

UPROOTED

(HI)STORIES OF STOLEN CHILDREN
DURING WORLD WAR II

CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS UPROOTED - TRAINING OF TRAINERS

25 JANUARY – 31 JANUARY 2024
INTERNATIONAL YOUTH MEETING CENTER IN KRZYŻOWA,
POLAND

WHAT IS UPROOTED?

“Uprooted – (Hi)Stories of Stolen Children during World War II” is an international training format that focuses on children who were kidnapped from Poland, the Czech Republic, Ukraine, and other countries by Germany during World War II and were forcibly aryanized. Even today we know little of their fate and many of those affected remain unaware of their roots.

By addressing the history of these abducted and uprooted children, we encourage further analysis of the racist and inhuman ideology of the National Socialists. Doing so, we also want to raise awareness for the importance of children's rights.

More information about Uprooted is available on the website of the program: <https://uprootedchildren.eu/>

INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRAINING

AIMS OF THE TRAINING:

- To enhance the participants' understanding of the topic of stolen children during World War II,
- To provide educational materials and methods to work on the topic,
- To promote networking between participants,
- To create a network of trainers that will play an active role in future Uprooted Youth Exchanges

WHO WE ARE LOOKING FOR:

- **Experienced Practitioners:** Teachers, educators, youth leaders, and professionals already engaged in youth work, citizenship education, or history projects.
- **Newcomers with Motivation:** Individuals with an interest in the topic and historical non-formal education without experience are welcome to join the training. We value diversity in backgrounds and experiences and welcome applicants from various work fields.
- **Conditions for Participation:** The participant has to be an adult (18 years and older) and a resident of one of the listed countries (see page 3 for the list). Proficiency in English is required.

WHAT WE ARE OFFERING:

- Lectures and training units by experienced Uprooted trainers and external experts
- Educational resources, including educational materials, personal testimonies, and tools to teach about this historical topic and its significance.
- Professional development - gaining expertise and developing skills for teaching sensitive topics effectively
- Networking - connecting with like-minded educators, teachers, and facilitators to share best practices and to collaborate on projects related to historical education and children's rights

DETAILS - UPROOTED TRAINING

PARTICIPATION FEE:

The participation fee for this Uprooted training depends on your region of residence and covers the costs associated with participation, including accommodation and travel. Please consult the fee levels below.

REGION 1 - 80.00 EUR - AT, BE, DK, FI, FR, DE, IE, IL, NL, NO, SE, CH, GB

REGION 2 - 50.00 EUR - CZ, GR, IT, PT, SI, ES, EE, HR, HU, LV, LT, PL, SK, TR

REGION 3 - 30.00 EUR - BG, MK, RO, RS

The fee can be reduced by applying for a scholarship for students, interns or those currently unemployed. Please include a relevant request in your application form.

TRAVEL COSTS

We reimburse travel costs in accordance with the distance band of the Erasmus+ Program of the European Union. Reimbursements of travel costs will be issued in cash or bank transfer to each participant exclusively during the training. We do not provide any type of pre-payments or post-payments for the reimbursement of travel costs.

Distance band of maximum reimbursement per participant based on the distance calculator: (<https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/resources-and-tools/distance-calculator>)

Between 10 and 99 KM: 23 EUR rate of maximum reimbursement

Between 100 and 499 KM: 180 EUR rate of maximum reimbursement

Between 500 and 1999 KM: 275 EUR rate of maximum reimbursement

Between 2000 and 2999 KM: 360 EUR rate of maximum reimbursement

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TRAVELING TO KRZYŻOWA

The Kreisau-Initiative e.V. will help participants find the best itinerary. We advise our participants to plan their journey via Berlin (Germany) or Wrocław (Poland), and from these cities, the Kreisau-Initiative e.V. will organize shuttle bus services for the participants directly to Krzyżowa.

APPLICATION - UPROOTED TRAINING 2024

The application is available via the following link:

<https://modelicc.wufoo.com/forms/myhefr51h4oaia/>

The deadline for submitting your application is **December 15th, 2023**. The results of the selection will be announced **by December 20th, 2023**.

CONTACT:

In case you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us. You can contact Rene Wennmacher via wennmacher@kreisau.de