

2020

NILE MA in Professional Development for Language Education... for the second time in Buenos Aires



What is NILE's MA?

The **NILE MA in Professional Development for Language Education (MAPDLE)**, validated by the University of Chichester, is a flexibly delivered, modular postgraduate programme for professionals involved in ELT, or in other sectors of language education, who wish to develop their specialist skills and build a top-flight career.

It is a comprehensive Master's programme, providing in-depth and state-of-the-art coverage of the key areas of language education, whilst also providing an extensive choice of specialist elective modules to help you develop within your own particular areas of interest.

NILE has **over 20 years' experience** in delivering teacher development programmes worldwide.



February 2020



First module taught at the AEXALEVI premises
Paraguay 1935 – CABA

Entry Requirements

- ▶ Normal entry qualifications for a professional course at postgraduate level (first degree or equivalent)
- ▶ At least two years of relevant teaching experience.
- ▶ Participants are expected to have a level of English which allows them to function in an academic setting such as the one offered in this module.

Which module will be delivered in Buenos Aires February 2020?

The 60-credit core module, Language Teaching Methodology, which involves 75 hours of taught sessions followed by a six-month, tutor-supported assignment writing period at distance. Future modules can be taken online, in the UK, or in Buenos Aires in subsequent years.

Aims

This is an introductory module on the programme, aimed at broaching and developing key themes in language teaching in three broad areas: learning, language and teaching. A second and very important aim is to acquaint participants with basic research methods, especially those relating to classroom investigation and action research, and also with the conventions and requirements of assignment writing at postgraduate level. **Module credits: 60**

Mode of delivery

Blended mode with one NILE trainer tutoring on Views of Learning and Views of Teaching strands plus Classroom Investigation and Academic Writing in 50 hours over 8 days, Monday Feb 3 2020 -Tuesday Feb 11 2020 at AEXALEVI in Buenos Aires, followed by a second NILE trainer tutoring on Views of Language in 25 hours over 3 weeks on the NILE Online.

Who will the tutors be?

The tutor team will be made up from two of the following four:

Simon Smith <https://www.nile-elt.com/ourpeople/profiles/simonsmith/104>

Thom Kiddle <https://www.nile-elt.com/ourpeople/profiles/thomkiddle/76>

Carole Robinson <https://www.nile-elt.com/ourpeople/profiles/carolerobinson/84>

Jason Skeet <https://www.nile-elt.com/ourpeople/profiles/jasonskeet/363>

How much does the Core Module cost?

Three equal payments of **USD 1085** payable as follows:

- 1 Instalment on enrolment
- 2 Mid-course
- 3 At the end of the course, which lasts 6 months in total

NILE accepts credit card, TransferMate (by credit card in Argentinian pesos) and PayPal

How many modules are there in the full MA?

After the 60-credit core module, you need to take two 30-credit elective modules and the 60-credit dissertation module. Recognition of Prior Learning exempts some candidates from some modules. Please enquire.

For more information on The NILE MA, you can visit
www.nile-elt.com/ma-programme

If you wish to enrol, please contact
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