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The Austrian Center of Philosophy with Children and Youth organizes the

INTERNATIONAL POST CONFERENCE WORKSHOP PHILOSOPHY FOR CHILDREN

November 19 - 21, 2023

Held at ACPC Austrian Center of Philosophy with Children Karmeliterplatz 2, Graz Austria



This workshop in Philosophy for Children (P4C) brings together P4C specialists, teachers, academics, students, and visiting scholars from around the world for three days of intensive study, dialogue and philosophical fellowship. The workshop is designed to provide school teachers with professional development and P4C specialists with a venue for reporting on their work; it will also assist international scholars to bring P4C to their countries; and to provide all involved with reflective experience of a community of philosophical inquiry.

The workshop will focus Philosophy for Children's theoretical and practical aspects. Theoretical issues to be explored include: the community of inquiry and the cultivation of identity and personhood; conceptual and empirical work on the link between *thinking* and *talking*; the use of *Enabling Identity* in a community of inquiry; the challenges of moral relativism and absolutism in an increasingly globalized and cosmopolitan world; and the relationship of philosophy to other disciplines and school subjects. Practical sessions will include reflective use of both the original P4C curriculum and the PEACE curriculum focusing on cosmopolitan engagement and intercultural dialogue, introducing new materials for teachers and students; steps in building a community of inquiry; the use of "powerful" questioning to promote "powerful" thinking and dialogue; philosophical perspectives on teaching reasoning and ethics (values education); and assessing the quality of thinking and reasoning and how to become a dialogical teacher and facilitator.

During the workshop participants will have an opportunity to plan and facilitate a "community of philosophical inquiry" in a supportive environment, mentored by experienced P4C practitioners. Prior knowledge of, or experience with P4C is not required.

Workshop Directors

Prof. Arie Kizel (PhD) (Haifa

Vice Dean for Teaching at the Faculty of Education University Haifa

Prof. Daniela G. Camhy (PhD) (Graz/Austria) Professor of Philosophy at the University of Graz, Director of the ACPC

Daily Schedules

The workshop will begin on 3:00 PM with session on the first afternoon, November 10, 2019. When you arrive, you will receive some descriptive literature on of P4C programs, workshop guidelines, and readings for each theoretical session. We ask that you read these articles critically and prepare discussion questions for each reading. Each participant will also be assigned at least one curriculum session to lead. You should plan your departure after 3:00 PM on the last day of the workshop, November 21, 2023.

During the workshop, you will be provided

P4C texts, manuals, and theoretical materials

Participation fee

€ 380.-

For early-bird registrations between 02/09/2023 - 01/10/2023 € 260.-

Bank account

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Deadline for Registration

October 15, 2023

WORKSHOP PLACES ARE STRICTLY LIMITED SO EARLY APPLICATION IS ADVISED.