

International Scientific Conference

“EMPOWERED:

**ENHANCING ENGLISH EDUCATION FOR RESILIENT
COMMUNITIES IN UKRAINE”**



January 22-24, 2025

We are delighted to announce the International Scientific Conference, “EmpowerED: Enhancing English Education for Resilient Communities in Ukraine.” This conference is designed to equip educators with practical tools and strategies to foster resilience and create supportive, thriving communities in their professional environments.

Key Highlights:

Develop skills to promote resilience and well-being for sustainable teaching practices.

Explore the role of creativity in building resilience and enhancing teaching effectiveness.

Master the art of providing compassionate and constructive feedback to empower learners.



Registration Deadline:
January 20, 2025



Location:
Online (via Zoom)

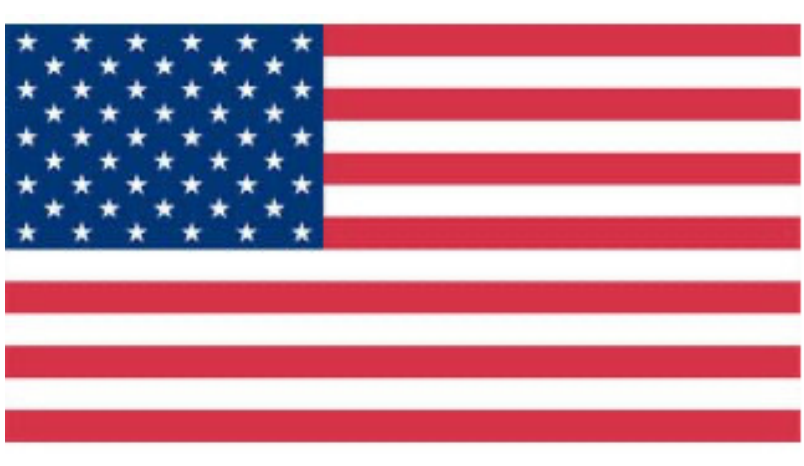
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▶ ONLINE CONFERENCE

The International Scientific Conference “EmpowerED: Enhancing English Education for Resilient Communities in Ukraine” aims to bring together scholars, educators, researchers, and practitioners to explore innovative pedagogical, psychological, and policy-driven strategies for fostering resilience and inclusivity in English language education. The conference serves as a platform to exchange knowledge, share best practices, and discuss challenges and opportunities in creating a supportive and effective learning environment, particularly in contexts affected by socio-economic disruptions and conflict.

Topics of interest for the conference include, but are not limited to:

- Strategies for fostering resilience among educators and students.
- Trauma-informed teaching practices in English language classrooms.
- Supporting internally displaced students through language education.
- Promoting gender equality and cultural inclusion in language teaching.
- Addressing the needs of neurodiverse and special education learners in English classes.
- Equipping teachers with innovative pedagogical skills and tools.
- Mental health and well-being of educators in challenging contexts.
- Collaborative initiatives for teacher training and networking.
- Teaching in conflict-affected or resource-limited environments.
- The role of language education in post-war recovery and social cohesion.
- Building partnerships with local and international organizations for educational support.
- Implementing educational policies to support resilient communities.
- Advocacy for sustainable investments in English language education.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- Papers should be written in English and follow APA style guidelines.
- Abstracts should be 3-4 pages in word format Microsoft Word, A4 (*.doc, .docx), Times New Roman –14pt. Line Spacing – Single, Margins – 2 cm; paragraph – 1,25 cm; spacing before and after the paragraph – 0 (zero);
- 1st line: abstract title (bold, centered, upper case, 14);
- 2nd line: surname and name (centred, common capitalization, bold italics, font size 12);
- next line: academic title, current position, affiliation, city, country (centred, italic, 12)
- through 1 spacing: text;
- all the references list entries should be formatted according to requirements of the APA standard (<http://www.apastyle.org/>)
- the last line: abstract title, surname and name in Ukrainian.

FOR SUBMISSION



Deadline: JANUARY 15, 2025



Contact: conf.kamgs3@gmail.com

Review Process: *All submissions will undergo a blind peer-review process, wherein papers will be evaluated based on their relevance to the conference theme, originality, clarity, and contribution to the field of virtual exchange in education. As part of our strict anti-plagiarism policies, we will thoroughly check every submission for plagiarism.*

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WEDNESDAY 22 JANUARY 2025

12.45	Registration
WELCOME	
13.00-13.15	<p><i>Jen MacArthur</i> Regional English Language Officer (RELO) U.S. Embassy in Ukraine</p> <p><i>Liliya Shylo</i> Cultural Affairs Assistant U.S. Embassy in Ukraine</p>
13.15-13.30	<p><i>Zoia Kornieva</i> Professor Dean of the Faculty of Linguistics Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine</p>
13.30-13.45	<p><i>Kateryna Forynna</i> Director English Language Centre Office of Global Partnerships and International Education University of North Carolina Wilmington, USA</p>
13.45-14.00	<p><i>Daisyane Barreto</i> Ph.D., Associate Professor of Instructional Technology MIT Program Coordinator Dept. of Instructional Technology, Foundations, and Secondary Education (ITFSE) University of North Carolina Wilmington, USA</p>
14.00-14.30	<p><i>Yuliana Lavrysh</i> Professor Head of the Department of English Language for Engineering Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine</p>
KEYNOTE SPEAKERS	
14.30-15.30	

	<p>THE ART OF COMPASSIONATE FEEDBACK <i>Dr. Bruno Roque Cignacco (PhD)</i> Professor Higher Education Academy (HEA), UK</p>
15.30-16.15	<p>WORDING CREATES CREATIVE RESILIENCE <i>David Reid Anderson</i> Department of Creative Communication Faculty of Creative Industries Vilnius Gediminas Technical University, Litva</p>

THURSDAY 23 JANUARY 2025

10.45	Registration
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WELCOME

11.00-11.15	<p>Iryna Simkova Professor Head of the Department of English Language for Humanities Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine</p>
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11.15-12.00	<p>RESILIENT PEDAGOGY <i>Iryna Simkova</i> Professor Head of the Department of English Language for Humanities Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine <i>Yuliana Lavrysh</i> Professor Head of the Department of English Language for Engineering Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine</p>
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12.00-14.30	<p>Sharing experience through presentations (EmpowerED Project teachers)</p>
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KEYNOTE SPEAKERS

14.30-15.00	<p>CULTIVATING RESILIENCE AND WELL-BEING FOR SUSTAINABLE TEACHING PRACTICES <i>Somer Lewis</i> M.A. NBCT Professional Development System Director Watson College of Education University of North Carolina Wilmington, USA</p>
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<p>15.00-16.00</p>	<p>BUILDING RESILIENCE AND MENTAL FORTITUDE: PROMOTING EMOTIONAL WELLNESS FOR EDUCATORS <i>Dr. N. Safrine</i> Stella Maris College Chennai, India</p>
<p>FRIDAY 24 JANUARY 2025</p>	
<p>10.45</p>	<p>Registration</p>
<p>WELCOME</p>	
<p>11.00-11.15</p>	<p><i>Yuliana Lavrysh</i> Professor Head of the Department of English Language for Engineering Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine</p>
<p>11.15-12.00</p>	<p>UNDERSTANDING THE IMPACT OF TRAUMA ON LEARNING <i>Dr. N. Eleni Pappamihiel</i> Professor Ph.D in Curriculum & Instruction with specialties in ESL and Bilingual Education University of North Carolina Wilmington, USA</p>
<p>12.00-14.00</p>	<p>Discussion Action planning on sustaining achievements and learning after the project closure (e.g. short/long term plan) <i>Iryna Simkova</i> Professor HoD of English Language for Humanities <i>Yuliana Lavrysh</i> Professor Head of the Department of English Language for Engineering Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute, Ukraine</p>
<p>14.00-15.00</p>	<p>Feedback and round-up Certificate award ceremony</p>