

Youth Exchange



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Save our stories chapter 3



with **Film Production**

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17-25 March, 2019
Riterio Krantas, Lithuania

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DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT

The power of film to make an emotional connection and how best to enable people to experience it through non-formal education we aim to put film at the heart of young people's learning and cultural experience. During the youth exchange participants will keep the plots from each story and combine them into one common story. Participants will create their own film production and turn their common story into a short film as a final product. Participants will discover the spectrum of similarities between their cultures, break the stereotypes and prejudices, lose the fear of unknown, feel the spirit of storytelling, experience film production and understand why it is so crucial to keep our stories alive.

OBJECTIVES

- Raising awareness about the importance of preserving stories as a core of our cultures
- Break stereotypes and prejudice
- Decrease the cultural fears which are one of the problems nowadays about migration
- Discover film-making as a powerful tool for promoting cultural diversity and its benefits
- Encourage young people to actively participate and use the opportunities of Erasmus +



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PROFILE OF PARTICIPANTS

Each team should consist of 4 participants (18-25 years old) and 1 group leader, possibly gender balanced. All participants shall be interested in the topics of storytelling, acting, filming, literature and culture in general, and motivated to participate actively in the whole duration of the project. Solid knowledge of English and previous experience in the above mentioned fields will be helpful, but shall not be a selection criteria. The priority shall be given to participants with fewer opportunities and newcomers to Erasmus.



Where and when we meet?

The project will take place from 17 March (arrival) to 25 March (departure) in Lithuania, near Trakai, in a luxury resort “Riterio Krantai”. More information about the hotel <https://bit.ly/2W194H6>. If you would like to spend a few more days in Lithuania or travel around on your way, you can travel maximum 7 days before and 7 days after the youth exchange. In this case travel tickets from your home country to Lithuania and back will be covered but not accommodation, local travel, food or any other expenses on these additional days.

Financial conditions

All programme related costs (accommodation, catering, materials, etc.) are fully covered by Erasmus+ Programme. Your travel costs can be covered up to 260 euro. Local trip Vilnius-hotel-Vilnius will be organized by host organisation. Travel expenses will be reimbursed by bank transfer within 30 days after providing all original travel documents.

There is 45 eur contribution to participate in this project. Spa and bowling, snacks, and soft drinks in the evenings, “the pillow tax” and free time trip to Trakia and Vilnius are covered by this contribution.

*Contribution is not applied for group leaders.

Applying

In order to apply please contact sending organisation in your country. For more information you can also contact the host organisation at inceptusngo@gmail.com



There will be team building, getting to know other cultures, storytelling, creating a film production, acting, shooting film scenes and many more!