

New Opportunities through New Media and iPads for Inclusive Learning

atempo offers a new in-service course:

» “Inclusive Learning using iPads and Tablets”

Today's internet society shapes the way we interact and communicate with each other. Knowing how to participate and “navigate” in this new digital world determines whether you take part in society or not.

This development poses a challenge – especially for people with Special Educational Needs (SEN). Yet, it also offers new possibilities in terms of learning, self-expression and (digital) inclusion. At atempo we experience daily that people with SEN are not afraid of using these new technologies – what is crucial is that they are given the chance to use them and get the support they need.

Objectives:

- » training teachers and staff working in the field of education of people with Special Educational Needs (SEN)
- » raising digital awareness as well as teaching skills in using tablets and new media to promote SEN learning
- » exploring new ways in which tablets and new media can help develop communication and self-expression for learners with SEN and enable them to engage in the digital society and participate more actively in their communities.



Project-Movie



<http://youtu.be/0d7egtw63bc>

“Inclusive Learning using iPads and Tablets”

- » Revolutionary features of usability and accessibility of tablets
- » Apps for people with SEN (e.g. augmentative and alternative communication; for people with autism, visual impairment, illiteracy, etc.)
- » Practical examples for using iPads and tablets in inclusive education in Finland, UK and Austria.
- » Multimedia Apps and the use of digital photography, as well as video and audio functions of tablets for supporting people in their learning, communication and self expression
- » ‘Klikin’ - a new package that allows people of all abilities to create their own multimedia Wikis in a safe and easy way



Dates:

27th - 31th January, 10th - 14th March, 7th - 11th April, 2014

[Further details for teachers \(Comenius programme\)](#)

[Further details for staff working with adults \(Grundtvig programme\)](#)

Location:

atempo, Heinrichstr. 145, 8010 Graz, Austria

Registration Procedure:

- » Choose the course of your choice and pre-register as soon as possible at <http://www.atempo.at/en/Courses/pre-registration> and you will get a confirmation for your grant application.
- » To cover 100% of course fees, travel and subsistence expenses apply for a EU Grundtvig or Comenius Grant to your national agency by **17/09/2013**. For further support and a step-by-step guide please contact us anytime at karl.baeck@atempo.at or via the pre-registration form.

Further Information:

- » You can find further course details on our website http://www.atempo.at/en/Courses/Dates_and_Details
- » The course language will be English. If your English and your computer skills are not perfect, don't worry, you are welcome and will get the chance to improve both.