

## AUSTRIA

**The Genocide of the Roma and Sinti : New teaching and learning materials  
11. Central Seminar of \_erinnern.at\_ (Eisenstadt, 8.-10. November 2012)**

**1. General approach and framework :**

The general aim of the training activities of the Pestalozzi Programme is to train education professionals to become multipliers for Council of Europe standards and values in education.

The work is based on three main pillars

- Content : standards and principles as well as project results of the Council of Europe
- Methodology : learner-centred, peer-training, collaborative work on issues of common concerns to find fit solutions for diverse contexts
- Four-fold concept of competences development : developing sensitivity and awareness, knowledge and understanding, individual practice, societal practice

**2. Number :** CoE 2012 **1108-1110 Austria**

**3. Related Council of Europe Project :** **Holocaust Education**

**4. Dates :** **8.11./2012 – 10/11/2012**

**5. Deadline for application :** **08/10/2012**

**6. Working language(s) :** **English and German**

**7. Venue :**

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**8. Number of available places :**

**10** participants from the signatory States to the European Cultural Convention  
**100** participants from the host country

**9. Target group : History teachers**

**10. Focus of the training activity : Learn about persecution of Roma during National Socialist dictatorship, explore teaching approaches, discuss issues of contemporary relevance**

**11. Expected results : Teachers are able to find adequate learning resources and to teach on a more reflected level**

12. **Outline of programme : History of Roma minority ; persecution during NS-time ; workshops on teaching methodology ; study trip to historical site**

13. **Organising body :**

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14. **Coordinator of the training :**

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15. **Travel and subsistence expenses :**

Travel expenses :

- i. Travel expenses of participants from the signatory States are covered by the Council of Europe according to the rules.
- ii. Travel expenses of Participants from the host country **are reimbursed by schools**

Subsistence expenses :

Subsistence expenses – accommodation and meals - are covered by the host country for all participants. Any travel or activity, included in the programme of the European Workshop, should also be taken in charge by the host country.

16. **Other information :**

The success of the training activities depend on the commitment of all the participants. By accepting to participate in the Pestalozzi programme, participants and facilitators agree to participate actively and assiduously in all the phases of the activity.

Information for participants from the signatory States to the European Cultural Convention :

Travel expenses : Participants benefiting from reimbursement of their travel expenses are advised to consult carefully on the website the section about "Rules". Application form : Candidates must send their application form duly completed to the National Liaison Officer of their country of residence. All information available on : <http://www.coe/Pestalozzi>