UCOILD UNFOLDING COLLABORATIVE ONLINE LEARNING DIDACTICS

ETEN September meeting – online presentation



Agenda

- 1. Presentation of the UCOILD project
- 2. Spreading knowledge through collaboration with ETEN
- a) Communication strategy and input
- 3. Supporting COIL projects within the ETEN organisation
- a) Suggestion for strengthening COIL's as a way of collaborating within ETEN TIG's

The UCOILD project

What is Collaborative Online International Learning

A flexible teaching method who has the purpose of...

- establishing digital interactions between students
- across borders
- around a specific professional content
- and from a wish of strengthening international perspectivation, dialogue and competence development
- Og bidrage til erfaringer med digitale samarbejdsformer



Rationale – current challenges with HEI interconnectedness and pathways for international learning regarding social education/early childhood

Needs analysis – virtual exchange as a promising pathway - but we need more knowledge on how to unfold the international, digital learning space (a learning space to potentially support both international perspectivation of a subject matter *and* intercultural *and* digital competences)

Objectives

- exploring inclusive, student-centered, experiential, and reflective didactics within (students as co-developers)
- developing a COIL toolkit
- submitting a scientific paper + conference papers on the exploration and implementation of the UCOILD project.
- producing a COIL curriculum design for local implementation of the participating partners

O1 Mapping

Spring 2022

Institutional knowledge

- Focus group interviews

Research on existing didactical knowledge

- Review process

Products:

Mapping report Review article

Exploring
Through
COIL
projects

Fall 2022- Fall 2023

4 COIL projects + evaluation workshops

Products: 4 COIL projects

Develop
Didactical
toolkit

Fall 2022- Fall 2023

Translating explorations to didactical tools

Product:

Open source homepage with didactical toolkit

www.ucoild.com

Scientific paper

Spring 2024

Exposing didactical tool results and development process to peer review and feedbck process

Products:

Conference papers (ETEN 23/24 + EAIE 24)

-> Scientific paper(i.e., Journal of Virtual Exchange) O4 Curriculum Design

Fall 2024

Developing curriculum design integrating COIL projects into curriculum

Products:

4 national examples of curriculum designs

Spreading knowledge through ETEN collaboration

Knowledge spreading plan

- ETEN collaboration as a knowledge sharing and feedback platform cf. blogs and posts as project progress. And linking to materials that are developed
- □ www.ucoild.com
- Conference papers and journals including publishing in JETEN (links, titles)

Other ways we can keep ETEN members updated?



Reviewing project results

- □ CALL (maybe in internationalisation TIG but not limited to this group): Special interest members who would like to read and test tools as they are developed
- ☐ Contact: Rikke Pedersen ripe@kp.dk (UCOILD project manager)
- ☐ Development of open feedback/review page within website

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Supporting COIL projects within the ETEN organisation



- Suggestion: Experimenting with COIL's within Thematic Interest Groups? (a way of sustaining the professional collaboration between lecturers – in-between conferences)
- Introduction to COIL at next ETEN conference: UCOILD members would like to offer short introduction to designing COIL's in each TIG at the next conference as a kick of for members to start COIL'ing together! Would you be willing to put this on TIG agenda? (i.e., ½ hour)
- **ECO's** would you be willing to motivate colleagues to participate with COIL at ETEN?
- If interested please coordinate with UCOILD ripe@kp.dk

Reviewing the UCOILD toolbox

(as it unfolds at www.ucoild.com)

Call for critical friends/ reviewers?

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