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Christel Schneider, Dipl.-Päd., FlinstLM, Cert.OET, has been the Director of the ICC – the international language association an NGO and non profit organisation, since 2006, following a period as Head of the Languages Department of the Schleswig-Holstein Association of Adult Education Institutes.

She has been the Local Secretary for Cambridge ESOL (until 2006), Cambridge Examiner for ESOL certificates (all suits!) and The European Language Certificates (writing specifications and testing materials), author of a series of course books and also teaching guides for trainers with a special focus on methodology and autonomous learning.



Christel Schneider taught methodology classes at the department of Education at the University of Hamburg for 10 years. She was also part of the online tutoring team at the University of London, UK and the University de Kalb (Illinois).

Christel Schneider is an accredited online trainer and has designed and run online trainer courses over the past 14 years. She is regarded as an international expert in e-learning.

Her published works include a wide range of materials on course design and teacher training, as well as articles and course books for adults.

Christel has experience on various EU projects: BEATRIC; Linguaepeace, Diverse EUROPE at Work, DeafPort, ELPVI, AVALON, LANCELOT, EUROVOLT, ELTACS, PELLIC, LETS GO, Tell me How, Chinese for Europeans, ActiveELP and has taken a lead role in the development of the ELTACS Master Trainer Certification. She is also on the board of advisors at Sprachen und Beruf (languages& business) and Online Educa Berlin.

Since 2006 she has organised the ICC Annual Conferences in Stockholm (SE), London (UK), Florence (IT), Hamburg (DE), Winterthur (CH) and Pilsen (CZ) and a number of small conferences and THINK TANKS across EUROPE.

Christel Schneider is regularly invited as a facilitator to various conferences such as 'Online Educa Berlin' and 'Languages and Business' Berlin.

Areas of expertise: International cooperation, networking, project management, project dissemination, evaluation processes, teacher training, teacher assessment, online training on different platforms and virtual teaching in 3D worlds, higher education, adult education, vocational training, languages for specific purposes, language teaching for people with special needs.