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## ABOUT THE PROJECT

**Topic:** The Ideas of Antiquity, Cultural Identity of the Ancient Ages, Its Heritage for Today and Intercultural Learning

**Content:** The Educational programme for the young and youth workers's goal is the young's intercultural learning of art and history among cultural heritage within 2018 European year of Cultural Heritage and 2018 Troy year.

Activities will make participants be in touch with nature and historical environment. To be in touch with nature and history, camping and outdoor activities will be realized, we aim to make participant have opinion about European values, ancient democracy, multi-culturalism and active citizenship with activities in nature and historical places.

Homer and other ancient poets' legends and stories will be conveyed to the participants with new methods, so the participant can corroborate how the concepts of democracy, participation and individualism have been developed and evolved with intercultural learning methods.

**How will it be realized:** Activities which will be realized in and around ancient cities intend to be in harmony with nature and to learn what we can do in return of our footprints on ecosystem. Furthermore, developing attributes to know, protect, interiorize these places are aimed in this kind of country where the concepts of nature and cultural heritage are intertwined.

In the pursuit of these goals, methods like non-formal education techniques, creative drama will be used, historical empathy will be conveyed to the participants with historical role-playing activities. All these activities will be

helpful for the participants to feel nature, historical atmosphere, to contribute to it and not to remain insensitive. Responsibility for cultural heritage, nature and future will be main emphasis of the project.

Academic and scientific activities, presentations and educations will be realized to advertise the region, Anatolian Historical heritage. At the end of the project, the participants are expected to feel responsible for cultural heritage, nature and culture of the region they do not know before. Raising awareness about active citizenship, democracy, European values on the purpose of sustainable nature , history and culture are intended.

### **Goals**

- To enable integration of the participants with nature and Cultural Heritage
- To pave the way for the participants's perception of sustainable nature and Cultural Heritage,
- To enable the participants to feel responsible for active citizenship and to raise their awareness,
- To improve local, national and international network and communication with each other,
- To create a platform on Ancient Greek democracy and European democracy. To plan activities about the concept of democracy.
- To enable the participants to discuss actively about historical facts. Thus, to enable the young and youth workers to convey, discuss and develop ideas about European values.

### **Methods**

- Non-formal education techniques
- Activities which will contribute to historical empathy of the participants through creative drama, role-playing, discussions etc.
- To raise awareness of the participants about nature with Nature Sport, Trekking , camping
- To raise awareness of the participants about art and history through artistic activities, historical tours.
- To support the abilities like team work and team awareness through the activities

## USEFUL INFORMATION

### How to apply:

We need from you:

1. **PIF** document (**Partner Identification Form**),
2. **Mandate Form**

Send us via e-mail ([homeric.voyagers@gmail.com](mailto:homeric.voyagers@gmail.com)) if you interest to be a partner for our project.

### Where will it be and when:

We organise our Project for **July 2019**, in **Mount Ida**. Mount Ida located in **Edremit, Balıkesir** in Turkey. Near of Troy, Assos and Ephesus.



### About us

SATAD (Art Historians Association), since its foundation, has organized many activities, symposiums and projects. Its first goal is creating a platform for students and academicians of Art History. Second goal is supporting social entrepreneurship and European values in Turkey and in the Europe.

Homeric Voyagers is a youth platform of Art Historian Association. It aims projects about EU values, cultural Heritage, democracy, active citizenship, and nature.

For further information: [www.satad.org](http://www.satad.org)

