

NW31 network meeting in ECER 2025

We were presenting all the participants of the network meeting shortly, and presenting also the link conveyor and co-conveyors. We discussed good numbers regarding submissions, presentations and audience in sessions this year. We had 50 submissions, 8 rejections, 6 withdrawals, 6 poster proposals, 2 rejections, 1 withdrawal, 2 symposiums, 3 joint sessions with networks concerning didactics and inclusive education. Maximum number of people in audience in sessions was 27.

The pleasant and welcoming atmosphere of the network got good feedback.

We decided to continue with an opening symposium also next year since it was highly appreciated this year. Additionally, we decided to organize a session on terminology in next ECER.

We were discussing a possibility to organize a summer school in collaboration with NW 10 teacher education. We decided to contact the link conveyor and discuss the possibility with them.

We were discussing possibilities to apply for funding for different events organized by the network.

Co-conveyor Jonas Iversen promised to organize a platform for gathering news and new publications from network members so that we can share the news in the network newsletter.

We decided to establish an online seminar for PhD students aiming to support them in networking and helping them for example getting constructive feedback on their research and support for writing proposals e.g. for ECER. Simay Cirit promised to take an active role in putting the seminar together.

We decided to draft couple of special calls for ECER 2026 for our network. Jonas Iversen is responsible for them.

We voted for new co-conveyors: Tatiana Atanasoska, Leena Maria Heikkola and Ghaith Alturjman (early researcher).

We invited new reviewers to review proposals for our network in future ECER conferences and discussed giving detailed guidelines for helping their work in the review process. We also invited people to act as chair persons in ECER 2026.

We discussed also different social events in Tampere 2026. One idea was to meet local teachers and school leaders to discuss language education with them. We will also have a social gathering and a network dinner in Tampere.

