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Call for

60 movies

for the 60th Anniversary of the Council of Europe

Send your 1-minute message to the participants
of the Forum on Human Rights Education with
Young People

European Youth Centre Budapest
14-18 October 2009

What is the Forum on Human Rights Education?

The Directorate of Youth and Sport of the Council of Europe is organising The Forum on Human Rights Education with Young People that will be held in the European Youth centre in Budapest from 14 to 18 October 2009. The forum aims to promote, consolidate and develop human rights education with and by young people within the Council of Europe's mission and framework. The activity will bring together about 200 participants who are, among others,

- Governmental representatives or experts active in youth policy, youth work, education or human rights;
- Representatives and activists of and within non-governmental organisations, including leaders of youth organisations, youth workers, trainers and facilitators of human rights education with young people;
- Youth researchers experienced or interested in human rights education;
- Organisers of pilot projects and national and regional training courses in human rights education supported by the Council of Europe's Directorate of Youth and Sport over the past eight years (including those supported by the European Youth Foundation);
- Representatives of organisations responsible for the translations and publications of Compass;
- Experts from human rights organisations and institutions (ombudsman offices, international organisations, etc.) concerned with human rights education.

One of the forum's objectives is to associate young people with the 60th anniversary the Council of Europe is celebrating this year.

What is this call about?

During the Forum we would like to give a chance to young people and youth organisations to have their say and send a message to the participants in the Forum. Therefore, we would like various organisations and people all over Europe who benefited or still want to benefit from the co-operations with the Directorate of Youth and Sport to prepare and make movies that will be screened during the Forum.

What should the movies be about?

As previously mentioned, the movies should be the messages from people and organisations in Europe to the participants in the Forum. They will be shown as well to celebrate the 60th Anniversary of the Council of Europe. Just in a few bullet points, the movies can/should:

- be relevant to the audience they will be shown (participants in the Forum on Human Rights Education and people visiting and working in the premises of the Council of Europe in Budapest and Strasbourg)
- celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Council of Europe
- bring a 'youth spirit' to the Forum
- talk about your experience with the Council of Europe and state a clear message for the future work of the organisation in the area of human rights and human rights education.

This is not an exhaustive list and it should not limit your creativity when preparing the movie.

Who can prepare and send a movie?

Anyone interested in making it and sending a message to the Council of Europe and the participants in the Forum on Human Rights Education. We would, however, like to encourage especially youth NGOs and young people themselves.

What should the movies be like?

There are a few technical requirements for the movies to be prepared. Therefore, for the sake of feasibility, all movies should:

- be prepared in one of the most popular movie format, such as: .avi, .mp4, .wmv, .ogm, .mpg or .wav
- last maximum 1 minute (preferably less)
- edited and ready to show
- be in English, French or Russian (if they are in any other language, please make sure you add subtitles to the movie). However, movies do not have to use verbal communication.
- Specify (in the beginning or the end of the movie) the name of the organisation or person(s) it is send from and the country it was made.

When and how should the movies be send to us?

The deadline for receiving movies is **27 September 2009**. If the movie is less than 100 MB (you may think about compressing them before you send them) you can send it via YouSendIt (<http://www.yousendit.com/>) specifying the address of Dariusz Grzemny (Dariusz.GRZEMNY@coe.int). Please do not send movies directly to this e-mail address, use YouSendIt service for it.

If your movie is bigger than 100 MB, please send it recorded on a CD/DVD disc to:

Dariusz Grzemny
European Youth Centre
Council of Europe
30, rue Pierre de Coubertin
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France

Will all the movies be shown during the Forum ?

Unfortunately not. As the title of this call suggests, we are going to choose 60 movies. The preparatory team of the Forum will make a selection, taking into consideration mainly diversity of organisations and countries. You will be informed if your movie was selected or not.

Will you get an award if your movie is selected to be shown?

For sure, we cannot pay you money for it. We will definitely show it to some 200 people during the Forum and some other hundreds in the premises of the Council of Europe in Strasbourg.

Who can I contact if I have any other questions regarding this call?

Please contact Dariusz Grzemny, Educational Advisor in the European Youth Centre in Strasbourg - Dariusz.GRZEMNY@coe.int.