

**Title:** Using Dialogue to Connect Learning

**Project type** : SOCRATES / COMENIUS 2.1 - pilot project

**Ref. no.:** 118155-CP-1-2004-UK-COMENIUS-C21

**Promoter/coordinator:** Stranmillis University College, Belfast, UK

**Duration:** 3 years

**Actual stage:** finalised, with the Final Report under the evaluation of the European Commission

Total value of the Contract: **499727 Euros**

Total value for the University of **58641 Euros**

**Summary:**

The focus of this project is on the use of dialogue and collaboration to construct knowledge and learning.

This project adopts a social constructivist view of learning which places language at the heart of the learning process.

Stories will be used to provide a realistic everyday context for thinking and action. Pupils will be encouraged to share their own experiences and to learn from those of others.

**Partnership:**

1. Universitatea din Pitesti – RO
2. ANTONIO SERRAPIO TEACHERS CENTER – PT

3. University of Cyprus – CY
4. University of Umeå, Sweden – SE
5. N. Zahle's College of Education – DK
6. In-Service Centre for Teacher Education – IE
7. University College Worcester – UK
8. The National Education Institute – SI
9. Educational Regional Research Institute - IT