



Wednesday, 16 October

- 9am **Registration desk open**
Hall
- 10am **Welcome to Masterclass by Josep M. Duart (Open University of Catalonia, Spain), EDEN DLE President**
Multifunctional Room
- 10:10am **Introduction to the Problem Field and Challenging Questions, presented by EDEN DLE Experts**
Multifunctional Room
Chaired by: Josep M Duart and Wim van Petegem
- 11:15am **World Café Table Discussions, led by EDEN DLE Experts**
Multifunctional Room
- 12:30pm **Lunch Break**
Hall
- 1:30pm **Summary Presentations from the World Café Tables, followed by Interactive Reflection Exercises**
Multifunctional Room
- 2:30pm **Open Discussion, moderated by Denise Whitelock (Open University, UK), EDEN DLE Vice-President Research**
Multifunctional Room

- 6pm **Welcome Reception at Casa Politehnicii 2 Restaurant by Digital Education and Distance Education Department (UPT) celebrating 25 years of establishment**
Casa Politehnicii 2 Restaurant

Thursday, 17 October

- 9am **Registration desk open**
Hall
- 10am **Plenary. Welcome and Opening Session**
Auditorium
Chaired by: Wim van Petegem
- "Technology Education for the Generation AI: From AI Literacy to AI Agency"**
» Teemu Roos (University of Helsinki, Finland)
- 12pm **Action Lab: International Partnership with the Micro-Credential Network**
K1 Amphitheater
Chaired by: Dr. Estela Daukšienė and Mrs. Maja Dragan
- 12pm **International Partnership with the Micro-Credential Network**
» Dr. Estela Daukšienė¹, Mrs. Maja Dragan² (1. EDEN DLE, 2. FH JOANNEUM)
- 12pm **Full Papers - Educational Technologies, Research & Digital Education in European University Alliances**
K2 Amphitheater



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- 12pm **Accelerating the Entrepreneurial Aspects of Digital Education - Politehnica University of Timisoara Case Study**
» Dr. Diana Andone¹, Dr. Maria Elena Boatca¹, Mrs. Rimante Rusaite², Prof. Radu VasIU¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara, 2. UIIN)
- 12:20pm **Quadruple Helix in EdTech: A First-Year Study in Widening Countries**
» Prof. Janika Leoste¹, Prof. Mart Laanpere¹, Dr. Slavko Rakic², Dr. Ugljesa Marjanovic², Dr. Voldemar Tomusk¹ (1. Tallinn University, 2. University of Novi Sad)
- 12:40pm **Promoting media education in preschool contexts: a training-educational research**
» Prof. Antonella Poce¹, Dr. Maria Rosaria Re¹, Dr. Carlo De Medio¹ (1. Tor Vergata University of Rome)
- 1pm **Lunch Break**
Hall
- 2pm **Plenary: Panel discussion "Emerging Best Practices in Research Methods"**
Auditorium
Chaired by: Prof. Radu VasIU
- 3:30pm **Coffee Break / Poster session**
Hall
- 4pm **Full Papers - Educational Technologies, AI in Education, Research & Digital Education in European University Alliances**
K1 Amphitheater
- 4pm **Student adaptation to digital assessment in online learning**
» Dr. Daniel Dominguez¹, Dr. Inés Gil-Jaurena¹ (1. Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia (UNED))

- 4:20pm **Improving User Experience for the Web Platform Spotlight Heritage Timisoara with AI Technologies**
» Mr. Sorescu Valentin¹, Dr. Diana Andone¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)
- 4:40pm **Developing the Bank of Researchers for the E3UDRES2 European Universities Alliance**
» Prof. Radu VasIU¹, Dr. Andrei Ternauciuc¹, Dr. Muguras Mocofan¹, Dr. Diana Andone¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)
- 4pm **Concise Papers - Educational Technologies, Emerging Topics in Education**
K2 Amphitheater
- 4pm **South Asian Heritage in Rome and digital technologies: first results of a research project**
» Mr. Luca Contardi¹ (1. Sapienza University of Rome)
- 4:15pm **The development and use of an English Oral Presentation Application for higher education students in Taiwan**
» Prof. Gi-Zen Liu¹, Prof. Neil E. Barrett², Prof. Po-Han Wu³, Mr. Yong-Liang Tsai³ (1. National Cheng Kung University, 2. Southern Taiwan University of Science and Technology, 3. National University of Tainan)
- 4:30pm **Institutional Support for Professors as a Critical Quality Factor in Online Higher Education**
» Dr. ANTONIEL BORGES GONCALVES¹, Dr. Neuza Pedro¹ (1. University of Lisbon)
- 4pm **Full Papers - Micro-Education and Microcredentials, Research & Digital Education in European University Alliances**
Room 401
- 4pm **Student perspectives on international collaborative courses leading to micro-credentials: DigiProf case**
» Dr. Estela Daukšienė¹, Dr. Giedrė Tamoliūnė¹, Prof. Airina Volungevičienė¹, Dr. Elena Trepulė¹ (1. Vytautas Magnus University)



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4:20pm **Building a Decentralized Education Ecosystem: Politehnica University of Timisoara's Pioneering Blockchain Initiatives**
 » Mr. Victor Holotescu¹, Prof. Radu VasIU¹, Prof. Carmen Holotescu¹, Dr. Diana Andone¹, Dr. Andrei Ternauciu¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)

4:40pm **From Digital Distraction to Digital Engagement: Leveraging Microlearning and Gamification for E-Learning Effectiveness**
 » Ms. Sorina Voina¹, Ms. Diana Andone¹, Prof. Radu VasIU¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)

5:30pm **EDEN Dinner at Recas Winery – Best Research Paper Award in cooperation with The UNESCO Chair in Education and Technology for Social Change**
Recas Winery

Friday, 18 October

9:30am **Plenary / Keynote Session**
Auditorium
 Chaired by: Dr. Diana Andone

“The Impact of Open Digital Technologies and Blockchain in the Educational Environment in Romania”
 » Carmen Holotescu (“Ioan Slavici” University of Timisoara, Romania)

11am **Full Papers - AI in Education, Emerging Topics in Education, Research & Digital Education in European University Alliances**
K1 Amphitheater

11am **Comparing practical use and perceptions of GenAI in higher education with current published insights**
 » Mr. Felipe Maciel Tessarolo¹, Mr. Chris Edwards¹, Dr. Duygu Bektik¹, Prof. Denise Whitelock¹ (1. The Open University)

11:20am **A comparative case study: Generative AI for Augmenting Human Creativity in Learning: Exploring the lived experience of online part-time adult learners in animation in higher education**
 » Ms. Jacqueline Toal¹ (1. Lancaster University, Dundalk Institute of Technology)

11:40am **Building a Career-Connected Learning Program in Data Analytics Courses – Concept, Methodology, and Outcomes**
 » Dr. Silvia Fierascu¹ (1. West University of Timisoara)

12pm **Generative AI and Student Creativity: Challenges, Opportunities, and Critical Engagement**
 » Dr. Diana Andone¹, Dr. Vlad Mihaescu¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)

12:20pm **Facilitating Open Principles: Tools for European University Alliances – Study Case E3UDRES2**
 » Dr. Diana Andone¹, Dr. Vlad Mihaescu¹, Dr. Andrei Ternauciu¹, Dr. Muguras Mocofan¹, Mrs. Ann Reulens², Dr. Maria Catarina Paz³ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara, 2. UCLL, 3. Instituto Politecnico Setubal)

11am **Concise papers - AR/VR in Education, Emerging Topics in Education, Micro-Education and Microcredentials**
K2 Amphitheater

11am **Scenarios for Digital Credentials for Europe (EBSI-DC4EU) – the Romanian Input**
 » Dr. Diana Andone¹, Prof. Carmen Holotescu², Dr. Andrei Ternauciu¹, Mr. Victor Holotescu¹, Prof. Radu VasIU¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara, 2. Ioan Slavici University of Timisoara)

11:15am **Virtual Museums on Language Learning A Preliminary Study with Italian High School Students**
 » Ms. Maria Tolaini¹ (1. University of Genoa)

11:30am **360° Virtual Tours for Participatory, Inclusive and Personalised Museum Experiences**
 » Ms. Eliana Maria Torre¹ (1. Sapienza University of Rome)



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- 11:45am **Teachers' competence in artificial communication with Generative Artificial Intelligence tools**
 » [Dr. Enrico Vignando](#)¹ (1. Università di Modena e Reggio Emilia - Università di Udine)
- 12pm **Open collaborative map in distance education: an experience with renewable assignments**
 » [Dr. Inés Gil-Jaurena](#)¹, [Mr. Aitor López-González](#)¹, [Dr. Daniel Dominguez](#)¹ (1. Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia (UNED))
- 11am **Concise papers- AI in Education**
Room 401
- 11am **AI and the new challenges in teaching Public Relations**
 » [Dr. Adina Palea](#)¹, [Dr. Cella Buciuman](#)¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)
- 11:15am **Integrating AI in Education and Training: How much is known about AI algorithms?**
 » [Prof. Alfredo Soeiro](#)¹ (1. University Porto)
- 11:30am **Application of Tutor AI using Mastery Learning for Guided Student Learning**
 » [Mr. Mark McCormack](#)¹, [Dr. John G. Keating](#)¹ (1. Maynooth University)
- 12:30pm **Lunch Break**
Hall
- 1:30pm **NAP Networking Sessions**
K1 Amphitheater

- 1:30pm **Full Papers - Educational Technologies, Micro-Education and Microcredentials**
K2 Amphitheater
- 1:30pm **The Use of Digital Technologies for the Delocalization of Tourist Flows and the Development of Transversal Skills: The Case Study of the Testaccio District in Rome**
 » [Prof. Antonella Poce](#)¹, [Dr. Carlo De Medio](#)¹, [Dr. Maria Rosaria Re](#)¹ (1. Tor Vergata University of Rome)
- 1:50pm **Advantages of machine learning in stroke prediction and risk evaluation**
 » [Dr. Raluca Dumache](#)¹, [Dr. Marina-Adriana Mercioni](#)², [Dr. Alexandra Mihailescu](#)¹, [Dr. Camelia-Oana Muresan](#)¹, [Prof. Alexandra Enache](#)¹ (1. Victor Babes University of Medicine and Pharmacy Timisoara, 2. Polytechnica University Timisoara)
- 2:10pm **The limitations of open-source in e-Learning**
 » [Dr. Andrei Ternauciuc](#)¹, [Dr. Diana Andone](#)¹ (1. Politehnica University Timisoara)
- 2:30pm **Closing Session**
Auditorium
 Chaired by: [Dr. Vlad Mihaescu](#)