

Autobiography of Intercultural Encounters

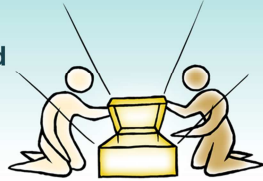


Module 4

Activity 3: The AIE's conceptualisation of skills

Skills of discovery and interaction

The ability to acquire new knowledge of a culture and cultural practices and the ability to operate knowledge, attitudes and skills under the restraints of real-time communication and interaction.



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Skills of interpreting and relating

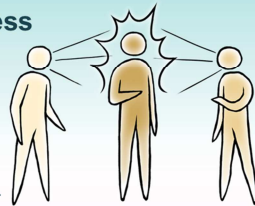
The ability to interpret a document or event from another culture, to explain it and relate it to documents or events from one's own culture.



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Communicative awareness

An ability to recognise different linguistic conventions, different verbal and non-verbal communication conventions – especially in a foreign language – and their effects on discourse processes, and to negotiate rules appropriate for intercultural communication.



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Behavioural flexibility

In interaction with others, behavioural flexibility is needed to adjust and adapt your behaviour to new situations and knowledge as they emerge.



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Critical cultural awareness

An ability to evaluate, critically and on the basis of explicit criteria, perspectives, practices and products in one's own and other cultures and countries.



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