



Grundtvig Learning Partnership 2010-2012 CSE-Creating Spaces of Experience

EU WAREHOUSE, learning diaries for Karlsruhe (October 2010)



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From the 19th till 22nd of October 2010 I have been participating in a transnational meeting with regards to “Creating Space of Experience”, taking place at INITIAL and conducted by Mme Nevenka and Andreas, who guided us through very fruitful exchanges in a perfect environment. Our friend Nevenka guided our discussion expertly. Especially the exchange on the second day was very rich when we discussed on how to approach and which (communicative) methods to use in order to reach adults, who hadn’t had the chance to exploit the talents in the classic system. At this point we really could see our different characteristics and different pedagogic approaches with regards to this very vulnerable group in our society. In our exchange we repeatedly saw that the ability and capacity to listen to these vulnerable groups is very important as well as to encourage them and to inspire them to use their talents and their potentials.

To see ways to get out of a limiting situation, it was very instructive to visit the INITIAL garden project. The joint cooking in the evening provided a rich learning experience with regards to the cuisine in this region of Germany, like e.g. the famous ravioli souabes.

Thank you very much to all the Karlsruhe-team, to Nevenka for her professionalism and also to Andreas spreading his good mood. A good continuation to the project!
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The seminar in Karlsruhe had a very special added value, as so many participants with a lot of experience came together to exchange their ideas on a high level. All the learning units and the agenda were very much appreciated by everybody, e.g. the cooking classes and also the visit to Marcia Raquel Székely in order to see hear “secret space” to show art exhibitions at her home. Also the timing was pretty much respected – which would easily fit into the general perception what Germans are known for. The meeting has given me the possibility to widen my knowledge through the exchange with the other participants, e.g. with the UK-team on social education. In general the meeting was on a very good level and I am looking forward to the next meetings. Thank you very much!

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