

Diversity as an asset: The cultural approach to migration

Training provided to the participants of the Erasmus+ project
**“The whole school approach in the integration process of
migrants”**

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TuttInclusi

Volunteering and peer to peer inclusion



International Civil Service

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- 1920 Esnes first workcamp – Pierre Ceresole
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- 90 Branches in the world
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- Hybrid between movement and newtork
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Servizio Civile Internazionale

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- **SCI Italy**
- Local and regional groups in Italy
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- 35 workcamps in Italy
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- 600 members
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- 300 sent volunteers abroad

Servizio Civile Internazionale

SCI Italy

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- Peace as social justice and equality
- Non violent conflict transformation
- Antimilitarism
- Environmental sustainability
- Social Inclusion
- Freedom of movement
- Nonformal education
- “North-South” unbalances

SCI Italy and Social Inclusion

- - Looking forward:
- - The promotion of autonomy and the protagonism of the subjects involved
- - The removal of cultural and social causes of social exclusion
- - The dismantling of the logic of pure assistance (avoiding immobility effect)

SCI Italy and Social Inclusion

Through actions as:

- International youth exchanges
- "Protected insertions" in volunteer camps in Italy
- Events and public paths of self-training and awareness on the topic

SCI Italy and Social Inclusion

Working on:

- Strengthening networks of associations, informal groups, institutional bodies and other Branches of the SCI-Italy movement
- Local-international connections
- The creation of spaces for reflection, elaboration of project ideas, programming, evaluation, exchange and dissemination of good practices

TuttInclusi

Volunteering

Activation

Inclusion

Cavallerizza – 2017



What is it and to whom is it dedicated?

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- Protected placement of persons with minor opportunities inside projects and **workcamps**
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- Target group: minors, **migrants**, young people under probation

WHAT IS THE ADDED VALUE

- TuttlInclusi Allows a true inclusion thanks to the 'protected condition'
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- First: the workcamp participants do not know that there is a 'TuttlInclusi' person, only the local partner and the workcamp coordinator are aware

WHAT IS THE ADDED VALUE

- peer to peer inclusion
- opportunity to express his/herself without the barrier created when the “condition” come before the “person”
- opportunity to be outside his/her own current context
- be active subject of an intervention on something and not passive beneficiary of an intervention on his/herself
- be helper and not helped
- create relationship without a mediation

WORKCAMP

WHAT IS IT?

- short term project
- international participants
- support the community growth
- several topics and activities
- practical work and study part

WORKCAMP

WHY A WORKCAMP?

- promote solidarity and critical thinking
- intercultural education, break barriers, work on stereotypes and prejudice
- stimulate active participation

Pettinengo – 2017



Actors:

- People considered at risk of social marginalization
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- - Coordinating Organization
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- - Sending organization
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- - Hosting organization

ACTORS and ROLES:

Coordinating Organization – SCI ITALY

- partner research and contact
- preparation of workcamp coordinator
- participants preparation agreed with partners
- logistical support
- monitoring and evaluating

ACTORS:

Sending Organization

- centri di giustizia minorile
- social services
- social cooperatives

ACTORS and ROLES: **Sending Organization**

- agreed on the proposal
- participant recruitment
- participant preparation in collaboration with SCI-Italy
- monitoring and evaluating
- support the participant at his return to enforce the impact of the action

ACTORS and ROLES: **Hosting organization**

Sci-Italy selects the hosting organization according to:

- their motivation
- their capacity to involve
- their capacity to manage possible difficulties in the relationship with the group
- the previous relationships

Costs:

- camp fee offered by SCI-Italy
- insurance offered by SCI-Italy
- travel agreed between SCI-Italy and the sending organization
- pocket money for the free time agreed between SCI-Italy and the sending organization
- SCI Italy's membership card offered by the sending organization
- food and lodging offered by the hosting organization

RESULTS:

Good feedback from participants:

- awareness on social issues is increased
- self-confidence is improved
- trust on the Other is enhanced
- most of participants ask for new similar experiences

ONCE BACK?

- participants evaluate their experience with the sending organization: emotionally and in terms of skills acquired
- participants are supported by the sending organization in continuing their path of active participation

Divangazioni – 2018

