

11 - 13 APRIL 2025

AMI AGM

VISION, VALUES AND VOICES



DELFT, NETHERLANDS

PROGRAMME & VENUES



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Held in Delft, Netherlands from 11–13 April 2025 AMI's Annual General Meeting provides a unique opportunity for collaboration, learning, and advancing our shared mission.

EVENT	LOCATION	DATES
OPTIONAL VISITS & TOURS	VARIOUS LOCATIONS/DATES - SEE PAGE 5	
REGISTRATION & RECEPTION DRINKS, SNACKS & OPENING ADDRESS	HOTEL ARSENAAL	FRIDAY, 11 APRIL
SATURDAY SESSIONS SPEAKERS, LUNCH AND DINNER	HOTEL ARSENAAL	SATURDAY, 12 APRIL
SUNDAY MORNING SESSIONS PARALLEL SPEAKER SESSIONS	THE MEISJESHUIS	SUNDAY, 13 APRIL
SUNDAY LUNCH WORLD CAFÉ CONCEPT & AMI TEAM CHATS	DELFT RESTAURANTS	SUNDAY, 13 APRIL
SUNDAY CLOSING EVENTS INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATIONS & CLOSING	PATHÉ CINEMA	SUNDAY, 13 APRIL

AGM VENUES



VENUE:
HOTEL ARSENAAL

Korte Geer 1
2611 CA Delft The Netherlands

The Arsenaal is one of Delft's icons and an essential element of the townscape. The literally picturesque and 'Vermeerian' (Johannes Vermeer) complex has cultural and historical value. No wonder it's listed as a National Monument. Over the centuries, the buildings have had many functions, inhabitants, and visitors.

Join us on Friday from 16:00 for registration, followed by the opening welcome reception from 17:00 – 19:00 with Alain Tschudin and Lynne Lawrence, including drinks and snacks. Opening keynote by Alain Tschudin on Education for Peace and Transformative Solidarity.

Saturday features international speakers from 9:00 - 17:00 including a buffet lunch at 12:30. After the day sessions conclude, we tour the International Montessori Institute and enjoy pre-drinks at Het Meisjeshuis, followed by dinner back at the hotel from 19:00 – 21:30.



VENUE:
HET MEISJESHUIS

Old Delft 112
2611 CG Delft The Netherlands

Het Meisjeshuis (Girls' House) is a monumental building in the historic centre of Delft. Formerly a girls orphanage, the current building dates from 1769 and houses the Society 'Het Meisjeshuis', Heritage House South Holland and the International Montessori Institute (IMI). Sunday sessions will be held in various rooms at this venue.

VENUE:
PATHÉ CINEMA

Vesteplein 5, 2611 WG Delft,
Netherlands

The final sessions on Sunday (14:00 – 16:15) will take place at the Pathé Cinema, featuring international presentations followed by closing remarks from Alain Tschudin and Lynne Lawrence.



OPTIONAL VISITS & TOURS



CURATED VISIT: **MARIA MONTESSORI STUDY**

Koninginneweg 161, Amsterdam

Strictly limited sessions and numbers so book early

€ 25,00 (coffee / tea included)

Wednesday, 9 April & Thursday, 10 April (times listed on registration form)

TOUR: **MARIA MONTESSORI GRAVE**

Coach from/return Delft
to Noordwijk Cemetery

Strictly limited sessions and numbers so book early

€ 35,00 (including coach transport)

Friday, 11 April (afternoon)

SCHOOL TOUR: **CASA BILINGUAL MONTESSORI SCHOOL**

Pijnacker

Separate registration: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/tour-of-casa-bilingual-montessori-school-for-agm-tickets-1256294654129?aff=oddtcreator>

€ 17,50 (including coach transport)

Friday, 11 April 09.30 – 11.00. Pick up from Delft Central Station at 08.45.

PROGRAMME

FRIDAY, 11 APRIL 2025

16:00 - 17:00

REGISTRATION

17:00 - 19:00

PRESIDENT'S PRESENTATION & RECEPTION

SATURDAY, 12 APRIL 2025

9:00

DOORS OPEN

9:30 - 11:00

PRESIDENT'S WELCOME, AGM & EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S ADDRESS

11:00 - 11:30

COFFEE BREAK

11:30 - 12:30

MONTESSORI AROUND THE WORLD

12:30 - 14:00

BUFFET LUNCH

14:00 - 15:00

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: SOLANGE DENERVAUD
VALUE OF ERRORS AS PART OF THE LEARNING PROCESS

15:00 - 15:30

COFFEE BREAK

15:30 - 17:00

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS: DELFINA PANDIANI: AI IN EDUCATION &
ALLAN NGUYEN: MONTESSORI AND AI

17:00 - 19:00

IMI TRAINING CENTRE TOUR (HET MEISJESHUIS)

17:30 - 19:00

DRINKS (HET MEISJESHUIS)

19:00 - 21:30

BUFFET DINNER



SUNDAY, 13 APRIL 2025

9:15 - 10:30 PARALLEL SESSIONS

IMI CENTRE

MIRKA VLCKOVA AND VITKUVIENE INDRE: CITIZEN OF THE WORLD

HEILTJE ROOM

LOUISE LIVINGSTON: RESEARCH IN THE CLASSROOM

IDA ROOM

SARAH KITELEJA: REIMAGINING GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS WITH A MONTESSORI APPROACH

IMI CENTRE

PATRICK OUDEJANS & ANNE BAVELAAR: MONTESSORI SPORTS

10:30 - 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00 - 12:00 PARALLEL SESSIONS

IDA ROOM

KOEN SCHAAP, ROGÉR DIJK, AND TINA BOOTH: ADOLESCENT RESEARCH

IMI CENTRE

BENJAMIN STAEHLI: MONTESSORI ARCHITECTURE

HEILTJE ROOM

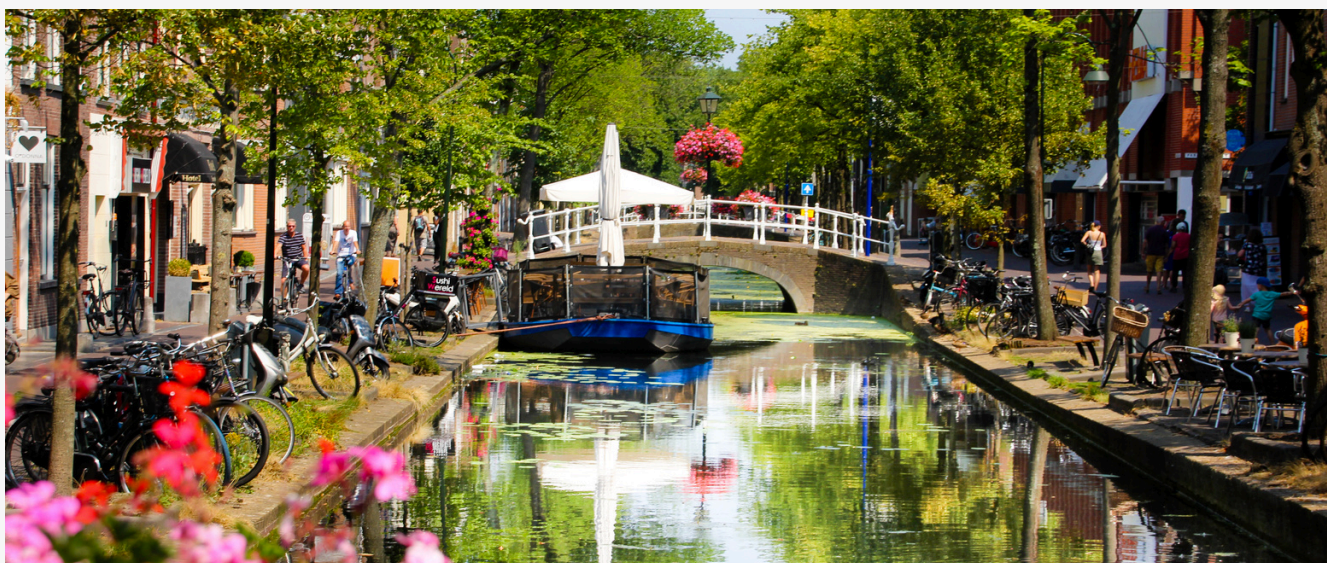
FAY HENDRIKSEN & FRANCESCAH KIPSOI: CORNER OF HOPE DEVELOPMENTS

IMI CENTRE

ANNE KELLY & CHRISTINE HARLAMB: MONTESSORI FOR DEMENTIA, DISABILITY & AGEING

IMI CENTRE 0-3

ANNE ELZERMAN AND MIRKA VLCKOVA: TRAINING CENTRE MEETING



SUNDAY, 13 APRIL 2025

12:00 - 13:45 WORLD CAFÉ LUNCH

WORLD CAFÉ CONCEPT: THIS INTERACTIVE LUNCH SESSION AROUND RESTAURANTS IN DELFT PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR ATTENDEES TO ENGAGE WITH REPRESENTATIVES FROM AMI'S THREE CORE PILLARS: CAPACITY, OUTREACH AND LEGACY, WHILE ENJOYING LOCAL CUISINE.

14:00 - 16:15 CLOSING EVENTS

PATHÉ CINEMA

ALE ROSAS & EDER CUEVAS: PRISON WORK IN MEXICO
INTERNATIONAL PRESENTATIONS FROM AROUND THE WORLD
CLOSING REMARKS FROM ALAIN TSCHUDIN AND LYNNE LAWRENCE



REGISTRATION FEE

Weekend Ticket €420.

Access to all event sessions on:

- Friday 11 April (evening reception)
- Saturday 12 April (including lunch and dinner)
- Sunday 13 April (morning and early afternoon programme)

Coffees, teas and biscuits provided throughout the event.

Registration also includes lunch and buffet dinner on Saturday.

Additional fees for optional visits and tours.

World Café (Sunday lunch) at your own expense.

**REGISTER NOW:
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