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***Developing Higher Quality in Teaching English to Young Learners  
– Perspectives from Primary Education in Ireland***

***Kommunikativ och handlingsorienterad engelskundervisning för yngre åldrar  
– inspiration från Irland***

Course at Maynooth University, Ireland 4-8 September 2017

Preliminary program:

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September**

Arrival to **Maynooth University**, check in at Campus Accommodation  
Welcome to Ireland & Maynooth; Course introduction, presentations including an overview of Education and Teacher Training in Ireland. Welcome dinner in Maynooth.

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September**

All day: Lectures and workshops at **Maynooth University** with Dr Céline Healy and colleagues from Department of Education and Froebel Institute, including sessions about drama methods and other communicative & creative ways of teaching young language learners.

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September**

All day: **Educational visits to primary schools.**  
Participation in activities during the school day; assembly, lesson observations, meetings with pupils, teachers and school leaders and a conference to compare teaching contexts and establish collaboration between Irish and Swedish teachers.

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September**

All day Lectures and workshops at **Maynooth University** with Dr Annamaria Pinter from University of Warwick, including sessions on recent research about young language learners and relevant teaching strategies, inspiring ideas and materials.  
Late afternoon - evening: Cultural and educational visit to **DUBLIN**, including guided walking tour of the city, visits to Trinity College, the National Museum of Ireland and book shops.  
Goodbye Dinner in Dublin.

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September**

Morning: at **Maynooth University**; 'EYL nätverk för förstelärare' network meeting and closing session: reflections, evaluation & Goodbye!  
Afternoon - evening: Free choice of activities in Maynooth & Dublin before departures.

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