



Project Through The Memories

Meeting Berlin
March, 5th - 8th 2015



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Dear friends and colleagues,

The meeting will not be a meeting with long lectures/contributions and academically discussions. The meeting will be a meeting of citizens (according to the EU-Program Europe for Citizens) and an animated relation to our topic, to the memory of the fall of the Wall.

In Berlin, you don't have to go into archives or museums in order to remember the fall of the Wall or to meet eyewitnesses.

The entire city is the museum and many people still remember the turbulent times when the Wall was still intact, or how it fell. Unfortunately, in Berlin, there also are some people that have a negative attitude towards those memories and mourn the passing of the old times when Berlin was still separated. However, the memory of the Wall is still alive in the minds of Berlin's citizens because it still is part of their daily life.

The relation/meeting will begin with the accommodation at the M3, which is a neighborhood center in Berlin Marzahn Hohenschönhausen. The center is located in a building which is one of the biggest (extended?) prefabricated buildings in Europe and part of the cultural heritage of the GDR.

The M3-members found some younger people from the neighborhood that would like to meet people their age and agreed to live with you for 2 days. During this time, some of you (10 or 12 people) and 4-10 young people from Marzahn-Hohenschönhausen will sleep under one roof, some in one big room.

Also, there will be 2 meetings in the Awo (Berlin Kreuzberg, former West Berlin) and the Kiezclub Rahnsdorf (Berlin Treptow- Köpenick, former East Berlin), where you will see some short informative presentations about the Wall and the fall of the Wall. In Rahnsdorf you will have the opportunity to see a community theater group performing a 45 minute play, called "Mauerstückchen" (Little piece of the Wall).

Mainly at the AWO, the Berlin group will present their first results to you.

You will have to introduce yourself, your institution and your work to the other members 2 times. As the time is very limited, your presentations can't be very detailed but you should be able to make the other participants curious to get to know more about you and your work.

Afterward we will have to decide on how to organize the following exchange and consolidation of knowledge via internet (e.g. blog)

At the beginning of the meeting we will give you a small diary, in which you will have to retain/record your observations and impressions (writing, drawing,...). After the end of meeting, we will collect and publish your material as a form of evaluation.

A small group of coordinators will discuss and define detailed questions during the meeting on March 7, 2015.

In plenum we will work with several translators: Italian – German, and German - Portuguese

We wish you and us creativity, flexibility and intensive imagination.

Claudio Cassetti

(for the Berlin Team: Herbert Spindler, Tatiana Calari and some other people)

Program (Draft)

5. March Thursday

11:45 Arrival Lisbon Airport Schönefeld
14:30 Arrival Italy Tegel
17:00 Meeting with Berliners from M3 Neighborhoods center
Presentation of all participants
Evtl. Interview to time witnesses
19.00 Evening meal M3
20:30 Linedance workshop M3
22:00 some people to the hotels

6. March Friday

9.00 Start from M3 with M3-Berliners
10.30 - 12.00 The Wall, from Bornholmerstrasse zu Nordbahnhof
13.00 Lunch Regenbogenfabrik (social project)
15:00 Meeting in AWO-Neighborhoods-center
Presentation Results Workshop (film)
Small Presentation it and port groups
Discussion in small groups with young people, time witnesses, elderly people
17:30/18:30 All people bring the ready meal to
the rooms in the superior floor
18:30 Evening meal with all participants
20.00 End of the Events, all go back to M3
21:15 Good by Lenin M3

7. March Saturday

All groups except coordinators
09.30 Start from M3 Martin
10.00 - 13.00 The Wall, East Side Galery

Coordinators meeting M3

13.00 Lunch on the way

15.00 Meeting in Kiezclub-Rahnsdorf, center for free time of elderly people
Small Presentation it and port groups
16:00 Theatre of Experience: Mauerstückchen (Pieces from the wall)
17:00 Discussion in small groups with young people, time witnesses, elderly people

19:30 Evening meal at Potsdamer Platz
22:00 Visiting the dome of the Reichstag
Open night with Berliners?

8. March Sunday

09:00 Small evaluation M3
10:00 Pick up Lisbon flight
12:30 Pick up Italy flight M3

Some useful addresses:

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