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The [Institut für Didaktik der Geographie](#) (The Institute for Geography Education) is a self-contained institute within the subject area of Geography/Geo-Sciences of the Johann Wolfgang Goethe University in Frankfurt am Main. Within the two-stage teacher training system in Germany (1st phase: university degree, 2nd phase: *Studienseminar*) the *Institut für Didaktik der Geographie* trains teachers for Primary, Secondary (KS 4) and Grammar Schools, as well as Special Schools in Geography and teaching methods. For many years CLIL has been a focal point in research and teaching. The institute took on the role of providing academic and scientific support to the MOBIDIC Project, together with the Chair of English and American Studies - MFL teaching and learning research of the University of Kassel.

In the three-year Comenius 2.2.c project, modules were developed, tested and scientifically evaluated, and these can be consulted as a basis for national as well as international teacher training courses. The *Institut für Didaktik der Geographie* is particularly keen on seeing more emphasis placed on the value and perspective of the content subject in the development of modules for CLIL in-service and initial teacher training than has been the case in university research to date, which has tended to be led by foreign language teaching methodology. The *Institut für Didaktik der Geographie* – within the MOBIDIC Project and elsewhere - would like to make a contribution to the development of an integrated teaching methodology for CLIL Geography. One of the foci of the MOBIDIC Project is to research to what extent cultural scripts can be transported via language. The content should be directly related to geographically relevant phenomena and be based on concrete examples.

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