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REGISTER NOW FOR THE FREE ONLINE COURSE ON CITIZENSHIP AND HUMAN RIGHTS EDUCATION

ETUCE, EFEE and ESHA are pleased to announce that the **registration for the online course on *Citizenship and Human Rights Education for Change***, is open now. This research and training initiative is free of charge. The **6 weeks course takes place from 29 April until 9 June 2019**, and offers teachers, school leaders, other education personnel, and education employers, an opportunity to acquire knowledge and skills in teaching and learning about democratic citizenship, human rights and inclusive education.

The [online course](#) is held in English and French and offers approximately 30 hours of active learning through readings, videos, discussions, group work, role plays, and quizzes. It aims to promote inclusive education, democratic citizenship and human rights through the understanding of key definitions, frameworks and content regarding Human Rights Education. The online course will also analyse the existing and innovative practices on teaching styles, approaches and methods. This unique e-learning course is built on successful and innovative tips, advice and good practices exchanged and discussed during the EU Convince project.

The [EU CONVINCe](#) is a joint project (2018-2020) of ETUCE (European Trade Union Committee for Education), EFEE (European Federation of Education Employers) and ESHA (European School Heads Association) which seeks to provide teachers, education employers, school leaders and other education personnel as well as the education institution community as a whole with tools and methods to deliver inclusive quality education to all and better deal with citizenship related issues both in the classroom and in extra-curricular activities. The project is a direct answer to the current challenges and opportunities of multiculturalism, diversity and social inclusion.

The course encompasses three modules:

- **Module 1** - Focuses on the international and regional definitions and framework in relation to Human Rights Education.
- **Module 2** - Looks at the specific contexts and issues covering a number of areas (such as disability rights and migration) as well as aspects related to inclusive education (such as for instance inclusion of minorities or the preventative role of inclusive education against violence and extremism).
- **Module 3** – deals with the principles of the whole school and a rights-based approach to education. In particular, it stresses the importance of participatory management of the school community, which involves addressing the needs of learners, education personnel and the wider community, not only within the curriculum, but across the whole-school and learning environment.

The online course is coordinated by the [Global Campus of Human Rights](#) and is taught by academics and experts drawn from a cross-section of constituencies. The faculty includes, among others: Prof. Léonce Bekemans, University of Padova; Prof. Florence Bénoit-Rohmer, University of Strasbourg; Prof. Paolo de Stefani, University of Padova; Prof. Anja Mihr, OSCE Academy in Bishkek; Prof. Manfred Nowak, Global Campus of Human Rights.

The participants are expected to commit 4-5 hours a week, and in order to obtain the certificate of completing the course, participation in 2 weekly discussions and completion of 6 quizzes is required.

HOW TO ENROL TO THE COURSE?

Free enrolment is available from 25 March until 19 May 2019.

For enrolment to the course please visit:

<https://eiuc.org/education/e-learning/moocs/eu-convince/how-to-enrol.html>

For more information on the MOOC please see:

<https://eiuc.org/education/e-learning/moocs/eu-convince/about.html>

We encourage you to **promote the MOOC among your affiliates** through the media and dissemination channels of your organisation. You find various materials (flyer, video teaser, Tweets, and others) at your disposal on the [MOOC](#) webpage. Please note that there is an option of French subtitles for the [video teaser](#).

For further information on the EU CONVINCe project please visit:

<https://www.csee-etu.org/en/policy-issues/2433-education-and-democratic-citizenship>

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