

# FOURTH ASSEMBLY

## Educateurs sans Frontières

Montessori Education for Social Change:  
Sustainable Initiatives — Innovative Solutions

6 – 20 July, 2014

Inpawa Hotel Ban Phai, Khon Kaen, Thailand



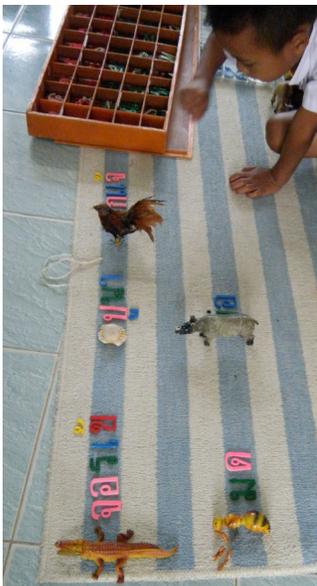
You may have been working with children applying Montessori principles for many years and had many enriching experiences which you would like to implement beyond the classroom.

You may be enthused by Montessori's ideas on social change and feel that you have a role to play in bringing about change in the lives of more children, and children living in different, and sometimes difficult, circumstances.

You may be working with socially deprived children and have reached a stage where you need new inspiration and interaction to take your work to the next level.

Or, perhaps you have a project in mind that is still a whirl of nebulous particles waiting to be formed into a practical reality.

Whichever it is ... you can be part of a life-changing experience by spending two weeks at the Educateurs sans Frontières Assembly, in Khon Kaen, Thailand. This summer AMI is bringing together a group of people with vast and varied experiences in helping children to flourish in all kinds of communities by applying Montessori principles.



- Learn from and reflect with those who have trodden similar paths.
- Immerse yourself in thought and discussion.
- Take time out so that ideas can start to crystallize.
- Make time for new paths to start to emerge.

*There has never been a time when making a difference to all children's lives has been more urgent than now!  
Be the change you want to see, and join us in Thailand.*

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## Montessori Education for Social Change Sustainable Initiatives — Innovative Solutions

Week 1 “Guiding Principles—Sustainable Initiatives”

Week 2 “Resourceful Work—Innovative Solutions”

Experts in their field will lead each day and introduce their specific topic related to the overall theme of the EsF Assembly, Montessori Education for Social Change: Sustainable Initiatives—Innovative Solutions. Participants will be inspired by thought-provoking and stimulating ideas, and are invited to further their commitment and understanding through discussion and reading. We also invite participants to be active presenters themselves by bringing their own initiatives, experience and learning moments to their fellow EsF participants. Learn and Contribute!

Some of the experts come from the field of neuroscience, and children’s rights. Other specialists will demonstrate how principles of Montessori education can work with Indigenous peoples, communities in refugee situations, outreach projects in Thailand, people suffering from Alzheimers, or child-centred sustainable community development — in short, the many ways in which the Montessori principles of human development can be applied successfully in varied, and sometimes unexpected, situations.

Presenters and leaders include: Dr Adele Diamond (neuroscientist, Canada), Dr Priyanut Dharmapiya (outreach projects Thailand), Anne Kelly (Working with Alzheimers, Australia), Kay Boulden (Indigenous Peoples, Australia), Hillary Korir (Corner of Hope and Programme Delivery for the underserved, Kenya), Eve Annecke (Sustainability Institute, South Africa), and from AMI: Lynne Lawrence, Philip O’Brien and André Roberfroid, all with substantial experience in children’s rights over many years.

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Delegate Fee: USD 2100/EUR 1550 (single room)

USD 1865/EUR1400 (double room)

Fees are fully inclusive of programme costs, hotel room and all meals

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