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International project "Aliisa" (All in - International Inclusive Society in the Arts)
Final Conference

**INCLUSIVE ART EDUCATION – ACCESSIBILITY OF ART AND
CULTURE FOR ALL**

APRIL 21, 2023

Room 418, Vytauto 84 str.
Šiauliai, Lithuania

The aim of the conference is to deepen theoretical knowledge, professional and special competences, values and practical abilities in developing the expression of inclusive artistic education in the pedagogical process

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PROGRAM

OPENING of the CONFERENCE	
9.15–9.30	Registration
9.30–9.50	Opening Ceremony of the Conference and Welcome Speech VU ŠA Director prof. dr. Renata Bilbokaitė; Director of the Institute of Education prof. dr. Daiva Malinauskienė; Member of the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania dr. Stasys Tumėnas; The representative of Šiauliai City Municipality.
9.50 – 10.00	Musical greeting of students of Šiauliai "Ringuva" school Leader – teacher Laima Kulšytė
IST PLENARY SESSION	
Moderators: prof. dr. Diana Strakšienė, doc. dr. Edita Musneckienė	
10.00 – 10.20	The Development of International Inclusive Society in the Arts: „Aliisa“ project results, research, practice Prof. dr. Diana Strakšienė, doc. dr. E. Musneckienė (<i>Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy, Lithuania</i>)
10.20 – 10.35	Towards Inclusive Education: challenges, national programs and support for schools Lina Garbenčiūtė (<i>VU Equal Opportunities Coordinator at Vilnius University; Disability Organization Forum Project Manager; Millennium School Program Coordinator for Inclusive Education</i>)
10.35 – 10.55	Effects of using shadow theater on children with developmental disabilities. Encouraging involvement in educational activities. Juventa Mudėnienė (<i>Lecturer at Faculty of Pedagogy, Department of Education, Vilnius College</i>)
10.55 – 11.15	Reflection of the international project Aliisa practical training: intercultural experience Stanislava Rusevičienė (<i>Teacher methodologist at Šiauliai Arts School</i>)
11.15 – 11.35	Developing the artistic abilities of children with individual needs in the context of inclusive education Laima Kulšytė (<i>Music teacher-methodologist at „Ringuva“ School in Šiauliai</i>)
11.35 – 12.00	COFFEE BREAK
IInd PLENARY SESSION – Dissemination of Good Practices	
Moderators: prof. dr. Diana Strakšienė, doc. dr. Edita Musneckienė	
12.00 – 12.15	Opportunities of Inclusive Arts Education at the Day center „Goda“ Danutė Akaveckienė (<i>Director of Šiauliai Municipal Care Home</i>) Justina Pinčiauskaitė (<i>Chief Social Worker of Šiauliai Municipal Care Home</i>)
12.15 – 13.45	National "Color Music" orchestra – practical seminar Viktorija Vitaitė (<i>Chair of the Lithuanian Special Creative Society "Gubojas"</i>); Participants of the National "Color Music" Orchestra: chief. conductor Natalija Pugačienė (<i>leader of the Color Orchestra of Šiauliai Municipal Care Home Day Center "Goda"</i>), clarinetist Karolis Pratkus, singer Vaida Butautaitė-Sankovskaja
13.45 – 14.00	COFFEE BREAK
14.00 – 16.00	Practical applicability of Music Therapy – seminar (workshop) Doc. dr. Mirdza Peipare, Olga Blauzde (<i>Liepaja University, Latvia</i>)
16.00 – 16.15	Closing of the Conference