

CREATIVITY TOOLS FOR YOUTH WORK: TRAINING COURSE ON STORYTELLING

19TH – 27TH JULY 2017

An Introduction to the training...

"If you don't know the trees you may be lost in the forest, but if you don't know the stories you may be lost in life". -Siberian Elder

Story is deeply embedded in all our cultures, present from the very beginning, when through its power people gathered in tribal groups and then later formed nations around national myths and heroes. Even today, story plays an important, integrative role and shapes our lives and identities in manifold ways.

"Evidence strongly suggests that humans in all cultures come to cast their own identity in some sort of narrative form. We are inveterate storytellers."(Owen Flanagan).

In this course we will explore the stories which have shaped our lives, both culturally and individually. We will share our 'national myths' and come together to explore and decode the legend of Parsifal, often described as an archetypal story of European values and identity.

Participants will also be encouraged to create and tell their own stories, using a mixture of methods of storytelling, voice and theatre. Throughout, we will practice the art of storytelling and appreciate how to use it as an effective tool in intercultural dialogue.

Participant Profile

- Passion for the topic
- Good English speaking skills
- 18 or over

Reimbursement of Travel Costs

ASHA reimburses travel expenses at 80% of the overall cost (but no higher than the [Erasmus+ travel distance band ceilings](#)).

Partner Countries, Organisations and Travel Budget Ceilings

COUNTRY	PARTNER ORGANISATION & CONTACT EMAIL (FOR ENQUIRIES REGARDING PARTICIPATION)	NUMBER OF PARTICIPANT SPACES	TRAVEL BUDGET CEILING: 80% OF TOTAL AMOUNT REIMBURSED UP TO...
UNITED KINGDOM	The ASHA Foundation projects@ashacentre.org	5	180 euros
	CET Platforma Croatia croatia@cetplatform.org		
ESTONIA	Seiklejate Vennaskond haaletaja@gmail.com	4	275 euros
	Youthfully Yours youthfullyyoursgr@gmail.com		
GREECE	VulcanicaMente vulcanicamente.youth@gmail.com	4	360 euros
	CET Platforma Skopje macedonia@cetplatform.org		
MACEDONIA	TDM2000 Polska janik@tdm2000.pl	4	275 euros
	Asociata Hair Redivivus Buzau postoveitolea@yahoo.com		
POLAND		4	360 euros
ROMANIA		4	360 euros

How to Apply

If you wish to apply, please bear in mind that travel costs can only be reimbursed when journeying from one of the above countries.

To apply for this training, simply complete the application form below (page 3), save it to your computer and then email it to **BOTH**:

- The partner organisation based in your country of residence
- **AND** projects@ashacentre.org

Contact Us

For any other questions regarding the course, please contact projects@ashacentre.org



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Forest of Dean, UK, July 19-27, 2017

To apply for the participation in the training, please fill in the Application Form, **SAVE IT FIRST** and then email it to: projects@ashacentre.org | www.ashacentre.org | The deadline is **June 2, 2017**. Please note that if a good application is received, participation will be offered before the deadline closes.

APPLICATION FORM

Name		Surname	
Date of Birth		Gender	
Contact Email		Contact Number	
Nationality		Country of Residence	
Sending Organisation (not applicable for residents of UK)			
Have you taken part in other ASHA Centre courses?	Yes	No	
If YES , please specify for which course(s) and when			

RELATIONSHIP TO COURSE THEMES

What is your personal/professional experience in relationship to the theme of the training?

MOTIVATION

What is your motivation to participate in this training? Please refer to a maximum of three learning expectations.

In the wider context of the Erasmus+ focus on empowering those with fewer opportunities, would your participation in this course help you overcome any barrier(s) (e.g. lack of work experience, discrimination, disadvantaged socio-economic background, geographic isolation etc.)?

SPECIAL NEEDS

Do you have any special needs or requirements that the organisers would need to take into account (e.g. dietary, disability, medial, etc.)?