

EMI Oxford Course for University Teachers

14 - 27 August 2016



Welcome to EMI Oxford

There is an accelerating worldwide movement to English being the medium of instruction (EMI) for academic subjects at universities. Subjects such as science, IT, mathematics, geography, medicine are being taught at undergraduate and graduate level through EMI.

At Oxford University Department of Education (OUDE) we have established EMI Oxford, a Centre for Research and Development on English Medium Instruction. Our aim is to help and support teachers who teach or are going to teach in English. On our course for university lecturers, you will become aware of the issues involved in

teaching at university level through English and have time to prepare and practise parts of your own lectures.

We hope to be able to welcome you on our EMI course this summer at the Department of Education. As our courses are built on research evidence, we are also pleased to co-operate on educational research and development projects.

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Our 2-week EMI course for university lecturers takes place from 14th- 27th August 2016.

This course is taught by highly experienced staff at Oxford University Department of Education. This course is for you if you wish to:

- ❖ Practise teaching and lecturing through EMI
- ❖ Update your English language skills
- ❖ Explore the theory behind English Medium Instruction
- ❖ Share practical teaching and lecturing skills

We will adapt the course to the participants after we have discussed any special requirements with you. You may bring your lessons and lecture materials with you to work on them.

Level: This course is for academics who have varying experience in the classroom and teach or are going to teach through EMI. You should have an intermediate level in English to participate. You need to be able to understand but you do not have to speak perfect English as you will learn more English in Oxford!

Price: £1700 GBP per participant for 2-week course

This price includes:

- EMI course Monday to Friday
- EMI Oxford Teachers course completion Certificate.

Accommodation is not included & can be arranged in an Oxford College or hotel. The price of accommodation is £1350 for 13 nights.

Arrival: Sunday. Heathrow Airport, London

Weekend: free time

Departure: Saturday

To enrol, please contact: Julie.dearden@education.ox.ac.uk

We look forward to welcoming you to Oxford University!

Week 1	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning 9.30-10.45	ARRIVAL DAY You can take a public coach from Heathrow Airport or Gatwick Airport to Oxford	<i>Conceptualising EMI</i> Professor Ernesto Macaro, (Director of EMI Oxford) Official welcome Julie Dearden, (Senior Research and Development Fellow in EMI) Introduction to programme and intro to Oxford. EMI contexts	<i>EMI: a more interactive pedagogy</i> Interactivity- what does it mean? Observation, comparison and analysis of lectures	<i>Subject-specific issues</i> Maths and Language The structure of pedagogical interaction and the influence on students' learning and behaviour.	<i>Making lectures, lessons comprehensible</i> Codeswitching in EMI- What place does our native language have in EMI? Which language/s should we speak in an EMI classroom?	The transition from school to university	Free weekend You might like to look round Oxford. It is also easy to travel to Bicester Village, Blenheim Palace, Bath, Windsor by bus or train from Oxford.
11-12.30		Setting the background of bilingual education	English as a global language	Science and language AWL/ subject-specific/ and classroom language in EMI lectures and lessons	Brief interactive tasks	Academic writing in EMI settings	
Afternoon 2pm- 4.30pm	Please come to OUDE, 15 Norham Gardens OX2 6PY on Monday morning at 9.30 am. We will meet you at Reception.	Teaching through EMI Group work and plenary discussion Observation 1: discussion and create an observation schedule Observe a lecture	Starting to change the way we teach Lectures: Modifying teacher input to make our lectures more comprehensible Practise with own text from own lecture. Introduction and organizing of micro-teaching sessions	Technical and academic vocabulary Classroom language vocabulary Micro-teaching sessions	Micro-teaching sessions	Micro-teaching sessions Improving our teaching slides Language to use in a lecture , presenting slides. Slides for your lectures.	

Week 2	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning 9.30-10.45	Free weekend You may like to go to London or see more of Oxford. We can help you plan your time.	<i>Presenting and explaining</i> Interaction between teachers and students in EMI classrooms using Science as an example What makes a good explanation?	<i>Working collaboratively.</i> Observation – the importance of observation in an EMI context.	<i>Assessment</i> Assessment in EMI schools and universities	<i>Integration</i> Integrating international students What happens at an institutional level to integrate international students?	Micro-teaching	Departure. We can help you to organise your transport to the airport.
11.-12.30	You can see Buckingham Palace Trafalgar Square National Gallery	Teaching large groups in EMI. Skills for teaching large groups of students and keeping them motivated.	Supervisions in English	Assessment Why we should know the level of our students' English	Integration at classroom level	Micro-teaching	
Lunch	Buy lunch	Lunch at OUDE					
Afternoon 2pm- 4.30pm	Big Ben Houses of Parliament Globe Theatre	Making an impact in the classroom	Giving Feedback Ways of giving non-verbal and verbal feedback	Second round of micro-teaching sessions Micro-teaching	Second round of micro-teaching sessions Micro-teaching	EMI Lecture checklist EMI Oxford Teachers Certificates Farewell Wine reception	
Dinner	Buy dinner						Buy dinner

This is an example of some of the topics that can be included in your course. We will write the final programme to fit your requirements after we have received more information about your needs. Please give us as much information as possible about your teaching situation so that we can tailor your course to you.