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# Keeping Up With Today's Learner

## CONFERENCE SCHEDULE



April 29

10:00–10:30 Registration

10:30–10:40 **Conference opening speech** LTC Margot Künnapuu

10:40–11:25 **Piret Kärtner** Estonian Ministry of Education and Research  
**Developing Learner Independence - the Challenge of Teachers of the 21st Century**

11:25–11:55 **Anita Jaunzeme** Latvian National Armed Forces Language School  
**Ideas on Enhancing Student's Writing Skills**

11:55–12:40 LUNCH

12:40–13:10 **Baiba Kačanova** Latvian National Armed Forces Language School  
**Semantic Field Theory in Teaching Vocabulary in English**

13:10–13:40 **Inga Katinaite** Lithuanian Military Academy  
**The Effectiveness of the Usage of Up-to-date Authentic Material**

13:40–14:10 **Triinu Soomere, Katri Sirkel** Estonian National Defence College  
**M-learning: Individual, Customisable, Ubiquitous**

14:10–14:40 **Märt Kirik** Estonian Aviation College  
**The Modern Teaching Team**

14:40–15:00 COFFEE BREAK

15:00–15:30 **Anne Linda Løhre** Royal Norwegian Naval Academy  
**Why are Self-Directed Learning and Autonomy Particularly Useful in a Military Setting?**

15:30–16:00 **Maia Boltovsky** Estonian National Defence College  
**Reflection as a Tool of Supporting Conscious Learning**

18:00 FORMAL DINNER for speakers and organisers of the conference

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April 30

09:00–09:30 **Nelliija Eglite** Latvian National Armed Forces Language School  
**Movement in Language Acquisition**

09:30–10:00 **Aigi Piirimees** Estonian National Defence College  
**Is There a New Generation Coming to University that Educators Have to Approach in a New Way? - Review of Literature**

10:00–10:30 **Ülle Türk** Estonian National Defence College  
**Using Formative Assessment to Motivate Learners**

10:30–10:50 COFFEE BREAK

10:50–11:20 **Vita Valdmane** Latvian Ministry of Environment and Regional Development  
**Power and Control Issues Inside and Outside the Classroom**

11:20–12:45 **Panel discussion – cooperation between language centres/ joint projects**

12:45–12:55 **Closing speech** COL Martin Herem

12:55–13:30 LUNCH

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