**ICLife Conference**

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On 27 and 28 November 2019,  
the final event of the ICLIfe project   
will happen in Brussels.

ICLife is made up of the words “Inclusive campus life”.

Inclusive campus life is when all people can join Easy-to-read  
in higher education.   
This includes people with intellectual disabilities.

Higher education are schools where you learn how to do a job

or you prepare to go to university.

This is where the conference will be:

Odisee University of Applied Sciences

Huart Hamoirlaan 136

1030 Brussels

This is what will happen at the first day of the conference,   
on 27 November:

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| 9:30 | Registration and coffee |

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| Room Fresia  10:00  10:10  10:25  10:50  11:15  11:50  12:00 |  | Opening  by Jan Dekelver  from Thomas More Kempen,  Belgium  and Thomas Dierckx  Musical show  by Bremt Smekens from  Het Balanske. This is an activity center for people with a disability and their families.  Lecture 1  by Aleidis Devillé  from Thomas More Kempen,  Belgium  Lecture 2  by Ellis Jongerius  from Utrecht University  of Applied Sciences,  the Netherlands  Lecture 3 about the UN CRPD  by Belgian politician  Sabine De Bethune  Musical show  by Bremt Smekens from  Het Balanske.  This is an activity center for people with a disability and their families.  How to use job coaching  for people with intellectual disabilities at university  by job coach Raf Hensbergen and Thomas Dierckx.  Job coaching is when someone gets help to do their work.  It could also be called training. |
| 12:30 |  | Lunch |

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| 14:00  Room Iris  Room Lelie  Room Roos  Room Papaver |  | How to use job coaching  for people with  intellectual disabilities at university  by job coach Raf Hensbergen  and Thomas Dierckx.  Job coaching is when someone gets support to do their work.  Workshop about inclusion  in the classroom  by Philippe Ernewein,  director of education from the United States  Doing philosophy with students  with intellectual disabilities  by Jonathan Lambaerts  from Thomas More Kempen, Belgium.  Philosophy is what  some famous people  think about the world.  It is also about what you think  about the world.  Teaching and co-teaching  by Silvia Visser and Ellis Jongerius from the  Utrecht University of Applied Sciences,  the Netherlands  Co-teaching is about a teacher with intellectual disability and a teacher without intellectual disability  working together. |
| 16:00 | End of programme |  |

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| 16:00 | Dinner at restaurant ‘chez Leon’  Rue des Bouchers 18 ,1000 Brussels |

This is what will happen at the second day of the conference, on  
28 November:

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| 9:15 | Welcome with coffee  by Jan Dekelver  from Thomas More Kampen, Belgium and Thomas Dierckx |

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| 9:30  Room Iris  Room Lelie    Room Roos  Room Papaver |  | Workshop on mixed teaching activities  for students with intellectual disabilities  by Rauni Raty, Sari Halttunen, Jussi Lehtiö, Sirpa Niskala, Harri Laiti  and Risto Kuyansuu    Workshop on activities  for creating inclusion in the classroom  by Liz Tilly from  the University of Wolverhampton, United Kingdom  How to start making universities  more inclusive  by Tatiana Matulayova  from the University of Palackeho, Czechia  Renewing high school and university education thanks to ICLife  by Jeroen Knevel from the  Utrecht University of Applied Sciences,  the Netherlands |

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| 10:20 |  | Coffee break |

After the coffee break,

we are repeating the same workshops again.

So you can go to 2 workshops you are interested in  
during the day.

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| 12:00 |  | Lecture on inclusion at universities  by Fabian van Essen from  the IUBH International University  of Applied Sciences, Germany  Musical show  by singer Yannick Martens  from Het Balanske.  This is an activity center for people with a disability and their families. |

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| 13:00 | Lunch |

In the afternoon, there will be visits

at some of the nicest places in Brussels.

Each tour has a guide

that will help you

in making the best of the visit.

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| 14:30 |  | Visit to the city centre  where the guide will show you  the best places in Brussels  Tour of the African neighbourhood  of Brussels.  You will see the big community  of Congolese people living in Belgium.  Tour of the museum  about the famous Belgian painter  René Magritte.  Tour of the Cantillon Brewery.  You can also taste  their Kriek and Gueuze beers. |

Explanations

Below you can find some explanations for difficult words:

**Easy-to-read**

Easy to read is information that is written in a simple way  
so that people with [**intellectual disabilities**](https://www.inclusion-europe.eu/easy-to-read-term/#IntellectualDisability) can understand.

It is important to use simple words and sentences.

If there are words that are difficult to understand, an explanation is provided.

The text needs to be clear to see,  
for example, black writing on a white background is good.

It needs to be well-spaced.

Easy-to-read often uses pictures to explain what the text talks about.

Someone with an intellectual disability needs to  
check the information is easy to understand.

[](https://inclusion-europe.eu/wp-content/uploads/2018/03/Easy-to-read-logo.jpg)Easy-to-read documents often have this logo,  
so it is easier to find them.

There are rules on how easy-to-read should be done.

You can read the European standards of easy-to-read information here: [www.easy-to-read.eu](http://www.easy-to-read.eu)

**Education**

Education is teaching.

It means to make sure people can learn new things.

**Intellectual disability**

If you have an intellectual disability,  
that means it is more difficult for you to understand information  
and learn new skills than it is for other people.

This makes some parts of life harder.

People with intellectual disabilities often need support  
in learning or at work.

Intellectual disability often starts before you are an adult.

It affects you for your whole life.

There are things that can make life easier   
for people with intellectual disabilities.

For example, information in **easy-to-read** language.

Some people say learning disabilities instead of intellectual disabilities.

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[www.easy-to-read.eu](http://www.easy-to-read.eu)