



## How can LLL help facing the challenges of the new Decade?

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EUCEN next conference in May in collaboration with the University of Lapland intends to explore ways in which Lifelong Learning can assist facing the challenges of the 2010-2020 decade. Can we help to minimise the effects of the current economic crisis? Can we assist to reduce costs without sacrificing quality and excellence?

The three **keynote speakers** of this conference will guide participants to the event through the above questions. They are:

- Rita ASPLUND (Research Institute of the Finnish Economy) - *"Facing the New Decade: is there a role for LLL?"*
- Géza FISCHL (Lulea University of Technology, SE) - *"Restorative Education Environments"*

- Minna Takala (Nokia) - *"Learning all life long. Enhancing dynamic capabilities with social mediators and social media"*

Alongside the conference, the programme includes a **Finish Study Visit** where participants will learn more about the region of Lapland and also about the Finnish Higher Education System. A visit to the Arctic Centre and to the Rovala Folk High School will give participants

great insights.

And when the work in the **Parallel Sessions** and **Workshops** is over... Do not miss the opportunity to experience the Finnish Polar Days (will be almost midnight sun) and to visit the immense Finnish forests...

**Registration and hotel booking is available on-line.**

***We look forward to seeing you there!***



University of Lapland in winter  
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The Arctic Centre and Arjistikum is one of the visits programmed for the conference Study Visit.

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