



COLICO sponsorship for IAML International Conference

Dublin, 24th - 29th July 2011

Guidelines for applicants

COLICO (www.librarycouncil.ie/colico) co-ordinates, supports and monitors the Pathways to Learning Programme, including the Music PAL scheme.

The committee values the IAML International Conference (Dublin, 24-29th July 2011; www.iamldublin2011.info) as a development opportunity for the organisations participating in the Music PAL scheme across the island of Ireland. COLICO has agreed to sponsor two delegates to attend the event. **Applicants must be members of staff of organisations participating in the Music PAL scheme.**

The amount awarded will be at the discretion of COLICO. It is intended to contribute towards the cost of attendance at the IAML International Conference and might not cover the entire cost of attending.

Candidates should be able to demonstrate what benefits would be gained for them, their institution and the Music PAL scheme by attending the conference.

It would be expected that the applicant's institution will grant leave to attend the conference. A letter of institutional support should be submitted as part of the application.

Successful candidates must submit a report to the COLICO Secretary within four weeks of attending the conference. COLICO reserves the right to publish all or part of the report on the PAL website (www.library.ie/pal) and disseminate it through its information channels, including circulating it to members and interested parties.

Completed application form (see attached file) together with an email or scanned letter signed by the Head of Services of the applicant should be sent by email to the COLICO Secretary (email: dfagan@librarycouncil.ie) by **Tuesday 7th June 2011**. Applications will then be assessed by the PAL Implementation Team (PALIT), following which two winners will be selected. This will be ratified by COLICO before the successful applicants are informed. Winners will be announced before the end of June 2011.