

# ABOUT US

AMI (Association Montessori Internationale) is the global legacy organisation founded by Maria Montessori in 1929, dedicated to promoting high-quality Montessori education worldwide. It serves as a hub for training and research, drawing on unparalleled archives and expertise to ensure the continued relevance and impact of Montessori's educational philosophy.



## OUR MISSION

We understand, articulate and aid the natural development of human beings throughout their lives, enabling them to contribute positively to society, leading to a more harmonious, peaceful and sustainable world through education.



# BECOMING AN AMI TRAINING ORGANISATION



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# WHY PARTNER WITH AMI?

## A Historically Renowned Global Community

AMI affiliated Training Centres make up a rich and vibrant global community offering AMI courses worldwide. The first Training Course was delivered by Maria Montessori in 1909 – soon after the first Training Centre was established in Barcelona, Spain and then in London, UK which is still running today. Since then, the AMI global network has expanded to over a hundred training organisations, with AMI courses offered in over 40 countries.



## High Quality Montessori Education

AMI courses are recognised world-wide for their rigour, depth and authenticity. As an AMI Training Centre, you will work closely with your local community to offer both AMI Certificate and Diploma Courses anchored in quality practice and Montessori principles.

## Sustainable Impact

The focus is on locally relevant and sustainable impact. AMI Affiliated Training Centres play a critical role in expanding AMI Montessori implementation and recognition at the local community level, nationally and internationally. AMI affiliated partners are expected to collaborate with other partner organisation and AMI representations within their territory and region. Once established, you will be supported by the AMI Head Office in Amsterdam as well as colleagues worldwide.



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# WHAT IS THE APPLICATION PROCESS?

The process to become an AMI affiliated Training Centre typically takes between six to eight months with specific dates for document submission. The AMI Pedagogy Team will support you throughout this process. Should the application process go well, organisations will be invited to offer one or more AMI Courses as an AMI Host Centre, prior to becoming a long-term partner and AMI affiliated Training Centre.



## Application Fee

- A non-refundable application fee of €75 is required to submit your application. This fee covers administrative processing and review by the AMI Pedagogy Team.
- If your organisation is invited to continue in the Feasibility Study process, additional fees will apply depending on the type of Training Organisation and the level of course proposed (up to €450). Details will be provided at that stage.

## Submission Blocks

- New Organisations - follow two set submission periods each year
- Existing AMI Partners - may submit applications at any time for an additional course type or new location.

Block	Submission Period	Review Period
1	Jan - Apr	May - Jun
2	Jul - Oct	Nov - Dec



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## CONTACT

No prerequisites or prior affiliation needed - all are welcome to apply. However, we encourage you to begin by conducting thorough research in your region and connecting with existing AMI-affiliated organisations to explore potential collaboration opportunities.

To formally begin the process, please:

- Complete the **Application Form**
- Submit it together with the €75 application fee

✉ Email completed applications to: [admin@montessori-ami.org](mailto:admin@montessori-ami.org)

🌐 More information and downloadable forms: [www.montessori-ami.org](http://www.montessori-ami.org)



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