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YOUTH EXCHANGE PROJECT DRAMA - Dancing to Raise Awareness towards iMmigration

YOUTH EXCHANGE date: from June 14th to June 21st in Trento Italy.

Travel days MUST BE on June 13th and June 22nd Participants: all youths, participants and youth leaders

APV (Advance Plan Visit) date: May 3rd in Trento Italy.

Travel days MUST BE on May 2nd and May 4th Participants: only youth leaders from each country

Project details

Topic	Dance and immigration
Countries involved	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Italy- Germany- France- Cyprus
Participants and timeline	<p>25 young people aged between 18 and 25 from 4 different European countries:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- 7 Italians (5 participants, 2 youth leader)- 6 Germans (5 participants, 1 youth leader)- 6 Cypriots (5 participants, 1 youth leader)- 6 French (5 participants, 1 youth leader) <p>participants will take part in one youth exchange taking place in Italy in June 2017 while the youth leader will participate both in the youth exchange and APV in Italy (May 3rd)</p>

Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Foster the personal growth of the participants through non-formal educational experience allowing them to develop special skills and attitudes such as: work in groups, take responsibility, develop adaptability, flexibility.2. Get in touch with different cultures, encouraging dialogue and promoting mutual understanding3. Encourage reflection on the theme of immigration through the art form of dance. The participants involved in the project will build a show that will:<ol style="list-style-type: none">a) accompany them in the acquisition of a better awareness of themselves and their bodiesb) address complex issues like immigration, getting involved personally to capture feelings and experiences related to this issue, making them their own, in order to be returned to the public.c) stimulate reflection and raise public awareness about this issue4. Knowing people who work in associations that work in field of immigration at local level: they will explain the phenomenon of immigration in Italy and in Trentino, the the projects to enhance immigrants' social integration in the local community, the issues that are handled, the opportunity to meet people who have lived in first experience of immigration.5. Raising awareness of the European Union's Erasmus + program, in particular the value of youth exchange in terms of soft skills acquired through non-formal education projects
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<p>Activities during the YE in Italy</p>	<p><i>Participants will be involved in preparing a dance performance on the theme of immigration through a training program which will last approximately 7 days through this following structure:</i></p> <p>A. Deepening of the immigration and intercultural issue Participants will visit in the course of their experience some associations dealing with the issue of immigration. In this way, participants will be able to understand the Italian context, the politics and projects that are held to overcome problems related to migration, the methods of social and cultural inclusion adopted by the national and local community.</p> <p>Participants will have the opportunity to know people who have experienced first hand the phenomenon of migration. This will allow them to understand better what it means, their feelings and experiences, the challenges faced and achievements attained.</p> <p>Participants will be involved in group activities and role playings on intercultural topics that will lead them to reflect on the theme of "culture", "stereotypes and prejudices", "values", intercultural communication.</p> <p>B. Preparation of the show Every day (6 hours per/day) of the youth exchange will be dedicated to the preparation of the performance coordinated by ArteDanza school in Trento. ArteDanza will organise dance classes for the participants who will take part in the youth exchange in Italy. ArteDanza will also take care of the choreography and the creation of the show that will be performed during a local event of the city of Trento</p> <p>C. Performance of the show Participants will perform their own performance as part of a local event at the end of their experience of youth exchange</p> <p><u>Result of the youth exchange:</u> Creating a dance performance on immigration</p>
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II. Budget and procedure of reimbursement

Travel costs Up to 270 euros (round trip) for Cypriot participants

Any value which overcomes this amount will have to be covered by the participants

Youth leaders will have reimbursement also for the APV tickets (actual cost, up to the same amount of the YE)

Please note that InCo needs ORIGINAL TICKETS (train tickets, boarding passes etc..) in order to give the reimbursements: it is required by our NA, otherwise we cannot reimburse the costs. InCo will reimburse partners and not directly participants. For this reason InCo will ask to partners the documents (original tickets, invoices etc...) at the end of the youth exchange. Please note that you cannot buy any tickets before February 1st 2017, official start date of the project. Otherwise they cannot be refunded.

Accommodation, meals and activity costs during the APV and youth exchange will be covered by InCo for all the participants.