 20 years of experience in intercultural communication. **Ethnology in School and Adult Education (ESE e.V.)** ESE is involved in diverse research projects, participates in congresses and publishes a broad spectrum of scientific articles. The scientific results obtained are conveyed to different target audiences, such as pupils participating in different school projects. Adult education consists mainly of trainings for people who need intercultural communication for their work, for daily life, or who are just interested in the topic. Please find further information at [www.eese-web.de](http://www.eese-web.de).

Monday: Intercultural competence – More than a catchphrase!?

- The self and the other
- What is intercultural competence?
- Perception of intercultural competence in society – with particular regard to the situation of refugees

Tuesday: Reasons for intercultural misunderstandings

- Reflection of participants' own experiences
- Analysis of examples – How would you react?
- Culture shock

Wednesday: Aspects of intercultural competence

- Intercultural mediation
- Intercultural competence – globally

Thursday: Working in multicultural teams/Conception of projects – part 1

- The pros and cons of multicultural teams
- Development and conception of own projects

Friday: Conception of projects – part 2/Presentation of projects

- Presentation of projects
- Conclusion
- Certificates



**Dr. Sarah Eligehausen** studied Biology at the University of Münster and finished her PhD in 2012 in the field of cardiovascular diseases. After graduation she worked as the responsible person for internationalisation at the faculty of biology of the WWU. In this context she was in charge of the mentoring programme for international students as well as of teaching in an international field. She also trained as a coach for intercultural communication at ESE. Since 2013 she has been working as trainer and lecturer for ESE. With her educational background, she focuses on intercultural communication in a scientific context.



**Mariya Lorke** gained her master's degree in Ethnology and Social Anthropology at the University of Münster. During her studies she conducted fieldwork in a Roma-Community in Bulgaria, focusing on the coping strategies of Roma-women in the context of their being foreign. Mariya is a certified trainer for intercultural competencies and part of the ESE-team as a lecturer in the field of adult education. Her intercultural personal background and ethnological scientific experience shape her perspective on topics like intercultural communication and competencies, international teams and intercultural conflicts, identity, integration, and minorities.

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## › REGISTRATION

Please download the registration form from [go.wwu.de/ecip](http://go.wwu.de/ecip) and send it back to [summerschool.ecip@uni-muenster.de](mailto:summerschool.ecip@uni-muenster.de) by **29 May**.

## › CREDITS & CERTIFICATE

You can earn two European Credits (ECTS) and will receive your Certificate on the last day of the Summer School.

## › FEE

The fee for the summer school is € 150, students from IRUN partners of the University of Münster pay € 80.

The fee includes registration and course materials.

It does not include travel costs, accommodation, meals, insurance or other personal expenses.

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## › ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation can be arranged in a hostel in the centre of Münster.

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