



**Nordplus Framework Programme
Conference at Radissons SAS Saga Hotel
11th December 2009 from 14 - 16:30**

Dear recipient,

The Office of International Education (OIE) - the Nordplus National Agency - is hosting an Introductory Conference on the Nordplus Framework Programme this December 11th at Radisson SAS Saga Hotel. The Conference is held in Stanford, meeting room 2nd floor. Please note, all discourses and workshops will be in Icelandic.

The Nordplus framework programme offers financial support to a variety of educational cooperation in the area of lifelong learning from the eight participating countries in the Baltic and Nordic region, with special focus on quality and innovation. The conference is a perfect opportunity to learn what the Nordplus framework has to offer, as the next application deadline is March 1st 2010.

The conference is aimed at institutions at all school levels, organisations, associations etc. which mainly focus on education and lifelong learning, as well as promoting Nordic languages and culture and mutual Nordic-Baltic linguistic and cultural understanding.

**Please register your participation on <http://ask.hi.is/page/Nordplus11des>
Registration is open till December 8th. Participation is free of charge.**

Agenda

- 13:30-14:00 **Registration**, conference material handout.
- 14:00-14:10 **Welcome**: Mrs. Karitas Kvaran, Director of the Office of International Education - Nordplus National Agency.
- 14:10-14:25 **The Nordplus Framework Programme**: Mr. Gudmundur Ingi Markusson, International Co-ordinator for Nordplus at the OIE – Nordplus National Agency.
- 14:25-14:40 **Managing Nordplus projects - Content and budget**: Mrs. Ragnhildur Zoega, International Co-ordinator for Nordplus at the OIE – Nordplus National Agency.
- 14:40-14:55 **Introduction to Nordplus Horizontal Project**: Ms. Margret Gudmundsdottir, Project Manager, School of Education at the University of Iceland.
- 15:00-16:00 **Workshops for all of the Nordplus subprograms**:
 - Nordplus Junior
 - Nordplus Higher Education
 - Nordplus Adult Learning
 - Nordplus Horizontal
 - Nordplus Nordic Languages and Culture
- 16:00-16:30 **Refreshments**.

For further information see the Nordplus website on www.nordplus.is or by dialling +354 525 4311

Kind regards,
Mrs. Karitas Kvaran, Director
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