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Dr. Beate Hörr has been Director of the Center for Continuing Education at the University of Mainz, Germany, since 2000. Her professional interest was originally in the field of comparative literature and theatre studies and she was guest lecturer in Jewish Literature for the German Academic Exchange Service in Colombia in 1997 and 1998. Dr. Hörr was head of the international office at the University of Freiburg until 2000; since then she

has been responsible for all the LLL programmes at the University of Mainz and has led several LLL projects with national and international partners. One of these is the EU project IMPLEMENT, coordinated by EUCEN, where Dr. Hörr is the local project leader for the partner University of Mainz (http://implement.eucen.eu/). She has been involved in strategic institutional processes, for example in the establishment of a quality assurance system in the area of LLL. Her research-based activities focus on Learning in Later Life. Dr. Hörr has been a member of the board of the German national network for lifelong learning (www.dgwf.net), a board member of the federal association for Learning in Later Life and a member of the senate of the University of Mainz.