Pädagogische Hochschule Tirol
Zukunft mit Bildung

INTERNATIONAL STAFF WEEK
preliminary programme

23 – 27 November 2026 | Pädagogische Hochschule Tirol, Innsbruck

Focus Theme: "Embracing Diversity"

Monday, 23 November 2026

Time	Activity	Location / Notes
09:30	**Welcome** **Getting to Know Each Other**	Entrance Hall next to the café
	Presentation of the Austrian School System	PHT, D.0.042
	Studies at the University College of Teacher Education Tyrol	PHT, D.0.042
	Prepare Pinboards for Gallery Walk (30 min)	PHT, D.0.042
11:00 – 11:45	**Lecture (PHT)** **Matthias Forcher-Mayr** *Competence-based learning -from teacher education to classroom. Perspectives from Uganda and Austria*	PHT, D.0.042
11:45 – 13:00	Lunch at the PHT (you are invited)	PHT
13:00 – 13:30	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Tabea Nauschuetz** Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany *The Multiple Faces of Discrimination: Addressing Mechanisms of Exclusion in Practical Sports Seminars for Prospective Physical Education Teachers*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
13:35 – 14:05	**Gastvortrag (30 Min.)** **Bayan Sapargaliyeva** Abai Kazakh National Pedagogical University, Kasachstan *Diversity as a Driver of Educational Innovation: Inclusive Pedagogy, Intercultural Competence and Internationalization*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)

16:00 – 17:30	**Guided City Tour**	Meeting point at the Innsbruck Information, Burggraben 3, Innsbruck city centre

Tuesday, 24 November 2026

Time	Activity	Location / Notes
09:30-10:40	**Official Welcome by the Rectorate of the University College of Teacher Education Tyrol** **Gallery Walk – Presentation of the Home Universities**	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
10:45 – 11:15	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Maria Bakti** University of Szeged, Hungary *CLIL in Hungary: Diversity in the CLIL Classroom*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 – 12:00	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Fiona McArdle** Hibernia College, Ireland *Belonging by Design: Moving from Diversity Policy to Inclusive Practice in Teacher Education*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
12:00 – 13:10	Lunch at the PHT (you are invited)	PHT
13:10 – 13:40	**Lecture (PHT)** **Bettina Dimai** *Violence and Bullying Prevention*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
13:50 – 14:20	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Caroline Brun Herfray** INSPE de Bretagne, France *Pedagogical Accessibility and Inclusive Teaching Practices*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
14:20 – 14:40	Break	
14:40 – 15:10	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Clara Suchodolski** University of Bremen, Germany *Correlations of Antisemitism and Racism in the Specific Conditions of the German Educational System*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
15:15 – 16:00	**Lecture (PHT)** **Alexandra Madl** *Teaching Masculinities? Gender Regimes in Primary Teacher Education*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)

Wednesday, 25 November 2026

Time	Activity	Location / Notes
09:00 – 09:30	**Lecture (PHT)** **Miriam Hill** *Migration and Critical Perspectives on Racism*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
09:35 – 10:05	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Anne-Laure Bohn** INSPE de Bretagne, France *Collaborative Practices*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
10:05 – 10:15	Break	
10:15 – 10:45	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Sarah Schul** Haute Ecole Robert Schuman, Belgium *Belgian Legal Framework for Diversity and Inclusion in Education*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
10:50 – 11:20	**Lecture (PHT)** **Susanne Mayrhofer** *Kamishibai*	PHT, D.0.042
11:30 – 12:00	**Guest Lecture (30 min)** **Kim André Stavenes Refvik** Volda University College, Norway *Adaptive Education in Norway: Inclusive Mathematics Teaching in Classrooms*	PHT, Large Lecture Hall (A.EG00.005.00)
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch at the PHT (optional)	PHT
13:00 – 18:00	Afternoon Break	PHT
18:00 –19:30	**Evening Programme** **FOLK&APÉRO** at the Haus der Musik	Haus der Musik (House of Music), Universitätsstraße 1, Innsbruck

Thursday, 26 November 2026

Time	Activity	Location / Notes
08:45	**Meeting Point**	Café, PHT
	School Visits	
09:00 – 10:00	**Visit: Affiliated Secondary School**	Building B
10:00 – 11:00	**Visit: Affiliated Primary School**	Building B

11:15 – 11:45	**Lecture (PHT)** **Thomas Stornig** *Education for Democratic Citizenship in a Superdiverse Society*	PHT, D.0.042
	Getting ready for the Intercultural Brunch	PHT, D.0.042
13:00 – 14:30	**Intercultural Brunch – with contributions from all participants & PHT students**	PHT, D.0.042
14:30 – 15:00	**Lecture (PHT)** **Laura Trott** *Neurodiversity in (Early Childhood) Education*	PHT, D.0.042
	Final Round **Declarations of Intent & Evaluation**	PHT, D.0.042

Friday, 27 November 2026

Time	Activity	Location / Notes
	Departure Day	
	Departure	

Cooperation & Travel

The week is being held in cooperation with the Competence Centre of Gender, Diversity and Inclusion at the University College of Teacher Education Tyrol.

🌿 We would be delighted if you could travel green.

If it is not possible for you to travel to the International Staff Week in an environmentally friendly way, we warmly encourage you to consider offsetting your flight. Although offsetting cannot fully undo the environmental impact of flying, it supports certified climate protection projects and contributes to reducing emissions globally. It is one meaningful step towards more responsible travel.

The International Staff Week events take place in fully accessible facilities at the University College of Teacher Education Tyrol. All event venues are step-free, and accessible sanitary facilities are available. If participants have any individual accessibility or support needs, we kindly ask them to contact us in advance so that we can provide the best possible support.

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