

" Digital Transformation of English Language Teaching: Teaching Vocabulary and Writing in the Age of Digital Tools and AI" BIP Course Agenda Virtual Component	
18 and 20 November 2025 (Tuesday and Thursday)	
Microsoft Teams: Link Provided through E-mail	
10:15 – 10:30	Introduction of the Project <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Purpose of the project Key Goals Overview of the events (agenda - presentations – pre-arrival tasks)
10:30 – 11:30	Presentations on Key Program Topics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Basics of ELT Methodology: how to teach and stage systems and skills lessons, with a focus on vocabulary and writing – <i>Prof. Dr. Ana Kechan, Head of the English Language Teaching Department</i>
11:30 – 11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Break
11:45 – 12:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> How the Use of Digital Tools and AI Has Changed Education with a Focus on Language Learning – <i>Asst. Prof. Dr. Marija Stevkovska, English Language Teaching Department</i>
12:45 – 13:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Break
13:00 – 14:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> An Overview of the Digital and AI Tools to be used on the program – <i>Asst. Neslihan Ademi, the Computer Engineering Department</i>
14:00 – 14:30	Next Steps (preparation before your arrival) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Your Personal Experiences Using Digital Tools and AI in your Education <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In a text of approximately ONE page summarizing your experiences with using digital tools and AI in your education so far, detailing at least 2 of the tools and how you've used them in specific contexts or for specific tasks. Bonus points if you can relate these experiences to your English language learning. Expectations for the Final Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lesson Plan (either vocabulary or writing) Activities for different stages of the lesson plan Using a digital or AI tool for activity design International Dinner – Don't forget to bring snacks typical of your country/culture

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24-28 November 2025, IBU Campus, Skopje, Republic of North Macedonia

24 November 2025 (Monday)

Venue: Blue Amphitheater, 2nd Floor, B-Block, IBU Campus, Makedonsko-Kosovska Brigada bb

14:00 – 15:00	Welcome
	Welcome Speeches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assoc. prof. dr. Katerina Mitevaska-Petrusheva, Vice-Rector for Projects and Research - Asst. prof. dr. Mare Ushovksa, Erasmus+ Institutional Coordinator - Assoc. prof. dr. Igballa Miftari-Fetishi, Dean of the Faculty of Education Presentation of Partner Universities (up to 10 minutes each): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - International Balkan University, North Macedonia - University of Nis, Serbia - University of Byalistok, Poland - Necmettin Erbakan University, Turkiye - National University of Science and Technology Politehnica, Romania
15:00 – 16:00	Lunch (provided by IBU) + International Potluck - (bring food that represents your culture)

25 November 2025 (Tuesday)

Venue: IBU B-Block, Classroom B-204 and Computer Lab B-306, IBU Campus, Makedonsko-Kosovska Brigada bb

10:00 – 11:00	Forming Teams in Classroom B-204 <p>Forming teams, getting to know the team members and discussing everyone's pre-arrival task</p>
11:00 – 12:30	Workshop on Teaching Vocabulary: recap of stages activities for each stage - Prof. Dr. Ana Kechan Classroom B-204
12:30 – 13:30	Lunch (provided by IBU)
13:30 – 14:30	AI in Vocabulary Acquisition – Assistant Neslihan Ademi: Computer Lab B-306 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provide examples of how to use digital and AI tools (e.g., AI-assisted vocabulary exercises) - Discuss how these tools can be integrated at each stage of vocabulary lessons
14:30 – 15:00	Coffee Break
15:00 – 16:30	Students collaborate in groups, creating activities for different stages - feedback will be provided

26 November 2025 (Wednesday)

Venue: IBU B-Block, Classroom A-205 and Computer Lab B-209, IBU Campus, Makedonsko-Kosovska Brigada bb

10:30-12:00	Workshop on Teaching Writing: recap of stages +sample activities for each stage – Prof. Dr. Ana Kechan Classroom A-205
12:00 – 13:00	Lunch (provided by IBU)
13:00 – 14:00	AI in Writing Acquisition – Assistant Neslihan Ademi: Computer Lab B-209 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provide examples of how to use digital and AI tools (e.g., AI-assisted writing exercises) - Discuss how these tools can be integrated at each stage of writing lessons
14:00 – 14:30	Coffee break
14:30-16:00	Students collaborate in groups, creating activities for different stages - feedback will be provided

27 November 2025 (Thursday)

Pick up point: Kale Fortress opposite Mustafa Pasha Mosque - <https://maps.app.goo.gl/sN3mnEHYvQj6G6sB9>

Social Activity: Ohrid Tour

08:30	Departure from Skopje
10:00 – 10:30	Breakfast Stop at "Mekicite od Straza" (provided by IBU)
Venue: Ohrid City Center	
12:00	Arrival in Ohrid
12:00 – 15:00	Ohrid Sightseeing (Old Town, Ancient Theater of Ohrid, St. Kliment Church, St. Jovan Kaneo Church, St. Sofija Church)
15:00 – 17:30	Lunch (provided by IBU) / Free Time
17:30	Departure from Ohrid to Skopje

28 November 2025 (Friday)

Venue: Blue Amphitheater, 2nd Floor, B-Block, IBU Campus, Makedonsko-Kosovska Brigada bb

10:00 – 11:30	Project Presentations – Designs of Lesson Plans and Activities with the Use of Digital Tools and AI
11:30 – 11:45	Coffee Break and Networking
11:45 – 12:30	Closing Ceremony, Deliver of Certificates and Group Photo