



## Call for presentations

### ***2<sup>d</sup> Annual Conference of Claroline Users***

Escuela Técnica Superior de Ingenieros de Telecomunicación, Vigo (Spain), May, 23-25, 2007

#### **Goals**

The 2<sup>d</sup> Annual Conference of Claroline Users (ACCU) will take place at the Vigo University, Spain, May 23-25, 2007. It is aimed at creating an exchange and meeting place between users and developers coming from the Claroline community around the world. It will give everyone the opportunity to share its experience with the platform.

#### **Call for presentations**

Your contributions are awaited in order to start the discussions in the different workshops during the conference. You can illustrate one of the topics mentioned below by a presentation of your own experience of use or development of Claroline. The presentations should be about 45 minutes long and proposed either in English, Spanish or French.

Send your communication proposals to the ACCU Scientific committee **by March, 15** at the latest. The authors of the chosen communications will be informed of it by the end of March. They will have to send the final version of their presentation (text or slideshow) by May, 4.

#### **Topics**

- Discovering Claroline: presentation of the platform and its functionalities.
- Learning and teaching on line with Claroline: evolution of the roles of the trainers and learners.
- Installation, configuration and administration of Claroline.
- Uses of Claroline in support of a front teaching: feedbacks.
- Uses of Claroline in a distance teaching: feedbacks. Building of a distance teaching.
- Sharing teaching resources: possibilities of import/export of teaching resources (SCORM, IMS ...). Compatible authoring systems.
- Uses and appropriation of Claroline by the teachers: how does Claroline contribute to the development of the teaching innovation in the institutions?
- Implementation, integration and personalization of Claroline: technical possibilities and strategies of implementation in an institution.
- Use of Claroline in another context than training: accompaniment and development of projects. Collective work.
- Uses of Claroline in companies. Competence management. Customer assistance. Integration into companies' portals.

- Terminology and translations in Claroline: clarification and coherence of the terminology used. Functional possibilities and linguistic tools.
- Future developments: functionalities versus technology. Reflection on the integration of the new technological developments.
- Future developments: functionalities versus pedagogy. Reflection on the teaching evolution of the platform.
- User-friendliness versus development of new specificities and functionalities.
- Developments versus using contexts: developments carried out to bypass the limitations of Claroline. Additional functionalities developed in the using institutions due to specific needs.
- Development modes of Claroline: how to start a development for Claroline? Good practice and development charter. Contributions of the community.

### **Potential audience**

Addressing itself to various publics made up of confirmed users and future users, developers and trainers, administrators and training managers, e-learning experts and human resources managers or decision makers, the conference will alternate talks and workshops around the selected topics.

### **Scientific committee**

Composed of recognized members of the Claroline community and people involved in eLearning, the Scientific committee of the conference will be presided over by Marcel LEBRUN, lecturer at the Université Catholique de Louvain (Belgium), helped by Philippe MERCENIER, lecturer at the HE Léonard de Vinci - ECAM (Belgium) and Xosé Maria POUSADA CARBALLO, lecturer at the Universidade de Vigo (Spain).

### **Agenda**

- **From today:** Let us know if you intend to submit a presentation proposal.
- **March, 15:** Deadline for sending the presentation proposals (see application form).
- **March, 30:** Confirmation to the authors of the chosen presentations.
- **May, 4:** Deadline for receiving the final version of the presentations (text or slideshow) for publication in the conference CD-ROM.
- **May, 23-25:** Annual Conference of Claroline Users.

### **Practical information**

- **Presentation proposals:** Fill in the application form with a summary of your communication and send it by e-mail to [accu@claroline.net](mailto:accu@claroline.net), or by post to CERDECAM asbl – Presentation ACCU 07 – Rue du Tir, 14 – 1060 Bruxelles (Belgium).
- **Final version:** The authors of the chosen communications will receive the instructions to finalize the layout of their presentation.
- **Publication:** The presentations will be published on a CD-ROM (with an ISBN number) that will be distributed to the participants during the conference, and then put on the Claroline website.

### **Diffusion**

Feel free to forward this call for communication to the people that might be interested in.

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