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**MY WAY HOTEL**

**EXHIBITION: 10:00-15:00**

**PROGRAMME**

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## MARCH 8, 2026 | MYWAY HOTEL, PATRA

This year's Forum in Patra brings together voices that address the real pressures, real transitions, and real decisions shaping English Language Teaching today.

From the impact of Artificial Intelligence in the foreign language classroom to the essential collaboration between Special Education Centres and Language Schools, this programme reflects the issues educators are actively navigating.

You will explore how AI is redefining the teacher's role, how interdisciplinary collaboration can support learners with difficulties in meaningful ways, and how assessment and certification are evolving to meet new life pathways

This Forum is designed as a space for clarity, dialogue, and professional recalibration. The landscape is changing. The question is not whether we adapt, but how strategically we do so.

Welcome to a day of informed discussion and purposeful direction.



# PROGRAMME

09:30	10:00	Registration
10:00		Exhibition opens

## ROOM AFRODITI

### FEATURED PRESENTATION

<b>10:30</b>	<b>11:00</b>	<b>Νίκος Συρίγος</b> , Ed-Tech professional with a strong foundation in technology and innovation.
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### ΑΙ στην Ξενόγλωσση Τάξη: 30' που κρίνουν αν θα σε αντικαταστήσει

Σε μόλις 30 λεπτά θα δούμε πώς η Τεχνητή Νοημοσύνη αλλάζει ριζικά την ξενόγλωσση διδασκαλία. Ποιες δουλειές σου παίρνει, πού σε κάνει πιο απαραίτητο και ποια εργαλεία πρέπει να υιοθετήσεις τώρα. Όσοι παρακολουθήσουν φεύγουν με πρακτικό πλάνο αλλά όσοι αγνοήσουν τις προκλήσεις που φέρνει η ΤΝ, μπορεί να μένουν εκτός παιχνιδιού στην ανταγωνιστική αγορά ξενόγλωσσης εκπαίδευσης του αύριο.

## ROOM AFRODITI

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

<b>11:05</b>	<b>11:55</b>	<b>Hamilton House Publishers</b>
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**Nadia Theochari**, International Business Development Manager/Educational Consultant, Hamilton House Publishers

### English With Bamboo – Just for You!

English with Bamboo is a lively two-level course for young learners. Guided by Bamboo, Miranda, Jenny, and Max, children enjoy adventures through stories, activities, and TPR songs. With a clear syllabus, structured lessons, and ample practice, the program builds vocabulary, confidence, and fluency in a fun, engaging way.

## ROOM ERATO

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

<b>11:05</b>	<b>11:30</b>	<b>EdSkills Academy</b>
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**Dimitra Alafogianni**, EFL/ESL Educator, Foreign Language School Owner, Author, Educational Consultant and Careers Advisor, Montessori ELT Educator, Teacher Trainer, Co-founder EdSkills Academy

**EdSkills Academy: Shaping Smarter Learning Paths**

EdSkills Academy presents an integrated educational ecosystem that connects internationally recognised English language certifications with creative communication pathways and targeted professional development. Its academic portfolio includes Trinity College London and TOEFL, alongside the Trinity Pathway, where Drama, Music, and Communication support authentic language use. The session also introduces educator training in ISO standards - IB, PYP, MYP, Emotional Intelligence and AI in Education and Neurolanguage Coaching (ICF-accredited), inviting participants to explore practical, future-ready learning solutions.

## ROOM ERATO

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

**11:35** | **12:25** | **Burlington Books**

**Irene Rachioti**, Marketing Manager, Western Greece, Peloponnese, Burlington Books

**Looking for the best way to bridge the gap between C class and B1? Join In 3 is the answer!**

Specially designed for Generation Alpha, our new A-C series, Join In, invites students to learn, think and create together while enhancing all four major language skills.

### Thinking Proficiency

Thinking Proficiency is an exciting new course to engage students and get them thinking about contemporary issues. Covering all major Proficiency exams, it features Thinking Routines based on Harvard's Project Zero, specially-made documentary videos, SEL discussion questions and extra writing lessons.

**Στο τέλος των ομιλιών θα γίνει κλήρωση δύο Bluetooth speakers**

## ROOM AFRODITI

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

**12:00** | **12:25** | **Express Publishing**

**Athena Apotsi**, ELT Educational Consultant, Express Publishing

**From Pages to Projects: How Coursebooks and Classroom Practices Build School Reputation**

Soft skills that show. Projects. Debates. STEAM. Values. Smart fun. Lessons students and parents remember. In today's competitive educational landscape, what happens in the classroom matters more than ever. Discover ready-to-use teaching ideas, already embedded in our coursebooks, that work wonders with your students and turn everyday lessons into a competitive advantage. Teaching that shapes students and helps your school stand out is the only marketing plan you need.

## ROOM AFRODITI

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

**12:30** **12:55** **Express Publishing**

**Mark Osborne**, Materials Developer, Express Publishing

### Reading & Writing Skills (A1, A2 & B1): Using the very best in modern classroom practice

A fresh, stimulating approach to reading & writing skills and vocabulary development.

Discover how learners explore topics through various text types and build up their confidence as they acquire the key skills needed to read and communicate clearly in written English.

## ROOM ERATO

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

**12:30** **12:55** **MM Publications**

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### Cool Team: Learn, Play, Succeed Together

A fresh, stimulating approach to reading & writing skills and vocabulary development.

Welcome to an English series that turns every lesson into an exciting journey. With fresh, innovative methods, students explore, experiment, and grow with confidence. Activities encourage risk-taking, where mistakes are part of the fun, helping learners build real skills, confidence, and a lasting love for English.

## ROOM AFRODITI

### FEATURED PRESENTATION

**13:00** **13:45** **Αμαλία Γεωργέλου**, Founder and Director of Studies at Dyslexia Friendly ELS  
**Γεράσιμος Ρούσσος**, Επιστημονικός Υπεύθυνος του Διεπιστημονικού Κέντρου «ΑΝΑΠΤΥΞΗ & ΕΚΠΑΙΔΕΥΣΗ»

### Δύο διαφορετικοί χώροι. Ένα παιδί στο κέντρο.

Μιλάμε για το πώς ένα Κέντρο Ειδικής Αγωγής και ένα Κέντρο Ξένων Γλωσσών μπορούν να συνεργαστούν για να στηρίξουν παιδιά με μαθησιακές δυσκολίες, χωρίς μπερδέματα, χωρίς υποσχέσεις που δεν γίνονται πράξη.

Απαντάμε στις δικές σας ερωτήσεις και μιλάμε για:

- το ποιος κάνει τι, •το πώς βοηθά ο ένας τον άλλον, •το πώς δίνουμε στο παιδί σταθερότητα και όχι πίεση και •το πώς μιλάμε με τον γονέα με μία φωνή

## ROOM AFRODITI

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

**13:50** **14:15** **Global ELT & Macmillan Education**

**Andrew Betsis**, Global ELT & Macmillan Education

#### **The Changing Landscape of English Language Assessment**

ELT Exams now serve different life pathways, not just “proving level”. How to Recommend the Right Exam for the Right Learner. And why.

## ROOM ERATO

### PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATION

**13:50** **14:15** Ahead Books

**Chris Kostas**, Head of International Business and Marketing, Ahead Books

#### **Gamification and how it can improve the teaching process of young learners!**

In our modern world, Gamification is a driving force behind keeping students engaged in the learning process. When there is no engagement happening in a classroom essentially there is No learning happening. Winning the attention of learners is the hardest thing to do and traditional methods of education no longer work because they are designed for students to be fundamentally passive. Together, using Gamified Learning activities with Digital Platforms, Educational Games, AI tools and STEAM projects, we will explore how teachers will face the challenges of create engagement, improve retention of language and make learning almost an addictive experience as to keep students focused and motivated

## ROOM AFRODITI

### FEATURED PRESENTATION

**14:20** **15:20** **Hara Papadokostaki**, Teacher and FLS Owner

#### **The Wall of Reality**

This interactive session is built directly on your voice.

Your responses during online registration have shaped the structure, focus, and direction of this discussion.

Rather than delivering predefined theory, this session addresses the realities you highlighted and brings them to the centre of the conversation. Together, we will examine the most pressing classroom challenges, unpack their underlying causes, and explore practical, field-tested approaches that can be implemented immediately. It is a session designed from your challenges, and for them.

# EXHIBITORS

## **Ahead Books**

Σεβρών 3 121 33 Περιστέρι - 210 5740892

## **AI EdWiBo**

Αναλήψεως 16, 383 33, Βόλος - 2114441674

## **Andrew Betsis**

Πύργου 31, 185 42 Πειραιάς - 210 4118894

## **Archer Editions**

Λεωφ. Αγίου Δημητρίου 19, 173 43, Αγ. Δημήτριος- 210 5561920

## **Best Educational Services & Assessment**

Σανταρόζα 1, 105 64 Αθήνα - 210 3241183

## **Binary Logic**

Ρόδων 8 174 56 Άλιμος - 215 5507928

## **Burlington Books**

Παπαστράτου 12, 185 45 Πειραιάς - 210 9767888

## **ELT NEWS**

Αγ.Γεωργίου 74, 154 51 Νέο Ψυχικό - 210 6712991

## **ESOLNET Hellas**

Πραξιτέλους 131, 185 32, Πειραιάς - 211 4115397

## **Express Publishing**

Μακμίλλαν 3-5, 111 44 Αθήνα - 210 2120800

## **Hamilton House Publishers**

Νυμφών 7, 16672, Βάρη - 210 9626166

## **Macmillan Greece**

Πύργου 31, 185 42 Πειραιάς - 210 4118894

## **MM Publications**

Λακωνίας 20, 174 56 Άλιμος - 215 5507928

## **Oxford University Press**

Τσαλαβούτα 3, 121 31 Περιστέρι - 210 8055330

## **Supercourse Publishing**

Λαοδικίας 1, 591 00 Βέροια - 23310 73777

## **Webooks.gr**

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