

PROGRAMME

09.00 GMT/12.00 TLT	Welcome – Ozlem Kalkan Nevsehir Hacı Bektaş Veli University
09.10 GMT/12.10 TLT	Introduction to the IDEAL Project and the vision of Inclusive Digital Education for all Learners in Higher Education – Breda Leyne Cogito Development Projects Limited (UK)
09.20 GMT/ 12.20-TLT	Exploring the concept of Digital Pedagogy – Anna Mpoupouzioti University of Thessaly (Greece) and Stergios Samaras Kainotomia (Greece)
09.35 GMT/12.35-TLT	Introducing a framework for Digital Competence - Breda Leyne Cogito Development Projects limited (UK)
09.45 GMT/12.45 TLT	How can we facilitate CPD in digital learning competence? - Vikki Liogier National Head of EdTech and Digital Skills, Education and Training Foundation (UK)
10.15 GMT /13.15 TLT	Exploring the Evolution and Advancements of Immersive Technologies in Digital Education- Prof. Dr. Nergiz Çağıltay - Atılım University (Turkey)
10.45 GMT/13.45 TLT	The Digital Teachers Project- No Teacher Left Behind – Prof. Kürşat Çağıltay- Sabancı University (Turkey)
11.15GMT/14.15 TLT	Break
11.30 GMT /14.30 TLT	What does the future hold for Digital Learning? - Erica Farmer – Founder Quantum Rise Talent Group (UK)
12.00 GMT /15.00 TLT	What about the learner experience – what makes an inclusive approach? – Dr.Sofia Mastrokoulou University of Torino (UNITO)
12.15 GMT/15.15 TLT	What does the journey look like to become an Inclusive Digital Further and Higher Education Institution? – Dr Mandy Crawford-Lee- University Vocational Awards Council (UK)
12.30 GMT/15.30	Open for discussion

Presenters

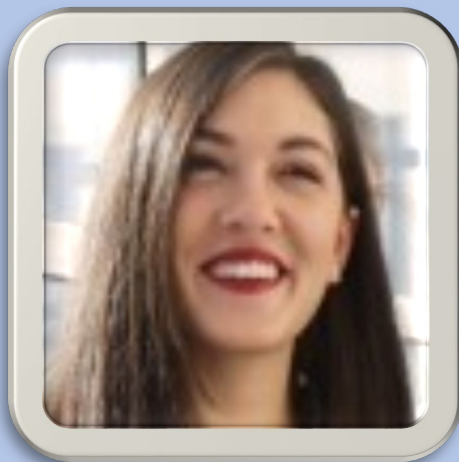


Breda Leyne

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Breda has worked as a consultant since 2003, mainly promoting workforce development working directly with employers and employer representative bodies. In 2011/12 she assisted UK policing plan and deliver training to prepare for policing support for Olympic Games. For this she received a commendation from the Prime Minister. She has supported implementation of several education initiatives as part of educational reforms in England, including new apprenticeships standards for England and T Levels. She has managed several international programmes under Erasmus+, co-ordinating multiple partners. Cogito Development Projects has been the lead partner in IDEAL, and Cogito are committed to working with higher education and other bodies to promote the IDEAL inclusive digital pedagogy.

Presentation Topic: *Breda will introduce the IDEAL Project and the framework for Digital Competence*



Anna Mpoupouzioti

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Ms. Anna Boumpouzioti has been employed in the Centre of International Education of UTH, since December 2018. As a research expert, she has been involved in the implementation of various European Erasmus+ Projects such as E-Tutoring: tools and web resources for study and career management and Orange-CITY: Creativity, Innovation & Technology. She graduated from the Civil Engineering Department in 2015 and continued her studies abroad. By now she holds two master's degrees, with a major in smart and resilient cities and urban planning. A communicative person who aims at both personal and professional development. Always considering patience but mainly perseverance as the highest of her qualifications.

Presentation Topic: *Exploring the concept of Digital Pedagogy*



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Stergios works as a project manager for European projects in KAINOTOMIA. He studied Greek Literature at the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, specializing in Linguistics. He was further specialized in Course design and in teaching Greek as a second or foreign language. He has also worked for years as an ancient and modern Greek language tutor for high school students. In addition, he was involved in the editing of academic papers and literary books.

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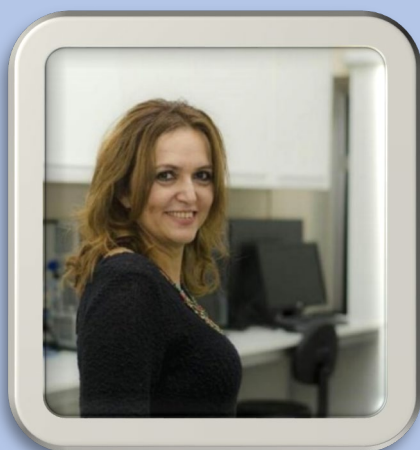
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Vikki Liogier is French and has been living in England since 1987. She initially worked as a freelance illustrator and taught graphic design and illustration. In 1993 Vikki acquired her first Apple Mac, Wacom tablet, colour printer, Adobe suite and scanner, as she could foresee the impact such technology would have on the creative industries and education. From then on, she pursued her interest in the exploration and embedding of digital literacy and capability into her life. In 2008, as a keen technology early adopter, Vikki decided to refocus her career on change management and digital capability. In 2018 she was recognised as one of the UK EdTech50 - A celebration of the people, products & projects shaping the education and technology sector across the UK.

Presentation Topic: *How can we facilitate CPD in digital learning competence?*



Prof. Dr. Nergiz Ercil ÇAGILTAY

[Atılım University](#)

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Bachelor's, Master's, PhD: [Middle East Technical University](#)

Prof. Nergiz Ercil Çağıltay received a degree in computer engineering from the Middle East Technical University, Turkey. She received her Ph.D. in instructional technologies from the same university. She worked for commercial and government organizations as a project manager for more than eight years in Turkey. She also worked for the Indiana University Digital Library Program for four years as a system analyst and programmer. She has been with the Software Engineer. Professor Çağıltay's research interests are in information systems, medical information systems, engineering education, instructional systems technologies, distance education, e-learning, and medical education.

Presentation Topic: *Exploring the Evolution and Advancements of Immersive Technologies in Digital Education*



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Kürşat Çağıltay is Professor of Sabancı University, Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences, Computer Science and Engineering Program. He earned his BS in Mathematics and MS in Computer Engineering from Middle East Technical University. He holds a double Ph.D. in Cognitive Science and Instructional Systems Technology from Indiana University, USA. He worked for METU Computer Center and directed technical team that brought the Internet to Turkey in 1993. Between 2002-2022, Prof. Dr. Kürşat Çağıltay was Professor of the [Department of Instructional Technology](#) at the [Middle East Technical University](#) (METU), Ankara, Turkey. His research focuses on, Human Computer Interaction, Technology Enhanced Learning, educational neuroscience, Social and cognitive issues of electronic games, social informatics and Human Performance Technology.

Presentation Topic: *The Digital Teachers Project; No Teacher Left Behind*



Erica Farmer

Founder/Director
 Quantum Rise Talent Group

Erica is a successful female founder and consultant, with over 20 years' experience delivering high impact apprenticeship, learning and development solutions in some of the UK's largest brands, such as LV=, British Gas, Specsavers and Virgin.

She sits on various apprenticeship provider boards advising on the future of skills and learning, focussing specifically on the opportunities which digital learning, and learning technology can bring. Erica also brings the more humanistic elements to learning and business, such as understanding mindset, building psychological safety, investing in mental toughness, and delivering a sustainable agenda. She is passionate about mentoring women in business, specifically driving innovation and thought leadership to those moving from a corporate career into company ownership and success. More recently Erica has become a TEDx speaker and LinkedIn Learning instructor.

Presentation Topic: *What does the future hold for Digital Learning?*



Dr. Sofia Mastrokourou

University of Torino

Sofia Mastrokourou, an expert in accessibility, intercultural communication, and Quality Management. As a postdoctoral researcher at the University of Turin and President and Fundraising Manager of the organization MyArtist KOINSEP, Sofia has a wealth of experience and knowledge on inclusion in Higher Education and a particular interest in the experiences of the d/Deaf community through collaboration with Institute for the Deaf in Turin.

Presentation Topic: *What about the learner experience – what makes an inclusive approach?*



Dr Mandy Crawford-Lee

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Mandy has over 30 years' experience of leading and negotiating skills policy, strategic planning and performance management in economic development, vocational education and training reform.

Having worked with the University Vocational Awards Council (UVAC) since 2012, both inside and outside of Government, Mandy became its director of policy and operations in 2017 and, in October 2021, its first female chief executive. UVAC on behalf of its 80+ university members, has been championing Degree Apprenticeships since their introduction, and the value of higher technical and professional education for over twenty years and is regarded as the most authoritative voice on all strategic and operational aspects of higher and degree apprenticeships in England. UVAC is a partner in IDEAL and will continue to promote the iIDEAL inclusive digital pedagogy for higher education in England.

Presentation Topic: *What does the journey look like to become an Inclusive Digital Further and Higher Education Institution*