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INTERKULTURELLE ZUSAMMENARBEIT AN GEMEINSAMEN KULTURGUT – FACHLICHER AUSTAUSCH ZWISCHEN TSCHECHISCHEN UND DEUTSCHEN LERNENDEN IN DER HOLZRESTAURIERUNG

2 Participating countries:  



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Summary

Students and teachers from the state-acknowledged Special Academy for Restorers from Munich and from the Higher Special School for Restoration in Brunn/Czech Republic jointly carried out restoration work and while doing so enjoyed an intensive exchange of ideas and social contact within the framework of the proposed project entitled "Intellectual Cooperation in a Joint Cultural Asset – Professional Exchange of Wood Restoration Ideas between Students from the Czech Republic and Germany".

This exchange helped students enhance their CVs due to their improved language skills and thanked to having established contacts with other colleagues from a neighbouring country. They have a more natural view and understanding of other countries and cultures.

The project was designed to take two years and consisted of two different phases. In the first mobility phase students from Munich participated in a two-week regular theoretical and practical training at the Higher Special School in Brunn. They got to know the training contents of the Czech school. This was followed by another phase, during which various workshops covered conservation and restoration works of the sacristy of the Jesuit Church Mariä Himmelfahrt in Brunn that German students and teachers, and Czech students carried out together, supervised by Czech teachers. The contents of the workshop were available as concepts already. The aim of these workshops was to exchange expert knowledge, improve the English project language skills and participants discovered new cultural approaches and thinking methods.

All participants were trainees or employees from the institutes in Munich and Brunn and they already brought along special background knowledge gained from their wood technology training completed before. Participants were supervised and assessed by the teachers in the fields of design and working methods and during all process steps.

A comprehensive PR campaign was used to inform the experts and non-experts by using tours, social media, television, radio, trade journals and conferences.

The Memorandum of Understanding formed the framework for the cooperation.

Final dialogues and presentations were scheduled in order to verify, whether the procedure has been conducted successfully and whether the envisaged goals have been reached.

The long-term benefit of this project lies in the cross-border collaboration. This foreign experience helps students and teachers to enrich their ways of thinking and working methods and to increase their acceptance of other cultures. Moreover, having improved their language skills and having established valuable contacts with other European colleagues, students enjoy better job opportunities on the labour market.

Results

Results for this project are not available.

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