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XXVI EFSS' 2022 "DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION OF EDUCATION: SEMIOTIC AND INTERDISCIPLINARY PERSPECTIVES" 6-10 SEPTEMBER, SOZOPOL, BULGARIA

6/9 Tuesday (Early Fall School of Semiotics - EFSS)

16:00 - 16:30 **K. Bankov**: How the EFSS works

16:30 - 17:30 Plenary lecture (chair K. Bankov)

Gianmarco Giuliana: From Education to Edutainment: A Semiotic Perspective on Playful

Digital Learning

17:30 - 18:00 Coffee break

18:00 - 18:30 Fârte Gheorghe-Ilie; Obadă Daniel-Rareș: Fighting Fake News: Using Flow

Theory as a Theoretical Framework to Increase Students' Digital Media Literacy

18:30 - 19:00 Eleni D. Lazaridou: Cultivating critical digital literacy through the creation of

multimodal digital storytelling

7/9 Wednesday (Early Fall School of Semiotics)

10:00 - 10:45 Plenary lecture (chair George Tsonev)

Momchil Alexiev: Immersive Education with and in Virtual Reality

10:45 - 11:15 Evangelos Kourdis, Georgios Damaskinidis: The development of digital literacy

in postgraduate students of semiotics

11:15 - 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:00 Christo Kaftandjiev: The digital marketing communications of education -

semiotic and narrative aspects

12:00 – 12:30 **Elena S. Lazaridou**: Semiotic and digital tools in education. The digital narrative

of Marco Polo's journey through the application of the Google Earth program

12:30 – 13:00 Giuditta Bassano: Starting afresh from Dewey

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

Chair Reni Iankova

16:00 – 16:30 **Nicolae-Sorin Drăgan:** Digital Natives, Net-Generation & Education: Between Myth and Reality

16:30 – 17:00 **Dumitrita-Dorina Hirtie**: Online Coaching Practices: Directive and non-directive approaches

17:00 – 17:30 **Victoria-Delia Bunceanu**: The "data subject" – a common denominator in the implementation of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) in the public administration in Romania

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17:30 - 18:00 Coffee break

18:00 – 19:00 Kristian Bankov, Reni lankova

Semiotics and digitalization of education: summary and discussion with all participants









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8/9 Thursday

ERUA WP2 Research group workshop Digital Transformation of Research and Practice in Reform Universities: Past, Present and Future

10:00 - 10:30 Welcoming words by Vassil Garnizov, Kasper Risbjerg Eskildsen and Kristian Bankov

10:30 – 11:15 Plenary lecture (chair Kristian Bankov)

David Kergel: Digital Diversity in Higher Education! The socio-semiotic and socio-epistemological meaning of Diversity and Digitality in Higher Education.

11:15 - 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 12:00 **Kostadin Kolarov, Juliana Hadjitchoneva:** Opportunities and limitations of digital educational tools for shaping entrepreneurial mindset and competences

12:00 - 12:30 Patrick Blackburn: Teaching "New Digital Worlds"

12:30 – 13:00 **Søren Larsen**: The reality of using Virtual Reality in Natural Science Education at Roskilde University

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

16:00 – 17:00 Workshop "Immersive Education with and in Virtual Reality" by Momchil Alexiev

17:00 - 17:30 Coffee break

17:30 – 19:00 **PhD Marathon** (Presentation of and feedback for the research projects of participating doctorands, chair Reni lankova)

Sevim Asimova Taneva

Silvana Milenova

Alex Gocheva

Hristijana Stoimenova

Kristina Stoyanova

Dilyana Molerova



20:00 Welcoming reception

9/9 Friday (ERUA WP2 Research group workshop)

10:00 - 10:45 Plenary lecture (Chair Metodi Metodiev)

Mariza Dima: Gamification and Collaborative creation in Remote Educational Interactions

10:45 – 11:15 **Eduard Marinov, Elena Spasova:** Gamification in business and entrepreneurship education – theory and application

11:15 - 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:00 Falco Drießen: The University of Konstanz Data Literacy Charter

12:00 - 12:30 Søren Riis: The ICT literacy

12:30 - 13:00 Inés Laitano: Demystifying digital media in a Digital Semiotics course

13:00 - 14:00 Lunch

Chair Kristina Stoyanova

16:00 - 16:30 Metodi Metodiev: Digitalization and memory

16:30 - 17:00 Liyana Peeva & Co.: The market of educational services in Bulgaria: brands and trends

17:00 - 17:30 George Tsonev: Special education, blended learning, supporting and distance education

17:30 – 18:00 Coffee break

18:00 - 18:30 Polina Mihova: The quiet revolution of digital health projects in Bulgaria

18:30 - 19:00 Frida Valles Kirkegaard: Digital Courses at ERUA Universities

20:00 Intercultural talent night













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10/9 Saturday (ERUA WP2 Research group workshop)

10:00 – 10:45 Plenary lecture (Chair Hristijana Stoimenova)

Alin Olteanu: Do not imagine a nation: semiotic theory for the Third Industrial Revolution

10:45 – 11:15 Atanas Mihnev: Digital Politics – the challenges of communication with constituents in the

21st century

11:15-11:30 Coffee break

11:30 - 12:00 Georgi Niagolov: Competent Reading for the Digital Age

12:00 – 12:30 Eduard Marinov: Presentation of the outcomes of the Early career researchers' workshop

"Digitalization of research and Open science"

12:30 - 13:00 Closing discussion on ERUA WP2 Research group workshop, chairs Kasper Risbjerg

Eskildsen and Kristian Bankov

13:00 - 14:00 Closing lunch ©



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