



## PRESS RELEASE

Public Debate on  
**Innovative Education and Pedagogy Worldwide**  
13 May 2019, 17:30-19:00

The *Communication Institute of Greece (COMinG)*, with the endorsement of the Faculty of Education at Beijing Normal University is organizing a Public Debate on **Innovative Education and Pedagogy Worldwide**. The discussion will take place on Monday 13 May 2019, 18:00-19:30, at the Stanley Hotel, salon ViKos (1 Odisseos str, Karaiskaki Square, Athens, Greece, near to metro Metaxourghio). The working language will be English, without interpretation.

### Description of the public discussion theme

This public debate will have two strands:

1. The implementation of innovative and creative methods in teaching: New technologies and teaching across disciplines, the integration of Arts in to the curriculum, multimodality: Sharing successful models
2. Pedagogy and learning to teach: pedagogy is a very developed discipline worldwide. Nevertheless, this is not necessarily the case in Greece. Greece's educational system focuses more on testing knowledge by centralized exams.

An insight into different teacher education models, discussion and sharing of views.

The main questions to be answered, will be the following:

- a. Which are the different Teacher Education models across the world? What is the impact of pedagogy in learning how to teach?
- b. How can we best prepare our teachers to face the challenges in the classroom?

The Public Debate will be chaired by **Ailson J. De Moraes**, Conference Leader, International Conference on Education (EDU2019) & Lecturer, Royal Holloway School of Management, University of London, Egham, Surrey, UK. The discussion program is available at <http://coming.gr/index.php/events-3/> . The list of events/conferences organized by our Institute is available on the Institute's website: <http://coming.gr/index.php/conferences/>

The working language will be English, without interpretation. This event is designed for academics, think tank experts, actors from organized civil society. This event is free of charge but pre-registration is required. If you are interested in participating, please send your name, email, profession/position and telephone number to Mrs Evi Naki at [info@coming.gr](mailto:info@coming.gr)