

3-day WORKSHOP

FundaMental™ Tactile Learning



Kortrijk - Belgium, 23 – 25 march 2022

Our Danish colleagues Jens **Wilbrandt** and Lars **Røgilds** will present their developmental model FundaMental™ Tactile Learning during an interactive 3-day workshop next March. Jens and Lars are trained in the Feuerstein model and in related approaches; they have organized trainings on cognitive education and dynamic assessment since many years.

FundaMental™ Tactile Learning is a special approach of tactile cognitive training that, together with an original set of materials, gives educators, teachers and therapists a unique opportunity to explore, stimulate and remediate internal cognitive processes in children and young people. This tactile cognitive training differs from mere sensory stimulation in that it invites reflection on how tasks are approached. The method helps to bridge the gap between bottom-up processes (where knowledge, concepts and thinking emerge from sensory input) and top-down processes (where knowledge, concepts and thinking emerge from active processing information). The strength of this approach lies in the opportunities it offers to understand cognitive processes of the child and young persons from a tactile modality that is not often addressed. At the same time it helps to clarify how the child or young person can be supported in their development and learning.

The approach focuses on young children and on who is still in an early developmental stage. FundaMental™ Tactile Learning is a promising tool to be used in the therapeutic context of specific learning and developmental challenges, such as ADHD.

More information can be found on <http://www.dynamic-assessment.dk/courses-and-workshops/fundamental-tactile-learning> and on the introductory video on <https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=940204676749374>.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

The workshop will take place from **Wednesday 23/3 9u.30 to Friday 25/3 16u.00**

Venue: **Groep Ubuntu, 't Boerhof - Sint Denijseweg 71, B-8500 Kortrijk**

Fee: **€ 525,00** (including workshop, lunches, coffee, drinks) – the training kit with materials will be for sale by the trainers.

The number of participants is limited to 20. Registration will definitively be closed on 15 Febr. '22.

The working language is English.

Registration can be done by two actions, both are required:

1. **send an email message to CeSM00@hotmail.com** including the completed registration form (attached to this invitation).
2. **pay € 525,00 on the account of 'Gezin en handicap' BE 6078 9551 8964 70** referring to '*registration FTL*' + *your name*. In case a BIC number is requested for your international transfer, use : GKCCBEBB. An invoice will be sent, together with the confirmation of your registration.

Important: in case you wish to book a hotel room to stay overnight in Kortrijk, it may be important to do this soon, as many fairs are organized in the city.