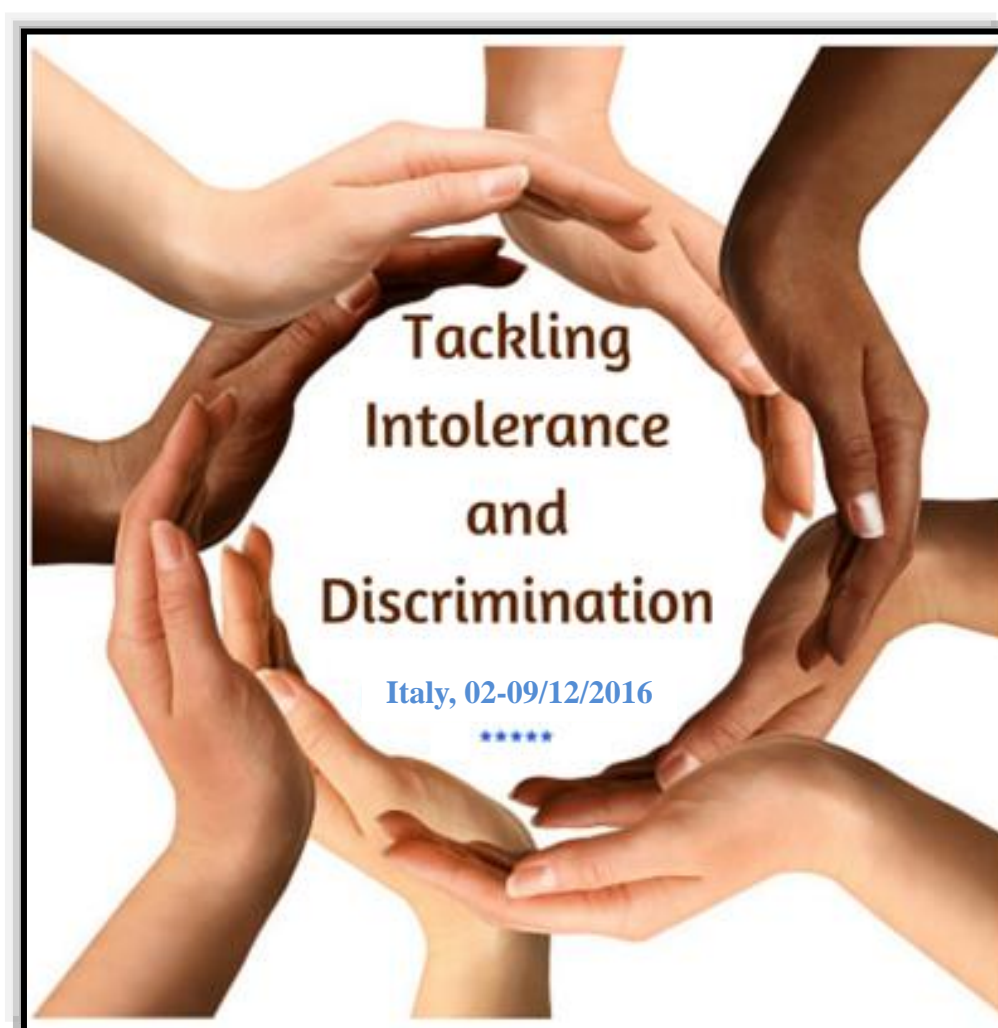


Training course

Tackling Intolerance and Discrimination: A Tool Box



ITALY, 02/12/2016 – 09/12/2016

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SUMMARY OF THE PROJECT

GIOVINAZZO, ITALY

02 – 09/12/2016

The project will gather representatives of youth centers and organizations working with youth from Italy, France, Denmark, The Netherlands, Sweden, Spain, Malta and Croatia. The activities will be hosted in Giovinazzo (Metropolitan area of Bari), Italy **from 02. to 09.12.2016.**

02^d December is arrival day, 09th December is departure day

The training course “**Tackling Intolerance and Discrimination: A Tool Box**” aims to provide youth leaders and educators with new ideas for workshops and training sessions in their work with marginalized young people facing discrimination in their community.

Nowadays discrimination takes many forms in modern Europe. People are discriminated for origin, their religion, sexual orientation, their skin colour, their gender, and even the school they visited and the district they live in. Discrimination often translates into fewer chances for personal development, weakened self-confidence and as a consequence into limited opportunities for employment. For these reasons, many civil society organizations work in the field of antidiscrimination by fostering tolerance and aiming to empower young people to overcome the societal stereotypes that hamper the personal freedom and right for self-development.

Along this line, the training course intends to share methods of anti-discrimination work with its participants in order to strengthen their daily work with young people. Workshops, simulation exercises, role plays and debates will be exercised with the participants to give them a learning experience and to explain them their strength and weaknesses. The participants will receive time to design own exercises based on the made experiences can be applied within their programme activities on local level or in international encounters.



PARTICIPANTS' PROFILE

To allow the training course, the participants would need to have the following profile:

- At least basic knowledge of the role of youth work in processes of social change;
- Knowledge of the situation of young people in the own country and of the specific work interest for establishing local or international movement/initiatives dedicated to anti-discrimination for and with young people to show and to let young people feel that on local level xenophobia, anti-semitism and any other prejudices can be tackled by them;
- Work experience as a project coordinator or manager in a NGO working with young people;
- Involved in management and planning processes within an NGO, a social initiative or a youth movement;
- Motivation to take part in a mutual learning process in a very intercultural setting;
- Good level of English to follow the course and to contribute to it;
- Wish and ability to participate fully in the event and be able to live and work in intercultural and international environment.

SOF ITALY will be hosting organization for 28 participants as following in table:

Country	Number of participants
ITALY	7
France	3
Netherlands	3
Denmark	2
Sweden	3
Croatia	4
Spain	3
Malta	3

WHAT TO BRING WITH YOU?



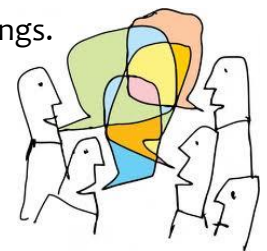
- **Prepare for intercultural evenings by bringing from home:**
 - some dry/ready traditional food and drinks;
 - five A4 pictures of famous locations of your country and five usually unknown;
 - three objects representing your nation;
 - a curious story/legend/event in history;
 - one traditional song and dance (you can actually sing and dance);
- **Medicines:** For preventive reasons we recommend for those who may have health problems to bring their own medicines for all your stay;
 - **Bring your own towels and personal cosmetics** such as shampoos, gel, toothpaste,...;
 - Please bring **information (leaflets, posters) about your organization** as you will need it in order to present your NGO. It will be a good way of establishing contacts;
 - Any dictionaries you might need for a smoother communication in English.



SPECIAL NEEDS

If you have special needs such as vegetarian food, food allergies, food intolerance, etc., we would like you to formulate these in details to sofngo@gmail.com. We will do our best to arrange all things with the venue.

Meals are prepared by experienced house-keeping staff using products from fresh ingredients from garden (in season) or locally sourced. Meals can be tailored to suit any dietary requirement. Full catering and refreshments are available for both day courses and residential bookings.



INTERCULTURAL EVENING

During project we planned to arrange the Intercultural evening. You will present your own cultures – national, regional, personal or any kind of culture you feel you belong. This presentations/activity should not be just a “lecture” so try to find most creative way to show your culture. It means that all options are possible. A culture may be presented by a song, games, a story, poem, dance, some local special drinks or food, etc. So, **please bring a flag of your country, some traditional food, drinks and other stuff that you consider relevant.**

ACCOMMODATION

The venue we chose for this project is a **Pilgrim House** part of a wonderful Franciscan Monastery complex and it is located just outside of a vibrant and diverse neighborhood in Giovinazzo, metropolitan area of Bari. City is really easy to reach through public transport coming from Bari train station. Venue is located 20 minutes of walk from train station of Giovinazzo.



The venue offers a choice of accommodation for the guests, such as five and six shared bedrooms with bunker beds. All rooms have essential services, including, heater / fan and writing table. In addition we have a dormitory for men and for women, each unit providing a degree of privacy with wardrobe. Bathrooms are shared, so we suggest you to bring flip flops with you.

Pilgrim House exists to provide an affordable, comfortable, safe, communal space for visitors and guests. We practice recycling, conservation of resources, hospitality, shared daily chores, and a serious commitment to a peaceful, welcoming, and grateful atmosphere.

One of the priority is to encourage visitors, pilgrims and guests to do the same. Not only is this sound sense for all; it is also a matter of delivering on our duty of care towards future generations.



The Pilgrim House serves traveling guests seeking a warm and safe place to stay while enjoying their time in the surroundings of Giovinazzo and Puglia region. The facilities of Pilgrim House include warm and friendly common areas, a well equipped kitchen and food storage options for guests and visitors. Additional features include free internet access, recycling, and off-street parking.

Participation fee of 15 € will be paid in cash on arrival.



TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT DETAILS

Please keep your ORIGINAL invoices, receipts, tickets, boarding-passes or any other transport document.

Be careful, since without these documents, we could not reimburse your travel costs!

LIMIT FOR TRAVEL COST

Country	Travel grant per participant
Italy	180 €
France	275 €
Netherlands	275 €
Denmark	275 €
Sweden	275 €
Croatia	180 €
Spain	275 €
Malta	275 €

! Note: Please note if you bought your ticket in your local currency which might be different than EURO, we will calculate your travel costs according to the exchange rates from official European Commission web-site: <http://ec.europa.eu/budget/inforeuro/index.cfm?Language=en>

!! Note: TAXI service won't be reimbursed.

!!! Note: Please make sure you have return tickets for all stages of your travel (return plane tickets, return bus tickets, etc.). Reimbursement will be given only on the basis of an existing ticket. No advance reimbursement for future tickets will be given.



WEEKLY PLAN

Day 1: ARRIVALS

- Get to know each other in informal way

Day 2:

- Ice Breaking Exercises & name games
- Getting to know each other more personally (fears & expectations)
- Introduction to the Project, to the project activity
- Workshop: All equal - all different (on discrimination, xenophobia, human rights, globalization)
- Workshop: When I am in a discrimination situation?

Day 3:

- Workshop: When I am in a discrimination situation?
- Workshop about equality beyond cultural or ethnic origin "The dream"
- Workshop: The story they tell
- Fishbowl discussion: Talking it out

Day 4:

- Role play : In our block
- Tool Box: Identify Molecules
- Tool Box: Perception of the other
- Exploring the surroundings

Day 5:

- Tool Box: Group Dynamics and Discrimination-I
- Tool Box: Group Dynamics and Discrimination-II
- Privilege walk – Diversity of Discrimination
- Vail ban debate: Religious discrimination
- Italian traditional night

Day 6:

- Toolbox: Fundamental human rights in Europe
- Workshops: Human rights square / Human rights tree
- Workshop: The key to inclusion (active participation)
- Cookie monster-I
- Cookie monster-II
- Erasmus + and other European fundraising opportunities

Day 7:

- Toolbox: Developing strategies for local activities for intercultural learning and inclusion
- Toolbox: Sharing tools and methods in youth work in discrimination and intolerance cases
- Toolbox: Enriching local strategies of youth work tackling discrimination and intolerance with the European dimension
- Final evaluation and youthpass session
- Goodbye party

Day 8: DEPARTURE

HOW TO GET TO BARI?

By plane

There are approximately 40 cheap flights to get Bari (BRI) from different European airports. Taxi to downtown costs €25-30, but there are buses (line 16, 1€, ~45min) and a new metro service (5€, ~15min) connecting the airport to central Bari and the train station.

[Tempesta Autoservizi bus-shuttle](#)

By train

Check www.trenitalia.com for time tables and prices.

By car

You can get to Bari by A14 highway, which runs from [Bologna](#) to [Taranto](#) following the Adriatic coast.

By bus

You can use [Onbus Company](#) to travel from Sicily to Puglia. [Touring](#) buses connect Germany to Puglia.

By boat

Bari is the destination for ferries incoming from the Greek port of [Patra](#) and Igoumenitsa. If you are traveling on a Eurorail during the low season, the cost is €16, during the mid season it's €31. A normal ticket to Igoumenitsa is about €29 on the deck and in low - season. There are also ships to [Bar](#) and [Kotor](#) ([Montenegro](#)), [Dubrovnik](#) ([Croatia](#)) and to [Durrës](#) ([Albania](#)). Ferry operators are either [Superfast Ferries](#), [Blue Star Ferries](#), [Azzurraline](#) or [Jadrolinija](#). An up-to-date site [with international ferry schedules is here](#).

PARTICIPATING ORGANISATION

If you want to participate in this project, you are requested to contact sending organization from your country, via the following email address:

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ASSOCIATION MIGRATION SOLIDARITE & ECHANGE POUR LE DEVELOPPEMENT (AMSED), FRANCE

contact@amsed.fr network@amsed.fr

TDM 2000 MALTA, MALTA

tdm2000projects@gmail.com

STICHTING DIVERSITEITSLAND (SCME), NETHERLANDS

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MILLE CUNTI , SPAIN

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***** If u are not among the partner countries but still interested in the project please contact us at sofngo@gmail.com *****

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