



# UNITED-Conference Programme

## From Theory to Practice: Creative Action Towards Social Change

16-21 May in Bratislava, Slovakia



TIME	Monday 16 May	Tuesday 17 May	Wednesday 18 May	Thursday 19 May	Friday 20 May
<b>Morning</b> 9:30-12:30	<p><b>Conference prepared by:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enough (SK)</li> <li>People Against Racism (SK)</li> <li>Austrian Students Union Klagenfurt (A)</li> <li>Finnish Youth Cooperation Allianssi (FIN)</li> <li>Folkswagen - Worthy Life for Asylum Seekers (DK)</li> <li>Young Mountaineers - Mladi Planinari (MK)</li> <li>UNITED for Intercultural Action</li> </ul> <p><b>In partnership with:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open Society Foundation – Bratislava (SK)</li> </ul> <p><i>With financial support of:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>European Youth Foundation of the Council of Europe</li> <li>Minority Rights Group Europe</li> </ul>	<p><b>09:30-11:00</b> <b>WELCOME</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The UNITED Network</li> <li>About People Against Racism (SK)</li> <li>About Open Society Foundation - Bratislava (SK)</li> <li>About Enough (SK)</li> <li>Programme / Team / Technics</li> <li>Short personal introduction of participants</li> </ul> <p><b>11:15-12:30</b> <b>THE DANGER OF WORDS</b></p> <p>Definitions and concepts most used in antiracist and antidiscrimination work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussion groups -</li> </ul>	<p><b>09:30-11:00</b> <b>WORKING WITH VICTIMS OF HATE CRIMES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What are Hate Crimes? Government's Office Human Rights and Equal Treatment Department (SK)</li> <li>Hate Crimes Monitoring Never Again Association (PL)</li> <li>Homophobic Hate Crimes Campaign Against Homophobia (PL)</li> <li>Presentations and discussion -</li> </ul> <p><b>11:15-12:30</b> Continuation of the <b>THEMATIC WORKING GROUPS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sharing practices -</li> </ul>	<p><b>09:30-11:00</b> <b>IS BIG BROTHER WATCHING?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Anti-extremism Policies: Confronting the Right-wing or the Antifascists? Youth Human Rights Movement (RUS)</li> <li>Strategies of Populist Propaganda Movement Against Intolerance (E)</li> <li>How Easily Does Big Brother Watch Me? Enough (SK)</li> <li>Presentations and discussion -</li> </ul> <p><b>11:15-12:30</b> <b>THEMATIC WORKING GROUPS</b></p> <p>Presentation of the Results</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Plenary session -</li> </ul>	<p><b>09:30-11:00</b> <b>SUPPORTERS AT THE STADIUM</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Involvement of Supporters in Preventing/Perpetuating Hate People Against Racism (SK)</li> <li>Anti-Muslim Attitude and Hooliganism Kick Racism Out, Luxembourg Against Racism (L)</li> <li>Presentations and discussion -</li> </ul> <p><b>11:15-12:30</b> <b>THE A, B, C FOR ACTIVISTS</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Homophobia - Youth Human Rights Movement (RUS)</li> <li>Strategic Litigation - Human Rights Monit. Inst. (LT)</li> <li>Survival Kit: Fundraising for NGOs Centre for Intercultural Dialogue (MK)</li> <li>Football Supporters - Lux. Against Racism (L)</li> <li>Health Care in NoWhereLand Center for Health and Migration (A)</li> <li>Thematic Workshops -</li> </ol>
<b>Lunch</b>					
<b>Afternoon</b> 14:30-18:30	<p>until ca 17:30 Arrival of participants</p> <p><b>16:00-19:00</b> <b>GET DOCUMENTED!</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Registration -</li> </ul>	<p><b>14:30-16:00</b> <b>KEY ISSUES AND NATIONALISM IN SLOVAKIA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rise of Nationalism and Political situation in Slovakia Institute for Public Affairs (SK)</li> <li>The situation of the Roma community in Slovakia People Against Racism (SK)</li> <li>Segregation of Roma Students in Education Open Society Foundation (SK)</li> <li>Presentations and discussion -</li> </ul> <p><b>16:15-18:00</b> <b>THEMATIC WORKING GROUPS</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Anti) Fascism, Do we Need It?</li> <li>Know your Fascists: Data Collection</li> <li>Let's Get Started: Basics for NGO work</li> <li>Once Upon a Time in Fortress Europe</li> <li>Minority Voices - Minority Rights</li> <li>Working with Youth: Methods and Practices Introduction of key issues -</li> </ol>	<p><b>14:30-16:30</b> Continuation of the <b>THEMATIC WORKING GROUPS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Developing strategies -</li> </ul> <p><b>16:45-18:00</b> <b>FROM THEORY TO ACTION</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Journalism in Antiracist work - DerStandard.at (A)</li> <li>Cyberhate - ZARA (A)</li> <li>Tasting good Practices People Against Racism (SK)</li> <li>Civil Courage Netzwerk Demokratie Courage (D)</li> <li>Training Workshops -</li> </ol>	<p><b>FREE AFTERNOON</b> in Bratislava</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visit to Jewish memorial Chatam Sofer</li> <li>Anti-fa City Tour</li> <li>Historical City Tour</li> </ul> <p><b>Get Active in Bratislava!</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Flash-mob in the city centre -</li> </ul> <p><b>Free time in Bratislava</b></p>	<p><b>14:30-16:30</b> <b>CREATIVE ACTION TOWARDS SOCIAL AWARENESS</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Creating Intercultural Bridges Congress of National Minorities (UA)</li> <li>Biases in Mainstream Media - Concordia (E)</li> <li>Secure Communication - Enough (SK)</li> <li>Get Active against Fascism - UNITED</li> <li>Different Ways of Support for Victims of Hate Crimes ReachOut Berlin (D)</li> <li>Training Workshops -</li> </ol> <p><b>17:00-17:30</b> <b>OPEN FORUM</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>With contribution of participants -</li> </ul> <p><b>17:15-18:30</b> <b>CONFERENCE EVALUATION</b> <b>OFFICIAL CLOSING</b></p>
<b>Dinner</b>				<b>Dinner in Bratislava</b>	
<b>Evening</b>	<p><b>20:00</b> <b>"Breaking the Blocks"</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Informal getting to know each other -</li> </ul>	<p><b>20:30</b> <b>Info Market: Present your organisation!</b> <b>International Snacks</b></p> <p>With participants from local NGOs</p>	<p><b>21:00</b> <b>Political Cafés</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>International Refugee Day - Sharing Strategies</li> <li>Hate Crime: Challenges for Activists</li> <li>North African Revolutions: What Next for Europe?</li> </ul>	<b>Free evening</b>	<p><b>20:30</b> <b>Intercultural Evening &amp; Farewell Party</b></p>

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