

"Open European Societies" A Conference at the University of Greenwich 15th-17th March 2019

hosted by the European Reminiscence Network, the University of Greenwich and Jugend- & Kulturprojekt e.V., Dresden, Germany

The conference will look at reminiscence arts work and performance pieces based on the lived experience of migration now and in the past.

It will feature interviews with groups and individuals and art works resulting from these interviews.

There will be performances, exhibitions, lectures and visits

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The priorities of this "Europe for Citizens" project are: Fostering intercultural dialogue and mutual understanding and combating the stigmatisation of migrants during the European Year of Cultural Heritage 2018-19 and beyond.

Through the research undertaken by each of 11 European partners from 8 different countries. the "OPEN EUROPEAN SOCIETIES" project aims to raise awareness of the migration history of Europe, highlighting the diversity and co-existence of different nations and cultures in the countries of Europe. We hope to show that migration has brought many positive effects to the European cities in which our project partners live and work.

Through a year-long programme of transnational and local workshops, study-visits, intercultural dialogue, networking, volunteering activities and informal learning, as well as cultural and arts activities, the project partners seek to target both the general objectives and the specific aims of the programme.

"OPEN EUROPEAN SOCIETIES" envisages the production of videos, photos and performances raising awareness of the long history of migration in Europe which arose from the aftermath of different wars and conflicts, the need for labour force and aiding the demographic problems in countries such as United Kingdom, Belgium and Germany in the 60s, 70s and 80s.

Join us at what promises to be an exciting international conference celebrating diversity through cultural activity

The conference is free, but places limited, so contact us soon







