

EUROPEAN YOUTH EDUCATION „THINK EUROPE“
DRAFT PROGRAMME AND INVITATION

Surveillance galore – All Eyes on you! The glass century and we as citizens

Seminar No.: 576
November 01st to November 08th 2015, Europahaus Marienberg

Participants:

8 young people from Poland and two accompanying adults
8 young people from the Czech Republic and one accompanying adult
7 young people from Austria and two accompanying adults
7 young people from Spain and two accompanying adults
8 young people from Lithuania and two accompanying adults
8 young people from Croatia and two accompanying adults
7 young people from Slovenia and one accompanying adult
7 young people from Germany and one accompanying adult
Age of the participants: 16+

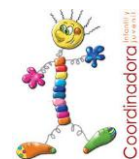
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Content of the gathering / educational aims

"I don't want to live in a world where everything that I say, everything I do, everyone I talk to, every expression of creativity or love or friendship is recorded." - Edward Snowden, Ex-employee of the NSA and PRISM-whistleblower

"You can't have 100-percent security and also have 100-percent privacy and zero inconvenience. We're going to have to make some choices as a society." - Barack Obama, President of the USA

"I hope when someday our grandchildren look back to these early days of the internet they are not crossed with us. [...] We have a moral responsibility for the internet– and no time to lose." - Bruce Schneier, US expert for Cryptography and Computer safety

The internet changes everything, like it or not. The new digital opportunities mean a huge progress in almost every area of life. Like the industrialization in the 19th century, the digitalization will move and challenge the people in the 21st century. Back in time and today not everything that is gold glitters. From economics we know the term "creative destruction", meaning that new and successful things replace old ones and that this is a necessary process itself. This clarifies that change also means insecurity, familiarization, to do away with old shibboleths and an (unwanted) reorientation. Thus digitalization in certain areas is not progress but more the root of evil.

In this European youth gathering we are going to deal with a dark side of the digital world – surveillance. Already this wording is tendentious and can raise dissent. There are many people who don't see surveillance as something negative. They focus more on the matter of improved security. Go back to the quote from Obama again. For others this is already the beginning of the end of individual freedom – see Snowden. Society has to and will find an agreement how we deal with this new challenge like the third quote shows.

We would like to lift the curtain unbiased to put this topic on our educational agenda. We are going to deal with the topic within a European context to include many different perspectives to gain maximum output. Like migration, pollution and terrorism the process of digitalization does not stop at national borders and is a global challenge. We will also try to cover topics which are not hyped in the mainstream media like the NSA scandal. Have you ever heard about RFID or INDECT or about silent SMS? What about the surveillance by employers, what do companies do with data of the citizens? Many question that deserve answers.

The project is consciously organized in an international framework, with participants from eight different countries, to include also the intercultural differences (or similarities) of the topic. The intercultural framing is also important to learn and grew in this project without dealing with the topic itself but focus on the intercultural dimension. We are going to use a lot of different methods to make the learning experience as exciting and sustainable as possible.

Feedback

There will be daily evaluations to find out about individual feelings, the group atmosphere and the status of the agreed aims of the project. There will also be time and place for criticism and new ideas.

Social Media

Seminar results, experiences and impressions will be disseminated already during the gathering via social media to present it to a broader public. Networking, transparent education and multiplication are crucial aims. Photos and movies will facilitate only overall impressions. Portrayal of individuals will only be published if approved beforehand.

Blog European youth education „think europe“: <http://thinkeurope.net>
Facebook page: <http://facebook.com/thinkeurope>
Twitter: <http://twitter.com/thinkeurope>
Youtube: <http://youtube.com/user/thinkeurope>

Methods

Non formal learning methods and digital learning tools. All methods are designed to activate the participants. The methodical repertoire is orientated on the target group and shall support the engagement with the topic.

The aim is that participants will do many things by themselves and that they try things out. It is important to have a high variation of methods to keep the programme interesting and exciting and to cover the different needs of all participants.

Following methods are included in the project: Ice-Breaking, international evening, (digital) presentations, World Café, discussion rounds and debriefing, talks, evaluation, Mini-UAVs and more technic stuff, Flash Mob, work in small groups, Social Media, research, Kino, project blog, creative workshops

Equipment for the seminar

Please bring your own devices with you – tablets and laptops.

Make sure that you have received the general information sheet from the Europahaus Marienberg summarizing all important information.

Questions concerning programme and organisation

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Conditions

Participants from Germany, Austria and Spain pay a seminar fee of 140,00 EURO for accommodation, full board and seminar programme. Accompanying adults get free places for taking over responsibility for their delegation.

Participants from MEE countries pay a seminar fee of 80,00 EURO for accommodation, full board and seminar programme. Accompanying adults get free places for taking over responsibility for their delegation.

Travel reimbursement: according to a flat rate calculated on the basis between your home country and the venue.

Important: Please bring all original receipts for travelling with you (tickets, invoices etc.). Without receipts there will be no reimbursement. Please use the cheapest way of travelling including special offers.

Please bring your own towels, bed linen will be provided by the Europahaus Marienberg.

Note

This seminar is financially supported by the EU education programme Erasmus+ and the Federal Agency for Civic Education (Special funding „Surveillance“).

The seminar is open to everybody and published in the German version on the website of the Europahaus Marienberg – www.europahaus-marienberg.eu

Sunday November 01st 2015

till 05.30 pm	Arrival and Check-in
06.00 – 07.00 pm	Dinner
07.00 pm	<p>„Shielded – Better prepared“ – kick-off Creating some „Aluhüte“ for each pax for greater security against data surveillance, first contact with the topic „surveillance“</p> <p>„Decoding rules“ Introduction into the Europahaus Marienberg and the project, first get together, European delegations grow together</p>

Monday November 02nd 2015

08.00 – 09.00 am	Breakfast
09.00 am – 12.30 pm	<p>„Total Off-line – data exchange analogue“ Ice-Breaking, get to know each other, becoming a European project group intercultural learning, Energizer</p> <p>Data blog – our storage chamber! Blog for the multiplication of the youth gathering (experiences/ results)</p>
12.30 pm	Lunch
02.00 – 05.30 pm	<p>World Café „Snowden, NSA & Co.“ Participatory access to the topic, collecting information, focal points and central aspects of surveillance</p> <p>Brief presentation by the moderators of each table , debriefing of results</p> <p>Saving the learning outcome / results for the coming days</p> <p>Project surveillance – daily evaluation in small international groups, saving results</p>
06.00 – 07.00 pm	Dinner

- 08.00 pm **„Watching & participating“ – Country Market**
All countries present their city/region/country via: music, dancing, food, traditional cloth etc.
- Note: Please bring the stuff you need for your presentation with you or clarify with the Europahaus whether it can be provided. Preparations have to be done in advance.**

Tuesday November 03rd 2015

- 08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast
- 09.00 – 11.30 am **“Surveillance galore – All eyes on you”**
Interactive speech about various aspects concerning surveillance in daily life
Speaker: padeluun, artist and web activist, Bielefeld (asked for)
- 11.30 am – 12.30 pm **Small projects on surveillance in daily life**
Small multinational groups do research and prepare small presentations about different aspects of surveillance (RFID, activities by the public sector, labour market, communication etc.), working session
- 12.30 pm Lunch
- 02.00 – 04.00 pm **Presentation „Small projects“**
Discussion and debriefing inkl. Exchange with padeluun
- Add-on: Big Brother Awards – a negative prize due to harm on privacy**
Presentation and debriefing about selected examples
Speaker: padeluun, artist and web activist, Bielefeld (asked for)
- 04.00 – 04.30 pm Break
- 04.30 – 05.30 pm **„Fix it“ – Transfer of the results from the day to the data blog**
- Project surveillance – daily evaluation on small international groups, different methods, saving results**
- 06.00 – 07.00 pm Dinner
- 08.00 – 10.00 pm **Snowden-Time: „Citizenfour“ – documentary about Edward Snowden and surveillance**

Wednesday November 04th 2015

- 08.00 – 09.00 am Breakfast
- 09.00 – 11.00 am **Flashmob „I do not have to hide anything“ - Preparations**
Small groups create short interventions for the street – confronting citizens with performances about surveillance and data security

	Campaigns with UAVs, mobiles, , RFID-Chips etc. for a sensitization about the topic (what is possible in the future, what do citizens know, what do they accept, etc.)
11.00 – 11.30 am	Break
11.30 am – 12.30 pm	„Flashmob Pool“ short presentations about different ideas for the flashmob, sharing and developing ideas Plenary session / Feedback / discussions
12.30 pm	Lunch
01.30 – 04.30 pm (inkl. 2 x 30 min. bus shuttle)	Flashmob „ I do not have to hide anything “ Small international groups confront citizens ad hoc on the street with art performances about data piracy and surveillance, collecting reactions and comments from the citizens Bus shuttle to different cities around Bad Marienberg to increase output – Hachenburg, Westerburg, Montabaur, Rennerod etc.
05.00 – 06.00 pm	Debriefing – reports from the flashmops, Documentation and saving results in the data blog, lessons learned Project surveillance – daily evaluation on small international groups, different methods, saving results
06.00 – 07.00 pm	Dinner

Thursday November 05th 2015

08.00 – 09.00 am	Breakfast (packed lunch)
09.00 am	Departure to Cologne
10.30 am – 02.00 pm	„Cryptocalypse now – between horror and reality“ Cryptoparty: With the CCC Cologne (Chaos Computer Club) on a journey of discovery through surveillance at the Hackspace in Cologne <u>Speaker</u> : Jochim Selzer Chaos Computer Club
02.00 – 05.30 pm	Free time in the city center of Cologne
05.45 pm	Departure from Cologne
07.15 – 08.00 pm	Dinner
08.30 – 09.30 pm	Night shift: Debriefing of the results from the Cryptocalypse, Transfer into the data blog, dissemination

Friday November 06th 2015

08.00 – 09.00 am	Breakfast
09.00 – 10.30 am	Creative workshops: “Surveillance galore – All Eyes on you! The glass century and we as citizens“ Introduction into workshops, presentation of all aspects discovered so far in the project, including new aspects, combination with methods to work on a specific topic, setting up multinational project teams
12.30 pm	Lunch
11.00am – 12.30 pm	Kick-off – start working in the creative workshops „Surveillance galore“ Project drafts
12.30 pm	Lunch
02.30 – 05.30 pm	Continuing with the creative workshops „Surveillance galore“, intensifying the work, implementing the drafts Project surveillance – daily evaluation on small international groups, different methods, saving results
06.00 – 07.00 pm	Dinner
08.00 pm	Movie night on surveillance (participants decision) “1984“, „Meine Daten und ich“ (only German), “Enemy of the State” etc.

Saturday November 07th 2015

08.00 – 09.00 am	Breakfast
09.00 – 10.00 am	Getting ready – creative workshops „Surveillance galore“ will be finished, upload to the data blog!
10.00 – 10.30 am	Break
10.30 am – 12.30 pm	Presentation of the projects / creative workshops „Surveillance galore“ Discussion & debriefing
12.30 pm	Lunch
02.30 – 05.30 pm	Farewell activities for and from the participants, movie of the week Final evaluation of all parts of the project, experiences and results, lessons learned, future cooperation, certificates „think europe“ and „Youthpass“
06.00 – 07.00 pm	Dinner
08.00 pm	International Farewell evening by participants

Sunday November 08th 2015

07.00 – 08.00 am	Breakfast (packed lunch)
08.00 – 09.00 am	Final debriefing and farewell After the last night – last impressions and final words by the participants... bye, bye