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INEPS-ACTIVITIES 2019/2020

Dear members of the INEPS,

as many of you already know, this year we will not have an INEPS-Congress. But we are happy to announce that the **INEPS-Congress 2020** will take place in **Vilafranca del Penedès** – probably in **May**. 2020 will be a "year of celebrations": It's the 35th anniversary of the Centre of Occupational training "Francesc Layret" where the first PL projects were born (Layret TV and TEVA project), IDAP celebrates 25 years of existence, the first INEPS Youth congress took place in Vilafranca 25 years ago and also INEPS has a reason to celebrate: We will look at 30 years of international cooperation!

What happened and will happen in the meantime?

Although not "all dreams come true" there are quite a few things going on in our community:

- **PROTASI** celebrated the 30th anniversary in Patras/**Greece** in December 2018 (Heike was there).
- *PL* is going on in two active schools in **Lithuania** having a big amount of students applying. The Ministry of Education, Science and Sports gave permission to expand a number of schools implementing PL. There is also a project of European Funds carried out in order to adjust the methods of *PL* in youth socialization centers.
- France: Sabah started her new job as *Inspectrice de l'education nationale* and visited PL schools in Berlin an IPLE in March with a group of inspectors and headmasters.
- Takauki Nishimura and students from **Tokyio/Japan** visited *PL* schools in Berlin and IPLE in March.
- Russin and a **delegation from Burgas/Bulgaria** visited Schule am Schillerpark and IPLE in the frame of an Erasmus-project at the beginning of April.
- IPLE will start a project with the ministry of education in **Schleswig-Holstein/Germany** to introduce *PL* in five new schools starting August.

14th -17th November There will be a seminar for 15-30 Greek PEKES Coordinators in Patras, Greece. AC members and INEPS colleagues will present experience from France, Germany, Lithuania, Spain, – we hope also from Finland. It will also be a chance for the AC to meet and to start planning the INEPS-Congress 2020. The seminar is hosted by PROTASI and coordinated by Angela Passa.

And: During the last year we (AC members) have discussed and revised our **"INEPS STATUTES"**. Attached you find the result to be discussed and decided about by the General Assembly in Vilafranca next year. Comments and discussion welcome any time!

We hope that this message finds you strong, healthy and successful. We are looking forward to meet many of you next year in Vilafranca del Penedès. We will keep you informed about the dates in time.

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