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“A Thousand Words”



Basic Information

“A Thousand Words,” is going to be an online youth exchange which will include more than 40 young people and group leaders from 6 different countries: Ukraine, Spain, Lithuania, Lebanon, Belarus and Germany.

Countries: 6 countries

Age of participants: 16–30 (group leaders 18+)

Country group size: 6–8 participants + 1 group leader

Days of activity: 10 working days

Dates: 21st of June – 2nd of July 2021.

Info About Project

The main idea behind this project is to show how photography and videos can be used for learning about other cultures and how we can break some of the stereotypes that we have through this type of art. We want to encourage intercultural understanding within young people through working on the competences needed for practicing intercultural dialogue. This project is for everyone, regardless of language skills, since photography is a method of expression, this is something that a large spectrum of young people can engage in, and is a good way to empower many young people through non-verbal communication. We believe that one photo is worth a thousand words and that is why we gave the name to our project "A Thousand Words,,.

The original plan was to organize residential exchange during the project, but because of pandemic we decided to organize it online instead.

Objectives:

1

Creating a space for sharing ideas, views and opinions with young people from different cultures.

2

Learning about cultural diversity and different approaches for evaluating culture through photography and video making.

3

Encouraging and practicing intercultural dialogue and understanding of intercultural relations.

2

Uniting young people through research and learning about diversity and similarities.

Participant Profile



1. Between 16-30 (group leaders 18+)
2. Resident of one of the following countries: Belarus, Germany, Lebanon, Lithuania, Spain, Ukraine
3. Interested in topics of culture, intercultural dialogue, inclusion and photography
4. Willingness to actively participate in all sessions
5. Participants don't need to have good knowledge in English, but group leaders should be able to communicate in English
6. Previous experience in Erasmus+ is not required but participants should show initiative for learning new things and working with other young people
7. All partners should do their best to create gender balanced teams

Schedule of our online youth exchange

	21.6.2021. Monday	22.6.2021. Tuesday	23.6.2021. Wednesday	24.6.2021. Thursday	25.6.2021. Friday	28.6.2021. Monday	29.6.2021. Tuesday	30.6.2021. Wednesday	1.7.2021. Thursday	2.7.2021. Friday
4PM - 7PM Central European Time (CET)	Official opening; Name games; Get to know each other 16:00-17:45	Team building 16:00-17:45	Live news! 16:00-17:45	Photography workshop 16:00-17:45	Don't judge the book by its covers 16:00-17:45	Social media video campaigns 16:00-17:45	Show me your story - preparing the photo exhibition 16:00-17:45	Online photo exhibition about culture 16:00-17:45	Dissemination activities 16:00-17:45	Erasmus+ and ESC info 16:00-17:45
	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00	Break 17:45 - 18:00
	Fears and expectations 18:00-18:30	Youthpass certificate 18:00-18:30	German cultural presentation 18:00-18:30	Spanish cultural presentation 18:00-18:30	Ukrainian cultural presentation 18:00-18:30	Lebanese cultural presentation 18:00-18:30	Lithuanian cultural presentation 18:00-18:30	Discussion and reflection after exhibition 18:00-18:30	Belarusian cultural presentation 18:00-18:30	Final evaluation Official closure 18:00-19:00
	Group leaders meeting 18:30-19:00	National delegation meeting 18:30-19:00	Group leaders meeting 18:30-19:00	National delegation meeting 18:30-19:00	Group leaders meeting 18:30-19:00	National delegation meeting 18:30-19:00	Group leaders meeting 18:30-19:00	National delegation meeting 18:30-19:00	Group leaders meeting 18:30-19:00	



Above you can see the schedule of our exchange. We will have sessions from Monday till Friday during the two weeks in June and July (**21.6.-2.7.**). The sessions will last 3 hours including a 15 minutes break and the focus will be on learning by doing, we will use non formal methods and there will be a lot of group work and work outside of Zoom. All sessions will take place in the afternoon, from 4PM till 7PM CET. The main event of the exchange will be an online photo exhibition where participants will share the photos about culture which they will create during the exchange. On some days we are going to have a cultural presentation of one of the countries and this will be the task for participants to discuss in their national team and decide how they want to present their country. There are still possible changes in the schedule, but **the dates and the times are confirmed.**

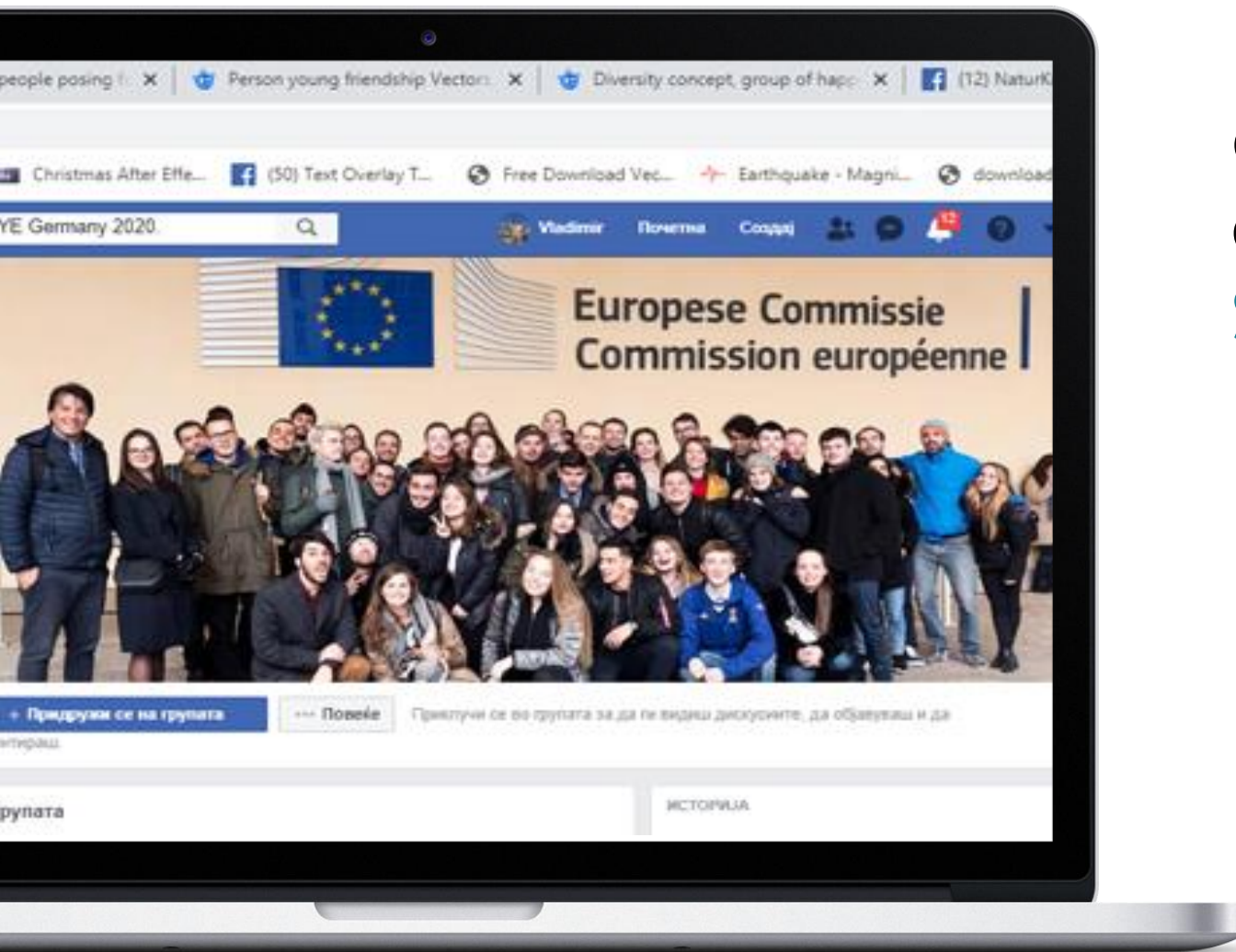
Facebook group

To make the communication easier, we have created a Facebook group. Everyone who has Facebook should join this group because we will use it for communication between each other, sharing materials and getting to know each other.

Link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/286880103021034>





For further questions
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See you soon!

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