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Ingredients for the next

Languages:

Dansk
Deutsch
English
Español
Euskera
Gàidhlig
Nederlands
Română

Milestones and Deliveries in the project July 2003 - September 2003



Kent Andersen demonstrating the BP-BLTM results at EuroCall 2003 in Limerick



The BP-BLTM T-shirts were very visible during the EuroCall conference and ensured many contacts





The BP-BLTM members, Klaus Leonhardt, Frans van Schaik, and Kent Andersen enjoyed demonstrating the project results in front of such a fine audience. After the presentation DVDs and CD-Roms were handed out

S ince the last project newsletter in July the BP-BLTM project has produced a number of outputs to be used and tested by colleagues all over the world:

A Student Guide i.e. an International Work Placement Preparation Guide. The guide, which was produced by the Dutch team, is a self-explorative guide with tasks, hints, suggestions and recommendations for secondary (vocational) education students.

The German, Romanian and Spanish teams have adapted and translated the guide for use in those languages.

We are in the process of finding the last photos for the guide, but if you want the guide now without photos it is available in English, German, Romanian, and Spanish by emailing ka@ots.dk

The final guides with photos and illustrations will soon be available for download from this address:

http://www.languages.dk/
methods/materials.html

The DVD Demonstrating how to use Computer Assisted Language Learning In Context can now be ordered by e-mailing ka@ots.dk another option is to meet the project teams at the EfVET conference in Cardiff where the DVD will be handed out. The DVD and CD-ROM images can alsobe downloaded for reproduction from these addresses:

www.bpbltm.uhi.ac.uk/ and
www.bpbltm.uhi.ac.uk/video





Computer Assisted Language Learning In Context, DONE

Student travel quide, DONE

Task Based Teaching: The final production is going on right now



The international work placement preparation guide for students



The printing of the CD-ROMs is at the moment done "manually" using a specialized printer for the purpose - and a lot of space.



A flipover used in the lessons that were video recorded for the next DVD



One of the units on the next DVD will be a scene where you can test the dialogue and vocabulary you have learned from watching the lesson based on "task" based learning"

t the moment the project teams are translating the manual describing "Task Based Teaching "into German, Romanian, and Spanish.

The English manual can now with classes without the be downloaded in .pdf format here:

www.languages.dk/methods/ documents/tblbasque_02.pdf

The exercises for task based learning can be downloaded in English and Dutch from this address: http://www.languages.dk/ methods/materials.html

The exercises for the six other project languages are being adapted and will out 40 DVDs, 70 CD-ROMs, be online from the same address soon (if not already when you read this).

In the last week of September we finished the video recordings in San Sebastian demonstrating how to use Task Based Learning in a class of real beginners of the Basque language.

The class was a group of Mexican and Spanish students in a technical college, specializing in the food and restaurant industry and tourism.

As soon as the videos have been edited they will be placed on a DVD as two units. Each unit will have subtitles in English, German, Romanian, and Spanish.

Unit A will show the class at work with an English commentary on the lesson.

Unit B shows a scene from a real Basque bar which can be used to reproduce the content of the lesson acces to tortillas and "ardoa", i.e. red wine;-)

To have a pre-look at the video, please visit the project website, where a sample version in streaming format is planned to be online before mid-October.

Dissemination

At the EuroCall conference in Limerick in September the project team handed and a total of 200 brochures (the last one was handed out in the airport).



A EuroCall recipient of the DVD and CD-ROM

You can meet the project team members at the EfVET conference in Cardiff, Wales, October 22nd -25th. The project results; Guides, manuals, DVD and materials will be demonstrated with free hand-outs.

