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Jackie Kassteen, Director of *ICEF Monitor*, and expert on international education marketing and policy

Philip Kerr, teacher trainer and author of the *Inside Out* coursebook series and methodology title '*Translation and Own-Language Activities*'.

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