



Newsletter Seminar

“Trends in the Music Profession in Europe; Lifelong Learning & Employability”
March 9-11, Groningen (The Netherlands)

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Seminar Themes

Lifelong learning and the employability of conservatoire graduates

- Standards of Excellence
- Learning Outcomes and Employability
- Formal, Non Formal and Informal Learning in Music
- Mentoring Musicians
- The Orchestra Leadership Academy & BBC Learning Projects

Key note speakers

David Myers, director of the Center of Educational Partnerships of the School of Music of Georgia State University, Atlanta, USA

Marc Olivier Dupin, director of the 'Orchestre de l'Ile de France'

Programme

From March 9 till 11, 2007 the Prince Claus Conservatoire in Groningen (The Netherlands) will host an international seminar on Lifelong Learning and Employability. This is a joint seminar of the thematic network Polifonia of the Association Européenne des Conservatoires and the Lectorate Lifelong Learning in Music of the Prince Claus Conservatoire and the Royal Conservatoire The Hague.

Since 2004, the Profession working group of the ERASMUS Thematic Network for Music 'Polifonia' and the Lectorate Lifelong Learning in Music have worked on changing trends in the music profession and the connection between training and the professional practice in all parts of Europe. A large amount of examples, case studies as well as musicians portraits and site visits and additional research have contributed to the creation of a varied picture of the nature of the contemporary and future music profession in Europe.

The conclusions drawn upon the research findings and the impact of the concept of lifelong learning will be shared and discussed in plenary and parallel sessions with the participants. They are expected to contribute actively in the discussions and the working groups during the seminar.

Preparatory material

Dates: 9-11 March 2007

Language: The working language during the seminar will be English. Simultaneous translation into French and German will be provided during the plenary sessions.

Number of participants: max. 120

Seminar fee: 100 € (including all material, one dinner, a reception and 2 lunches)

Registration: through Polifonia website: [click here](#)

Deadline for guaranteed hotel reservation: **8 January 2007.**

