



# ECNAIS

European Council of National Associations of Independent Schools

To the members of the Management Committee of ECNAIS  
and other interested persons.

**date: The Hague, 15 September 2017**

**conc: ECNAIS Seminar/MCM in Prague, Czech Republic on 23-25 November 2017**

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

We officially invite you, representatives of the member associations of ECNAIS, board members/ headmasters/ teachers of your own organization and other interested persons, to attend the ECNAIS Seminar / MCM in Prague, Czech Republic on 23-25 November 2017

This year the Seminar has been organized in good cooperation with our ECNAIS member in the Czech Republic, SSSČMS, which wants to make your stay in Prague a special one.

The theme of the Seminar is :

**Inclusion in education.**  
**The role of independent schools in organizing inclusive and equal education  
for all learners**

### **Seminar venue and programme**

The seminar will take place in Prague, Czech Republic on

23-25 November 2017  
[Vienna House Diplomat Prague](#),  
Evropská 15,  
160 41 Prague.

The detailed seminar programme is attached to this letter.

To prepare yourself for the seminar you will receive in due time an overview of the questionnaires on the theme, prepared by representatives from Czech Republic, Bulgaria, Finland, Portugal, Greece and The Netherlands.

### **Management Committee Meeting**

The MCM is scheduled on Saturday 25 November 2017, 9:00 till 14:00 (open for members only). As agreed in the AGM/MCM in Rome we will have an extended meeting which gives us more time to talk about ECNAIS plans for the near future.

### **Cultural evening**

On invitation of our host, SSSČMS, you are invited to attend an optional cultural event on Wednesday evening, 22 November 2017, with music and dance performance of the students of Czech independent schools, venue: Sacre Coeur, Holečkova 31, Praha 5,  
<http://sacrecoeur.cz/english.html>

If you want to attend, please let us know on the registration form. Transport to this event is not provided for by ECNAIS/ SSSČMS.

### **Registration before 20 October 2017**

Registration can only be done online through <http://www.ecnais.org/event-registration>



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It is very important that we receive your registration as soon as possible and in any case **before 20 October 2017**, as we have to inform the hotel in time how many rooms we need. After this date we can't guarantee hotel accommodation.

**Please spread this invitation to whom it may concern**

We ask you to make sure that this invitation letter with annexes is circulated in your association and in your wider network. Please publish the letter and programme on your website and/ or in your newsletter.

It is important for our Czech colleagues and ECNAIS' role as a European council of national associations that a variety of substantial national delegations is represented at the seminar.

We are looking forward to meeting you at the Seminar in Prague.

We will inform you about practicalities such as information about how to travel from the airport to the hotel at a later stage.

Kind regards,  
on behalf of the Executive Committee

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chairman ECNAIS