

REGIONAL TRAINING FOR TRAINERS ON INTERCULTURAL CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION IN THE EURO-MEDITERRANEAN REGION

25-31 MARCH 2017

CALL FOR PARTICIPATION

The Anna Lindh Foundation is organising a Regional Training for Trainers on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the Euro-Mediterranean region.

The training is addressed to educators in the formal and non-formal education sector.

The training will be based on the capacity building methodology on intercultural dialogue developed by a team of experts coordinated by the Anna Lindh Foundation using as main educational reference the Anna Lindh Foundation Education Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship in the Euro-Med region and including the presentation of intercultural citizenship education concepts, interactive learning and testing activities on the competences and notions presented and exchange of educational practices among the participants.

The training will be carried out in English and French for 5 days, scheduled tentatively from 25 to 31 March (including traveling dates) in Malta. Following the face-to-face training educators should commit to organise educational activities in their respective communities and will be accompanied in this process through a mentorship scheme.

BACKGROUND

This training is part of the Anna Lindh Foundation Intercultural Learning Programme. The programme is the fruit of a consultative and participatory process which started in 2010 with the ALF main partners, educators and experts in the field of education. Those stakeholders concurred on the need to conceive a regional education programme to accompany the ongoing changes witnessed in the region in order to prepare the people of the region to live and be active within multi-cultural societies.

On the basis of their main recommendations, the ALF identified the production of a Handbook for educators as the first priority to support the action of people on the ground and as a tool for policy orientation. Following a series of expert meetings and conventions, the ALF coordinated the development of the ALF Education Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship Education in the Euro-Mediterranean Region.

The Handbook is conceived as a tool to provide knowledge and skills for teaching and learning about values of dialogue, pluralism, respect, social participation and social cohesion which can enhance the role of the “EuroMed Intercultural Citizen” as an agent of change within multi-cultural societies.

The Handbook provides an overview about key concepts related to intercultural citizenship education with a clear focus on the Euro-Mediterranean region and presents case stories and concrete activities to be developed in the formal and non-formal education sectors.

On the basis of this resource, the ALF is putting in place a capacity-building programme on Intercultural Citizenship Education for the creation of a pool of multipliers trained in the use of the Anna Lindh Foundation Education Handbook on Intercultural Citizenship and committed to the organization of educational activities and dissemination of the resource.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF PARTICIPANTS

With the present Call, the ALF aims at identifying 30 educators to attend the Training for Trainers programmes.

The participants will be selected on the basis of the following criteria,:

- being an educator
- Work in the formal or non-formal education sectors, and
- work with young people, and
- are able to organise, deliver and evaluate training for other groups, and
- are familiar with non-formal education pedagogical approaches.

Additionally, participants should:

- have developed projects for intercultural citizenship education, or have been involved in projects for intercultural citizenship education, and
- have worked on issues related to intercultural citizenship education (e.g. diversity, identity, citizenship, active participation, intercultural dialogue, etc.) and
- present their proposal to organise educational activities in 2017 in their country as part of the training follow-up

Based on the relevance and quality of applications, the ALF will try to ensure the selection of representatives from different countries of the region with a tentative ratio of 10 Southern Mediterranean and 20 European participants and with gender balance.

LANGUAGE

The training will be conducted in two parallel tracks: one in English and one in French. Interpretation will be applied for the introductory parts of the sessions in case of joint sessions involving Francophone and Anglophone groups.

APPLICATION AND SELECTION PROCESS

Educators in the formal and non-formal education sectors in the Regional Training for Trainers on Intercultural Citizenship Education In the Euro-Mediterranean Region should fill in the below application and send it back by mail via the ALF Heads of Network Institution to the following email address basem.mahmoud@bibalex.org; with copy to leonora.insalaco@bibalex.org; christine.rizkallah@bibalex.org before 15 January 2017.

Selected participants will be notified by beginning of February 2017 and their travel and accommodation arranged by the Anna Lindh Foundation (provisional arrival date foreseen on 25 March 2017 and departure date on 31 March).

APPLICATION FORM

This form must be completed in English or French and sent by e-mail to basem.mahmoud@bibalex.org with copy to leonora.insalaco@bibalex.org ; ; christine.rizkallah@bibalex.org before 15 January 2017, 17h Egyptian time via the ALF Heads of Network Institutions.

I- PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name:

Surname:

Gender: Male Female

Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy):

Nationality:

Profession:

II- ORGANIZATION

Name of the organization: :

(If member of one of the ALF national networks, please write the name as registered in the ALF database)

Address of the organization:

Street: City/ Postal Code:

Country :

Telephone (including international prefix):

Mobile phone (including international prefix):

Fax (including international prefix):

E-mail:

Website:

Does your organisation belong to an ALF Network? Yes No

If so, please indicate the country:

If you want to check if your organisation is member, please visit our website <http://www.annalindhfoundation.org/network>.

Please note that your name and the above contact details (except for the mobile phone number) will be displayed in the participant list.

How would you describe your organization?

- Local / Regional Authority
- Non-Governmental Organization
- Private Company
- Public Institution

- Public/ Private Non-Profit Foundation
- Other, please specify:

Short Description of the Aims and Activities of your Organization:

What is your role/main responsibility within your organisation?

III – COMPETENCES

Please check all the relevant sentences:

- I work in the formal education sector (e.g. school, university, other formal education institution)
- I work in non-formal education sectors (e.g. CSOs, training centres, youth organisations).
- I work with young people.
- I am able to organise and conduct training for other groups.
- I am familiar with non-formal education pedagogical approaches.
- I have developed projects for intercultural citizenship education.
- I involved in projects for intercultural citizenship education.
- I worked on issues related to intercultural citizenship education (e.g. diversity, identify, citizenship, active participation, intercultural dialogue, etc.)

Please provide more details about your experience and expertise in the field of intercultural citizenship education in the light of the sentences checked above.

IV - MOTIVATIONS AND EXPECTATIONS

what is your motivation for participating in the ALF Regional Training on Intercultural Citizenship Education?

VI – FOLLOW-UP

Please explain how you would contribute to the multiplication of this training, giving details on the number of activities you plan to organise, the groups that you plan to can reach, the estimate number of trainees, the authorisations within your institution to carry out educational activities, the logistical ability to organise activities taking into consideration that the ALF cannot provide financial support for the organisation of these activities:

VII – LANGUAGES

Please certify your level of English:

Comprehension:	<input type="checkbox"/> Very good	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic
Speaking:	<input type="checkbox"/> Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic
Writing:	<input type="checkbox"/> Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic

Please certify your level of French:

Comprehension:	<input type="checkbox"/> Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic
Speaking:	<input type="checkbox"/> Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic
Writing:	<input type="checkbox"/> Very good	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Basic

VIII – VISA

Do you require a visa to enter Malta? Yes No

If YES, please carefully provide the following information:

Full name as written in the passport:

Date and place of birth:

Home address:

Passport number: Country issuing the passport:

Passport issue date: Passport expiry date:

Country where you intend to apply for a visa:

IX- TRAVEL

Please specify the nearest airport / train station (city, country) from which you intend to depart from (in case of selection):

X- SPECIAL NEEDS AND REQUIREMENTS

Do you have any special needs or requirements (e.g. special dietary needs, disability, etc.)? Please specify:

XI - SIGNATURE

I hereby declare that the above mentioned information is correct to the best of my knowledge and compete. In the event of a successful application, I authorise the Anna Lindh Foundation to display the full name, email address, and organisation name and country on the participants list of the event.

Please make sure you agree with this statement in order to have your application correctly submitted

Full Name *