

Call for Team Members

Who were the Victims of the National Socialists?

The Max Mannheimer Study Centre and EuroClio - European Association of History Educators are delighted to launch a call for team members for our project [*Who were the Victims of the National Socialists?*](#). This project will set up students to develop their own history projects and research on the victims of the National Socialists in the past, with the goal of achieving deep and lasting learning in students on the topics of empathy, inclusion, and community. With this pilot, we seek to showcase the power of hands-on, youth-led projects to engage young people of all backgrounds and origins with historical topics in order to develop their civic competencies and character.

Over the course of the coming year, an interdisciplinary and international team of project managers, project advisors, experts and researchers will develop a place-based learning Toolkit that helps students to study the victims of the National Socialists, including victims representing Jewish, Roma and Sinti communities, as well as LGBTIQ+ and political dissenters. Through their own research, students are challenged to think about the legacies of historical injustices, and how they can be prevented in the future.

For this project, the Max Mannheimer Study Centre and EuroClio are looking for six pairs of two Team Members from six countries in North Europe, West Europe, Central Europe, East Europe, South Europe, and Southeast Europe, who will take part in the pilot phase of the project scheduled to start **in September 2022** and implement the Toolkit in their classrooms.

As a Team Member, you will:

- Participate in the pilot phase and realise one history project with your students;
- Co-author the Toolkit;
- Support the creation of peer-tutorials with the young people involved in the project and host the video producer from the project;
- Participate in two international project team meetings;
- Support the communications campaign;
- Be available for a first international project team meeting scheduled for **17-20 February 2022 in Dachau, Germany**.
- Organise a training with 40 peers in November or December 2022.

What we offer:

As Team Members, you will be working within an international and interdisciplinary team and contributing to the Toolkit. Costs for the participation in the international project team meetings are fully covered, including travel, accommodation and subsistence. Your work will be designed, edited and translated in six different languages and you will be acknowledged as co-author. You will also be part of the promotional video for the project. Each individual Team Member will receive

a stipend of 1500 euro, and a total of 3000 euros is available for the support of each local youth project, based on real costs (up to a 100 euros per student).

How to Apply

You must apply as a **team of two members**, by sending your CVs and Motivation, and letter of support from school stating your availability for taking part in the pilot, to Eugenie Khatschatrian (Project Manager EuroClio) at eugenie@euroclio.eu, **no later than 6 January 2022 by midnight**. In your motivation letter, please ensure to answer the following questions:

- 1) In developing the Toolkit, how would you link present-day societal issues like discrimination and injustice, to the past of National Socialism?
- 2) Why are you excited to co-create youth-led place-based projects?
- 3) How would you plan to reach out to other educators and schools?

Eligibility Criteria

In order to be eligible applicants need to be available to pilot the project with youth in the fall semester to participate in the project meetings, and having a working level of English is a must.

Selection Criteria

- Motivation to co-author and pilot a competency-focused, place- and project-based learning Toolkit (40%)
- Quality and relevance of the dissemination plan (20%)
- Experience in working within international projects and teams is an asset (10%)
- Experience in teaching the topic, or working on the topic is an asset (10%)
- Experience in working within interdisciplinary teams is an asset (10%)
- Experience in project-based learning is an asset (10%)

Selection process

The selection will be based on the selection criteria above, geographical spread and gender balance, teaching a diverse group of students, as well as the ability to contribute to both the development and piloting of the Toolkit. The selection procedure will take place in the first two weeks in January, in which we select candidates for the interview based on:

- 1) Eligibility of the candidates;
- 2) Selecting the highest ranking candidates per region;
- 3) Inviting the top three candidates of each region for the interview.

The interviews will take place in the week of **17 January 2022**. The selection result will be communicated by **24 January 2022**.

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Covid-19 Notice

Due to the current development of the Covid-19 pandemic, the first international project meeting to be held in Dachau, Germany from 17 - 20 February 2022 at the Max Mannheimer House, will be subject to local Covid-19 restrictions and measures issued by the national and local authorities in Bavaria. The current Covid-19 measures only allow meetings of more than two people with a valid proof of vaccination or recovery.

EuroClio and the Max Mannheimer Study Centre are closely monitoring current measures and strongly recommend a proof of vaccination when travelling to Dachau for the international project

meeting. The format of the international project meeting, will be reviewed one month prior to its date, and based on the local measures and restrictions, it will be considered: to hold the project meeting in-person onsite with the proof validation system that is in place (either RVT or RV Rule), provided that all participants take regular self tests provided by the Max Mannheimer Study Centre; or to organise the meeting in hybrid form with all aforementioned measures in place for the participants that are joining onsite; or to move the meeting fully online.

For more information on local Covid-19 measures, please refer to the [official website](#) of the local authorities in Bavaria, Germany.