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Mixed teaching activities, an added value for degree students and students with intellectual disabilities

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Welcome to our presentation.



Degree students part in ICLife project: activities 2018-2019

- **1.** Supporting inclusion and self-determination course in our UAS.
 - We figured out what kinds of things students with intellectual disabilities wanted to learn from us.
 - Examples of the topics that students have covered in 2018-2019
 - * English studies
 - * IT- skills
 - * Specific issues of disability (aging, challenging behavior, supporting the social network,



Introduction and meetings...

















Questions to Harri and Risto

- 1. What do you think, what is inclusion and selfdetermination?
- 2. What have you achieved/learned during ICLife?
- 3. Do you think people with disabilities are given enough consideration in Lapland UAS?



Question to Sirpa Niskala

Point of view by partner organisation:

How ICLife's activities have shown in your unit?



Thoughts of degree students

"Finding each individuals strengths in such a short time is very hard"

"Are we guiding the client's own desires or are we unconsciously leading them towards the generally accepted behaviour patterns in society?"

We learned planning and guiding skills together with teachers and students with intellectual disabilities.



Experiences about learning by students with intellectual disabilities

"The trust between group members has grown into deep confidence. We also support each other in bad times"

"We feel that it is important to belong to the ICLife group and to the Lapland UAS community. For example in the coffee break we feel that we are part of Lapland UAS community"

"Also we were part of the lectures with other students"

''Everyone's own strengths becomes more visible''



Experiences about learning by students with intellectual disabilities

Video



Thank you for attending!

Feel free to discuss, ask questions....



The Nordic Factor

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I'm fire. I'm ice. I'm a storm. I'm calm. I'm strong and sensitive. I have the Nordic Factor

