

PROFILES - Last newsletter (No. 6)

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During the 2013-14 school-years we held the last PROFILES workshop. The finale was held in Berlin where teachers from all participant countries presented their modules and interesting topics.

Israeli teachers developed or adapted various new modules during this year, mostly related to Biology and Chemistry, e.g., "The color in nature", that deals with artificial food coloring; "Oil of live" which tries to answer whether olive oil is the best oil; "Breathing rolls" on fermentation, and another module that deals with dilemmas related to human organs trade. The modules were uploaded on the PROFILES Israel website for the use of all teachers who can integrate the modules in the curriculum as part of alternative assessment assignments.

Three teachers took part in the PROFILES conference that was held at the Free University of Berlin: Batya Lifshitz Goldreich, Adina Arbel and Sofia Leiderman. They presented posters, attended lectures on various topics in science teaching, participated in a Science-fair and met with other PROFILE teachers from other countries.



The following posters were presented by the three PROFILES teachers from Israel: