

2nd CEFR SIG Meeting

Thursday 5th 2016 14:00 – 17:30

(4P Language Centre Building)

13th EALTA Conference, Universitat Politècnica de Valencia, Valencia, Spain
Preliminary Programme (April 6th)

14:00 Welcome by the SIG coordinators
Neus Figueras and **Sauli Takala**.

Reports on two CEFR-related Council of Europe projects,

- Development and validation of new calibrated descriptors for mediation,
- Collection of CEFR illustrative tasks for reading and listening

14:45 – 17:00 Participant presentations (15 min. + 5 min. discussion)

Glyn Jones (Consultant)

Replicating the original CEFR calibration study: the story so far.

Zoltán Lukácsi (Budapest Business School)

Lost in translation: a local interpretation of mediation.

John de Jong (Global Assessment Standards with Pearson and VU University Amsterdam)

Extending and complementing the CEFR.

Comfort break

Joaquín M. Cruz (Universidad de Jaén)

Rubrik®: Using CEFR related rubrics through smartphones and tablets.

Cristina Pérez – Guillot (Universitat Politècnica de València)

Training in the use of the CEFR Manual: Some challenges.

Kathryn Brennan (Kaplan International)

Behind the Times - is the CEFR old-fashioned? A review of the Manual in its contemporary context.

17:00 - 17:30 Planning and discussion of SIG future activities.