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Organisers

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Debate

Intercultural and citizenship education Non-formal education to advance the Paris process

One year and a half has passed since the *Declaration on Promoting citizenship and the common values of freedom, tolerance and non-discrimination through education* was adopted by EU Education Ministers in Paris. So far, the measures put in place by governments to advance the process started in Paris are mostly targeting formal education, namely by including the compulsory subject "Citizenship Education" in the curricula. However, this means leaving out an important part of educational providers and stakeholders, and not implementing the Paris vision in the many learning environments. Indeed, non-formal education should be recognised within and outside schools to make sure Citizenship and Intercultural Education are learned in practice. Moreover, educators should be provided with innovative and experiential learning tools to develop these competences.

This event aims to assess the implementation of the Paris declaration so far, especially at national level, and provide examples of how non-formal learning approaches in the field of Intercultural Citizenship and Human Rights Education can contribute to the process.

Agenda

Welcome words & Introduction

- Elisa Briga – European Federation for Intercultural Learning- EFIL (facilitator)

Debate

A policy perspective

- Sogol Noorani, Education Policy and Systems Analyst, EACEA
- Nektaria Palaiologou, Board member, International Association for Intercultural Education (IAIE) and Professor, School of Education, University of Western Macedonia, Greece.

A practice perspective

- Evgenia Khoroltseva, Project Manager, Human Rights Academy, Norway, DARE network
- Nils-Eyk Zimmermann, Program Manager, MitOst, Germany, DARE network
- Elisa Briga, Advocacy and Project Co-ordinator, European Federation for Intercultural Learning (EFIL)
- Brian Jurczik-Arnold, Director, European Educational Exchanges- Youth for Understanding (EEE-YFU)

Question and Answers

Closing words

- Brian Jurczik-Arnold, Steering Committee, Lifelong Learning Platform



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