Online Seminar

"The Course of (Hi)Stories"

11.09., 18.09. and 02.10.2020

When? 11th, 18th September and 2nd October; 2 – 6.30 pm

Where? In the virtual Space!

Who?
- Are you already active in **youth work, citizenship education** or **history projects** and would like to learn **new methods and approaches online**? Or are you interested in the topic of narratives about **Jews, Judaism, the Shoah and Isreal** and/or how to use **podcasts as a method** in youth work? Either way we invite you to apply!
- We value **diversity of backgrounds, experiences and work fields**.
- However, there are a few conditions: You need to be an adult (**18 years upwards**) living in **Germany or Poland**. Citizenship is not a precondition. Since the seminar is mostly going to be held in English, **a good level of English** is required.

How to apply? Please fill out the application form and send it back.

Application deadline: August 31st, 2020

The Online Seminar "The Course of (Hi)Stories"…
- is an international and interactive online event where you can meet people experienced in historical and civic youth education from Germany and Poland and get the chance to learn new non-formal education methods online,
- is dealing with the topic of narratives about Jews, Judaism, the Shoah and Israel in Germany and Poland,
- makes you familiar with the method of podcast and how to use it for educational purposes with young people.

STRUCTURE

The project has 4 stages:
- 11.09.2020 **"Kick-off and introduction to the topic and method"** – online attendance seminar
- 18.09.2020 **"Podcast Training"** – online attendance seminar
- 18.-02.10.2020 **"Creating your own podcasts with other participants"** – self-organized working phase
- 02.10.2020 **"Presentation and Evaluation"** – online attendance seminar
  Participation at all states of the seminar is obligatory.

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"The Course of (Hi)Stories"

Worldwide there are narratives about Jews, Judaism, the Shoah and Israel, which can be positive or negative. These ideas arise from daily coexistence in the present and past and are subject to constant change. They are shaped by religious circumstances and the respective (geo) political and geographic location.

This variety of narratives receives little attention in current German debates on anti- Semitism and (refugee) migration. There is often talk of "imported" anti-Semitism through "Muslim immigration". On the one hand, this ignores how diverse the ideas about Jewish people, Judaism, Shoah and Israel are in the countries of origin and among the immigrants themselves, and on the other hand, local attitudes and narratives take a back seat.
Narratives of other, mostly non-Muslim immigration groups also play no role.

The subject of Judaism is also being discussed in Poland. On the one hand, Jewish culture is experiencing a "boom" and in some cases there is even talk of "missing" the former Jews in the country. On the other hand, anti-Semitism is still a hot topic in Poland today, which is repeatedly expressed on various occasions.

In the online seminar "The Course of (Hi)Stories" we would like to investigate the different narratives and minority discourses around Judaism in Germany and Poland together with experts from the German-Polish youth exchange. In addition, we offer specialists training in the podcast method, which can be used in German-Polish youth exchange. We also support our participants in developing their own workshops with young people on the topics mentioned and the podcast method.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

The online seminar will be implemented with the online meeting tool "Zoom". More instructions and information will be provided after the registration.
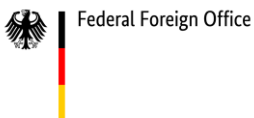
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