

Dear International Schools and DISN members,

We are delighted to be able to offer school leaders, middle leaders, SEN chairs, councilors, wellbeing officers, inclusion chairs and co-ordinators a workshop day in Nyborg Thursday 26th October, 2023 with DEIJ (Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Justice) specialist, Dr Emily Meadows. Dr Meadows is an LGBTQ+ specialist working specifically with international schools. She will be in Nyborg to inspire us on DEIJ matters and policy for safe and including schools for all members of the community. You can read more about Emily Meadows on her website: <https://www.emilymeadows.org/>

The DISN Board hopes to see as many member schools as possible represented for valuable Professional Development and networking as well as our Annual General Meeting. We have requested an update from the Danish Private Schools' Association also. We would like to extend the invitation to this year's conference to other international school leaders in Denmark who are not part of our DISN network.

You will be provided with an agenda for the AGM by 10th October along with nominations for re-election/election for the DISN Board. One position is up for election as a member is stepping down. Should you wish to put forward candidates for the posts, please e-mail the Chair of the DISN Board, Johanne Skaanes-Allo (js@hhscole.dk) with candidate names and details by 1st October.

Tentative Programme for the day:

09.00-09.30	coffee/tea, networking
09.30	Welcome
09.3-11.00	Emily Meadows workshop 1: Privilege, Marginalisation & Intersectionality
11.10-12.30	Emily Meadows workshop 2: Addressing Common Myths & Misrepresentations around LGBTQ+ Equity and Belonging Work in International Schools
12.30-13.30	Lunch
13.30-14.45	Emily Meadows Workshop 3: Ethical Lenses for LGBTQ+ Decision-Making in International Education
15.00-16.00	DISN Members AGM (separate Agenda coming)
16.00	Thank you for today

Event Details:

Location:	Hotel Hesselet, Nyborg
Date:	Thursday 26 th October
Time:	09.00-16.00
Price:	950 DKK per participant for DISN member schools 1500 DKK per participant for non DISN member schools

Sign-up: <https://tilmeld.events/disn26okt23>

Deadline for signing up is Friday 6th October 2023.

We look forward to seeing you.

Best regards
The DISN Board

