




Društvo Humanitas

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Type of organisation:

SME School University Public Authority
 Training No Profit NGO

Other (Specify)

Fields of action:

SMEs Youth Universities Public Authorities
 Equal opportunities Schools Unemployed

Description of the organisation

Humanitas was founded in 2000. It is a non-governmental organization – a non-profit society dealing primarily with human rights and supportive action. Our mission is to raise awareness of global problems such as poverty, over-consumption, the gap between economically differently developed countries and, through education and awareness-raising, to encourage social inclusion and responsibility. Humanitas principal activities are: global education, development cooperation projects, fair trade, child sponsorship (with programs mainly in Africa) and responsible tourism.

Humanitas is one of the founders of Slovene NGO platform and also coordinates its Global Education working group. In this respect, we also focus on policy changes connected to GL area and supporting NGOs in their GE activities. It is also one of the main founders of the only fair-trade shop in Slovenia, 3Muhe (<http://www.3muhe.si/index.php>).

Humanitas's main field of work is global education, but an essential topic included under GE is also intercultural and human rights education together with education for diversity. In this way all of our international GE projects covered also the topics of migration, anti-discrimination and diversity.

Experience of the organization in previous European projects

Humanitas has been conducting numerous global education (GE) intercultural workshops dealing with Human rights, especially prejudice, stereotypes, hate-speech, discrimination, diversity, migrations etc. in schools (for teachers and children) since 2000. In 2012 we started to work with Through Other's Eyes methodology in strong cooperation with one of its authors Vanessa Andreotti. We implement more than 100 global education workshops and seminars per year on mentioned and similar topics. We also hold regular and continuous contacts with more than 30 schools, which means they get back to us every year while planning for the next school year. Otherwise we have cooperated with more than 150 schools throughout Slovenia and abroad.

On the international level, we are active in the EPTO (European peer training organization) network, which organizes anti-discrimination and diversity trainings for future and already existing trainers and we are a national representative in CONCORD HUB 4 working group on global citizenship education and public engagement.

EU Programme	Year	Project Identification or Contract Number	Applicant/Beneficiary Name
Erasmus+	2019 - 2022	PeerAct – Upscaling peer-to-peer anti-bias education for promoting common values; 612137-EPP-1-2019-1-BE-EPPKA3-IPI-SOC-INA	European Peer Training Organisation
Erasmus+	2019 - 2023	Build European Solidarity Today (BEST): Let's replay the Fraternity Card!; 612153-EPP-1-2019-1-HR-EPPKA3-IPI-SOC-IN	Centre for Peace Studies
Erasmus+	2018 - 2020	E-Tick: Platform on Ethical Communication for Young Volunteers; 2018-2-SI02-KA205-014754	Zavod Voluntariat
EuropeAid	2019-2022	Culture and Peer-Learning for Development Education; CSOLA/2018/401-796 2019-2022	Office for International Affairs of the City of Cologne
EuropeAid	2017-2020	Global issues - Global subjects; CSOLA/2017/388-121 2017-2020	Centrum Edukacji Obywatelskiej
EuropeAid	2019-2022	Culture and Peer-Learning for Development Education; CSOLA/2018/401-796 2019-2022	Office for International Affairs of the City of Cologne
Erasmus+	2017-2018	Training theatre in global education; 2017-1-SI02- KA105-014128 2017-2018	Društvo Humanitas – Center za globalno učenje in sodelovanje

Experience and Expertise of the organization in the project's subject area

We have years of experience in the field of global education, specifically on the topics of intercultural dialogue, hate-speech, discrimination, diversity and empathy. Our main target groups are students in primary and secondary school, teachers and global education trainers. We conduct workshops for students on a regular basis; we also organize regular trainings for teachers (bi-monthly meetings of the Club of Global Education Teachers) and seminars (at least once per year a 1-day national conference on global education attended by almost 100 teachers and trainers from across Slovenia). We have experience in conducting research on inclusion of global education in schools (https://drive.google.com/file/d/1kDViWncsSOIGSsGI2-wNbzNa8Zt_OnmR/view) and we regularly develop practical tools and handbooks for teachers and trainers. Many of our publications can be reached here: https://issuu.com/drustvo_humanitas. We also combine global education with artistic practices such as theatre in order to promote values of solidarity and human rights, and develop empathy among the youth. One of such projects was an interactive and experiential theatre play Through Refugee's Eyes focusing on the situation and life of refugees. The play was visited by primary and secondary students and teachers from all over Slovenia. Aside from promoting development of key competencies of global solidarity and responsibility among youth, our projects aim to encourage them to become vocal and active citizens in their communities.

Contributions that can be provided to the project

Experiences in the field of global education are definitely the most important part we can bring to this project, more concrete: developing GE methods, preparing GE materials (educational, promotional etc.), sharing and networking with teachers and other educators etc.

Reasons of involvement in the project

Sharing ideas of solidarity, equality and justice is one of most our important aims, and youth is one of our main target groups, so we believe our experiences would be an added value of this project.

Contact Person's Experience and Expertise

Alma Rogina works as a project coordinator at Humanitas. Currently she is a national coordinator of the EU funded project *Global Issues - Global Subjects*, led by Polish partners Fundacja CEO. She is a coordinator of Humanitas' global education trainers. She holds global learning workshops in primary and secondary schools, and trainings for teachers, NGOs and other target groups. Besides, she has previous experiences in working on different projects, especially in the field of intercultural dialogue, migration, human rights, and development cooperation in Africa, where she worked on projects aimed at empowering marginalized groups, especially women and indigenous communities (Uganda, Sierra Leone). She is a certified national trainer of Human Rights Education for young people - COMPASS (Centre for Citizenship Education and EYCB - Council of Europe), and a certified peer trainer of EPTO (European Peer Training Organization). She holds a BA degree in Ethnology and Cultural Anthropology (Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana). In 2019, she joined the EU Election Observation Mission in Malawi as a short-term election observer. Besides, independent travels in many countries around the world enabled her to gain excellent communication and intercultural skills.

Viktorija Kos started her career in ngo sector as an intern in Global education network in 2015. She holds Ba in pedagogy and adult education (Faculty of Arts, Ljubljana), currently studying psychotherapy (Sigmund Freud University, Vienna). As an intern she has worked in Myanmar in a local ngo dealing with nonformal education for four months. Later on she has been working in the field of international volunteering with a strong emphasis on sustainability, interculturality and responsible international volunteering. As a member of Global education network she has been working as a tutor and facilitator of global education. Since 2019 she is part of Humanitas where she is working on projects dealing with global education and facilitating workshops. As a volunteer and activist she is involved in associations working with refugees and for climate justice.