



Human Rights Education for and with children

Comenius Training Course on Human Rights Education

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Tallinn, Estonia

In brief

The Training Organisation Trajectorya invites teachers, educators and adult learners from organisations and institutions working with children and youth to the training course on Human Rights Education for and with children.

This educational project is supported by the Life Long Learning Programme of the European Commission through its Comenius and Grundtvig Actions.

Aims of the course

The Course aims to develop competence of teachers and educators working with children and youth in the pedagogical development of activities dealing with Human Rights Education for and with children by using non formal education methodologies.

The course will allow us to:

- Explore Children Rights in the broad European context;
- Experience methodologies and develop competences on Human Rights Education for and with children;
- Put into practice activities and resources on Human Rights Education;
- Develop future projects of cooperation

Methodology

The course is designed to create the space where participants experience and reflect upon activities and concepts central to children rights and human rights education based on experiential learning approaches.

The course is also planned as a space for mutual learning, where participants exchange their approaches to training especially regarding children rights issues, across Europe.

The previous experience of participants, in the formal and non-formal sectors, will be the starting point of the programme and of the learning process.

The course will be a space to present and practice the Manual of the Council of Europe on Human Rights Education for Children.

Profile of the participants

The course is open for 15 adult learners, teachers and educators coming from Life Long Learning Programme countries (EU, Turkey, Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway).

The Training course will be carried out in English language!!! Therefore all participants should be able to fully participate in English.

Check if your profile is eligible for receiving the Grundtvig or the Comenius grant:
http://www.trajectorya.ee/?page_id=665

Team of trainers

The programme of the course is designed and conducted by a multicultural team of experienced educators from the Council of Europe's trainers' pool. The team of trainers will be complemented by resource experts for specific parts of the course.

Hosting Organisations

Training Organisation Trajectorya

The Organisation TRAJECTORYA is a non-profit, non-political and non-governmental Youth Training Organization. It was established in 2005 with the aim to promote life long learning and non formal education as tools for intercultural dialogue.

Trajectorya organises trainings and provides training and consultancy to non-governmental organisations and educational institutions working with young people, educators and adult learners.

Our Objectives are:

- To promote Human Rights Education and Intercultural dialogue as a pre-requisite for the development of a "culture of peace" and as a contribution to democratic stability;
- To provide organisations, teachers and educators with knowledge, skills and attitudes in order to further strength their role in the building of civil society;
- To empower organisations, in particular working with the most vulnerable groups to develop projects, strategies and activities to address racism, xenophobia, discrimination and gender-based forms of violence affecting them and their community;
- To promote and support life long learning and non formal education as useful tools to achieve these goals;
- To provide consultancy to non governmental organisations and educational institutions working with young people, educators and adult learners, and to support the development of value based projects.

Deadline and Application procedure

All candidates must apply using the enclosed application form. Applications should be sent not later than **12th December 2011!** by E-mail to the electronic address childrenrights@trajectorya.ee

The preparatory team will select 15 participants on the basis of the profile outlined above and ensuring a balanced group (gender, geographical regions, different types of experiences, cultural backgrounds and organisations).

All candidates will be informed about whether their application has been accepted in a couple of days.

The accepted candidates will receive the course documentation and further technical and educational information directly from the organisers.

!!Do not book your travel until your participation has been confirmed!!

Financial and practical conditions of participation

The course is to be fully supported and granted by the LifeLong Learning Programme. Selected participants will directly receive the grant from their National Agency in each country.

Travel, accommodation, meals and training costs will be fully covered by this grant. Therefore no cost will be on the participants.

You can find more Info on funding for the course in the Comenius- Grundtvig training database:

<https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/llp/istcoursedatabase/index.cfm?fuseaction=DisplayCourse&cid=26213>

Once the selection is done, Trajectorya will send the official invitation together with detailed information and instructions on applying for the Comenius-Grundtvig Grant.

You will have few days to proceed with the application to your National Agency, but as will see the application that you do here is basically the same you will need to answer for NA's.

You may read about the Instructions how to apply in our website: http://www.trajectorya.ee/?page_id=689

Contact Information

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