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INNOVATIONS IN INCLUSIVE EDUCATION AND MEETING SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

9.00–10.00	<p>Registration</p>
10.00–14.00	<p>Plenary session Address: Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy, 413 room Vytauto st., 84, Šiauliai. Login for remote participation via personal link.</p> <p>Moderators: Rolandas Paulauskas, Assoc. Prof., PhD, Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy. Ieva Bilbokaitė-Skiauterienė, Assoc. Prof., PhD, Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy.</p>
10.00–10.15	<p>Conference Opening Welcome</p> <p>Renata Bilbokaitė, Prof. PhD, Director of Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy. Daiva Malinauskienė, Prof. PhD, Director of the Institute of Education of Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy.</p>
10.15–10.45	 <p>Keynote Speech Expertise and Competence – Essential for Success</p> <p>Gunvor Birkeland Wilhelmsen, Prof., PhD, Western Norway University of Applied Sciences, Bergen, Norway.</p>
10.45–11.05	 <p>Inclusion of Disabled Children and Young People in Participation in Decision Making: Lessons from Ireland</p> <p>Sylwia Kazmierczak-Murray, Assist. Prof., PhD, School of Inclusive and Special Education, Dublin City University, Ireland.</p>  <p>Kathryn O'Mahony, Assist. Prof., Phd(c), School of Inclusive and Special Education, Dublin City University, Ireland.</p>
11.05–11.20	 <p>Openness to Inclusion Through the Lens of Legislation in Slovakia</p> <p>Petra Jedličková, Assoc. Prof., PhD, Constantine the Philosopher University, Slovakia.</p>

<p>11.20–11.40</p>	 <p>Strategies for Reducing Restrictive Practices in Special Education</p> <p>Maria Taylor, International Director of Training, Crisis Prevention Institute, Inc., Manchester, England, United Kingdom.</p>
<p>11.40–12.10</p>	<p>Coffee Break & Networking</p>
<p>12.10–12.30</p>	 <p>Implementation of the Identity Model of Disability in Inclusion</p> <p>Andrea Hathazi, Assoc. Prof., PhD, Babes-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca, Romania.</p>  <p>Ioana-Letitia Serban, Assist. Prof., PhD, Babes-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca, Romania.</p>
<p>12.30–12.50</p>	 <p>Implementing SW-PBS for a Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Student Body in an Inclusive Elementary School in Germany</p> <p>Anna-Maria Hintz, Prof., PhD, University of Oldenburg, Germany.</p>  <p>Michael Paal, PhD., Vice President of the PBS-Europe Network, University of Oldenburg, Germany.</p>
<p>12.50–13.20</p>	 <p>A Scoping Review of Research Trends and Future Directions for Research on the Experiences of Autistic Students and Staff in Post-Secondary Education</p> <p>Laura Gormley, Assist. Prof., PhD, Dublin City University (DCU), Ireland.</p>
<p>13.20–13.40</p>	 <p>Impact of a Structured Parent-Mediated Physical Activity Program on Children with Autism: Preliminary Results</p> <p>Claudia Iuliana Iacob, Lect., PhD, University of Bucharest, Romania.</p>
<p>13.40–14.00</p>	 <p>Tinklaveikos realizavimo iššūkiai siekiant įtraukiojo ugdymo / Challenges of implementing networking for inclusive education</p> <p>Renata Bilbokaitė, Prof., PhD, Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy, Lithuania.</p>
<p>14.00–14.30</p>	<p>Session Break</p>
<p>14.30–17.00</p>	<p>Work in the Sections</p>



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