

MEETING MEMORIES

SEMINAR FOR TEACHERS
AND YOUTH WORKERS

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Ljubljana, Slovenia

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Meeting Memories:
Learning from the Past to
Confront Dehumanization
Today

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PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The project **“Meeting Memories: Learning from the Past to Confront Dehumanization Today”** aims to include European citizens in a reflection on the politics of dehumanization and scapegoating happening during the 1930s and 1940s, and generate a reflection on similar patterns happening today. It also wants to promote a discussion on Holocaust education, and engage citizens in confronting distortions of historical facts about the suffering in concentration camps during World War II.

The **“Meeting Memories” seminar** offers a space for teachers, youth workers, and other participants employed or interested in the field of education, to meet and discuss the themes of Holocaust and **Holocaust education**, its practices and challenges. During the seminar, the participants will learn new formal and non-formal educational methods, exchange good practices, develop new materials on how to approach the topic in schools and youth work, and cooperate and network in an international environment.

The seminar will take place in **Ljubljana, Slovenia, from the 12th to the 15th of November.**

THE PARTNERS

1	Center for Informative decontamination of youth	Bosnia and Herzegovina
2	<i>Documenta</i> – Center for dealing with the past	Croatia
3	Jasenovac Memorial Site	Croatia
4	Max Mannheimer Haus	Germany
5	University of Udine	Italy
6	Centre for Public History	Serbia
7	Socialna Akademija	Slovenia

HOW TO APPLY

You can join the seminar if you are over 18, and you are teacher or professor, youth worker, educator, or have an interest in the topic of education. The seminar is open for participants who are nationals or are living in the European Union member states and in the Western Balkans.

ALL PARTICIPANTS NEED TO POSSES A VALID GREEN PASS¹

If you would like to participate to the seminar please send a Word or PDF file indicating (in English or in the language of the partner country) your **NAME, SURNAME, DATE OF BIRTH, ACTUAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE, E-MAIL** and a **SHORT MOTIVATIONAL LETTER** (max. 800 characters) to your country referent, as indicated in the table below.

This call is open **until the 5th of November**.

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If you have other questions on the project in general please contact the project coordinator Alice Straniero at alice.straniero@documenta.hr

¹– [Border Crossing | GOV.SI](#) – Certificate of COVID-19 vaccination to show that the person has received: the second dose of the Comirnaty vaccine produced by Biontech/Pfizer or the Spikevax COVID-19 vaccine produced by Moderna or the Sputnik V vaccine produced by Russia's Gamaleya National Centre of Epidemiology and Microbiology or the CoronaVac vaccine produced by Sinovac Biotech or the COVID-19 vaccine produced by Sinopharm or the Vaxzevria COVID-19 vaccine produced by AstraZeneca or the Covishield produced by the Serum Institute of India/or a combination of two previously listed vaccines.

NOTE: Because of the possible new laws and regulations for entering Slovenia that could be issued in the following month, the organizers reserve the rights to change the previously listed requirement for participation.

COSTS

Traveling to Ljubljana and back, accommodation, 3 meals a day and all program activities during the seminar are fully covered by the organizers.

TRAVEL COSTS

The travel costs will be reimbursed based on the cheapest and closest to the venue possibilities (second class railway tickets, bus tickets, low-cost flights), accompanied by the receipt of complete and original tickets, invoices, bills, receipts, or boarding cards.

Before buying the tickets, please consult with the project's team and check the traveling route with them.

The maximum contribution for travel costs for one person, from hometown to Ljubljana and back is the following:

Country	Maximum contribution per person in Euro
Bosnia and Herzegovina	180 EUR
Croatia	180 EUR
Germany	180 EUR
Italy	180 EUR
Serbia	180 EUR
Slovenia	23 EUR

For participants from other countries, please calculate your maximum contribution based on this calculator: [Distance Calculator | Erasmus+ \(europa.eu\)](#), indicating your hometown as start and Ljubljana as end. The contribution depends on the kilometers, following this table:

Kilometers	Maximum contribution per person in Euro
0 – 99 km	23 EUR
100 – 499 km	180 EUR
500 – 1999 km	275 EUR
2000 – 2999 km	360 EUR

The coordinators will reimburse the tickets to the participants **after** the conclusion of the seminar.

CHECK LIST FOR TRAVEL REIMBURSEMENT:

1. Regular plane tickets must be accompanied:

- by the **original invoice** (signed and stamped)/receipt/pay order/proof of payment
- the **boarding pass** (the small ticket with QR code you receive before boarding the plane)
- the **prices** stated in the invoices, receipts etc. must **coincide** with the price on the ticket

2. Electronic air tickets must be:

- **printed out** and include your **name, the exact fare you paid, details of your flight on the same page**
- provided along with **the credit card receipt for the payment or a copy of your bank statement** (clearly showing the payment has been made)
- given in with the **boarding pass** (ticket with QR code)

NOTES:

- Some airlines print “passenger receipt” at the top of the cardboard ticket. It is not accepted as a receipt of proof of payment. Therefore, if you book your tickets online, please, make sure to print out the e-mail you receive from the airline company upon the payment, stating how much and how you paid.
- If you use an App for booking your plane, be sure to save or screenshot the boarding passes, as they disappear from the application after you have used them.

3. Train/Bus tickets

- It is important that that **arrival and departure time** as well as **the price** are visible (+ invoices if available)

Other important details:

- Missing or lost tickets are not reimbursed
- Booking paper alone is not enough
- Any costs for taxi are not reimbursed
- Return tickets must be bought in advance before the journey

The travel must take place on the direct way within **maximum 2 days** from the dates of beginning and ending of the Seminar In case of long pauses or indirect routes (holiday travel), there is no reimbursement of travel costs.

TRAVELING TO LJUBLJANA

We would like to welcome you all on **Friday, 12th of November at 13:00**, to start with the lunch and getting to know each other. Please plan your travel according this arrival time. In case of any problems or delays, please contact us.

Ljubljana Airport is located 20 km away from Ljubljana. There is an established network of public and private transfers that can take you from or to the airport: [Transport | Ljubljana Airport \(lju-airport.si\)](http://Transport | Ljubljana Airport (lju-airport.si)). You can use Kiwi (<https://www.kiwi.com/>) or Skyscanner (<https://www.skyscanner.net/>) to find the best flight options. As an alternative, you can also check flight connections to Venice Marco Polo, Venice Treviso, Vienna, and Zagreb. From these cities, there are direct connections to Ljubljana via bus, see Flixbus (<https://global.flixbus.com/>) or train, see <https://potniski.sz.si/en/>. The hostel is located at around 300 m from the bus/train station.

ACCOMMODATION

The participants will stay at **Hostel Celica**, located in **Metelkova Ulica 8** – [Home | Celica \(hostelcelica.com\)](http://Home | Celica (hostelcelica.com)), in single or double rooms, with shared bathrooms (separate for men and women) on the floor. Bed linen and towels are provided as well.

The building of Hostel Celica served as a military prison for more than 100 years, before being restructured and becoming a modern and artistic hostel. As the rooms are derived from the previous cells, please check the hotel page before the arrival, to make sure you are comfortable in this accommodation.



	Friday 12	Saturday 13	Sunday 14	Monday 15
8:00 – 9:00		Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
9:30 – 12:30	Arrival and check-in	Visit to the National Museum of Contemporary History	Group work: method development	Departures
13:00 – 15:00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
15:00 – 17:00	Presentation of the project and getting to know each other	Method mapping and good practices examples	Group presentations	
17:00 – 17:30	Break	Break	Break	
17:30 – 19:00	Experiential learning and testing of methods	Experiential learning and testing of methods	Evaluation and closing-up	
19:00	Dinner and social evening	Dinner and social evening	Dinner and social evening	

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 Photos: page 5 - [Cells and rooms](#) | [Celica \(hostelcelica.com\)](#)

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