

Children's Kindergarten Montessori Children's House

Montessori Pedagogy Association - Split

Croatian Association of Psychology

Croatian Montessori Association



are organising a conference to commemorate 25 years of Marije Montessori Pedagogy in Croatia on the following topic:

"Interdisciplinary development of senses and feelings in childhood"

To be held in Split 19 - 21.05.2016

at Hotel Park and the Marko Marulic Library.

Sponsors :

The President of The Republic of Croatia - Kolinda Grabar Kitarovic

The Ministry of Science, Education & Sport

Croatian Education and Teacher Training Agency

The Faculty of Philosophy - University of Split

City of Split

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE:

Thursday 19.05.2016. - Hotel Park - big hall

9:00 - 9:30

Opening speech - representative of the President of Croatia, the Ministry of Science, Education & Sport , City of Split, Montessori Europe

Plenary lectures 9:30 - 12:00

prof . Vladimir Taksic PhD - emotional & cognitive development - discussion

prof. Damir Sekulic PhD - development of motor skills & emotions - discussion

Mirjam Stefels: Past, present & future of M. Montessori Pedagogy - Netherlands

12:00 - 13:00

break

13:00 - 15:30

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Plenary lecture:

prof. Biserka Resic PhD - neurological basis of emotional development of infants

prof. Andreja Brajsa-Zganec PhD - safe attachments in early socio-emotional development in the family & kindergarten/day care environment

prof. Ivana Batarelo PhD: contemporary story books and emotional development of children

Marija Ivankovic, prof. - various approaches in preschool institutions incorporating M. Montessori Pedagogy in Croatia

Natasa Veldic: a time-line presentation of the M. Montessori concept in Croatia

15:30 - 16:00

break

16:00 - 13:00

Lectures:

Dario Vucenovic PhD - significance of the role of developing self respect & self perception in the formation of a child's development

Davor Mikas PhD: encouraging the development of social competencies

Mihael Provic PhD: significance of spirituality in the development of safe attachments

19:00 - 21:00

Dinner & visit to ruins, Salona - Solin

Friday 20.05.2016 - Hotel Park - big hall

9:00 - 13:00

mr. sc. Theresia Herbst - theory of attachment and education within the Montessori environment (Austrija)

prof. Renata Miljevic - Ridicki PhD - learning from experience

Hanna Nöthig: significance of art therapy for children in stressful situations (Germany)

13:00 - 14:00

break

Petak 20.05.2016 Marka Marulic Library - first hall

14:00 - 18:30

Simona Klemencic PhD: development of attachments in children with diabetes (Slovenia)

Dorde Cekrlija PhD: evaluation of emotional, moral and social readiness/maturity of preschool children (BIH)

mag. Zana Pavlovic - emotional competency of educators - their role and significance in early childhood development of preschool aged children

Tijana Vidovic: opportunity for encouraging the socio-emotional development of children within the framework of regulations

Katica Kuljasevic, Pavica Krolo Henc & Irena Plicka - DV Vrbik analysing the comparisons of the adjustment process of children attending nursery/day care in Montessori facilities compared to regular nurseries/day care programs in Zagreb

Friday 20.05.2016 Marka Marulic Library - second hall

14:00 - 18:30

Zvezdana Cagalj: the influences of literature on the emotional development of children

Mira Kunstek: integrated curriculum in nurseries/day care - encouraging emotional and cognitive competencies

Mirela Stjepanovic: working with children with developmental difficulties or special needs in conventional programs and the Montessori program - our parallels - DV Radost, Zagreb

Ljilja Barjaktarovic, prof.: adapting preschool and younger school aged children through the attachment theory, Bar, Montenegro

Marija Barjaktarovic, prof. : the role and significance of emotions in the classroom, Podgorica, Montenegro

Bojana Mikaric: the implementation of Montessori principals and pedagogy in the educational practices and tradition (Serbia)

Maja Fundurulja prof., Dijana Ilakovac & Marcela Kovacevic: the process of inclusion and developing affection and empathy in children within the Montessori group - DV Vjeverica, Zagreb

Divna Skaricic & Julija Vukorepa: strengthening emotional development and safe attachments through musical activities, Children's Kindergarten Montessori Children's House

Workshop:

14:30 - 18:30

Dragana Olujic: significance of nutrition and nutritional tendencies in the development of emotional maturity in school aged children

dr. sc. Natasa Zenic - Sekulic: developing motor skills to encourage the development of emotional and cognitive development

Helene Eden: the influence of music on emotional development within M. Montessori Pedagogy - Germany

Maribel Rosario: demonstration of exercises to develop the senses - Germany

Ljubica Duspara, prof.: the magic of touch in the nursery setting - program display 'All the languages of love' - *Sveljub* -

18:30 - 21:00

Joint socialisation with music - Bacvice Beach, Split

Saturday 21.05.2016. - Marka Marulic Library

9:00 - 13:00

Workshop:

Helene Eden: the influence of music on emotional development within M. Montessori Pedagogy - Germany

Maribel Rosario: demonstration of exercises to develop the senses - Germany

10:00 - 11:30

Dr. Zoran Vujnovic: demonstration on working with parents with children with developmental difficulties and/or special needs

12:00 - 13:30

Roundtable - topic: the place for emotional development in children within the new curriculum; closing of the conference

13:30 - 14:00 Conference closing

Please be advised, program changes are possible. The program will be adjusted to accommodate international guests and their availability in Split.

Applications to be sent to the following email address: udrugamontessorisplit@gmail.com, no later than 18.05.2016. or via the catalogue of professional events AZOO.

Applications must be sent to both addresses.

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE APPLICATION FORM

**"Interdisciplinary development of senses and feelings in childhood"
to commemorate 25 years of Maria Montessori Pedagogy in Croatia.**

Full name:	
OIB (personal identification number - Croatian participants only):	
Occupation:	
Residential Address:	
Landline & Mobile contact number/s:	
e-mail:	
Establishment/institution participant belongs to (if applicable):	
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Establishment/institution address:	
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