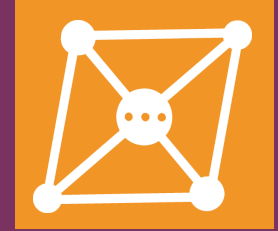


NEWCOMERS AND NATIONALISM:

Exploring the Challenges of Belonging in Diverse Societies



*Interactive Open
Online Courses*

Who we are

The **Sharing Perspectives Foundation** is an implementer of the flagship **Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange** project. This groundbreaking project enables youth in Europe and the Southern Mediterranean to engage in meaningful intercultural experiences online, as part of their formal or non-formal education.



As specialists in virtual exchange pedagogy, we bring together youth, expert academics and practitioners from across the globe to collaboratively learn about current socio-political issues in our Interactive Open Online Courses.

The course

'Newcomers and Nationalism: Exploring the Challenges of Belonging in Diverse Societies' invites students and other young people from all over Europe and the Southern Mediterranean to learn together in an interactive, online classroom. Participants of this 10-week intercultural exchange will explore how nationality shapes our identity and rights and how to creatively cultivate belonging in our new 'super-diverse' societies.

Stimulated by video lectures from expert academics and practitioners, participants exchange ideas and perspectives in a video-conference room. In addition, they participate in an interactive assignment that brings the online experience to the offline reality. Participants develop transversal skills such as empathy, self-esteem, curiosity and the confidence to communicate in cross-cultural settings.

An intercultural learning experience

Participants in this Interactive Open Online Course are provided with the opportunity to:

- Engage with students from different countries, cultures and migration backgrounds in a virtual classroom;
- Watch video lectures by expert academics and practitioners;
- Discuss topical themes on identity, diversity and nationalism;
- Improve English language and communication skills;
- Build 21st-century skills that improve employability, including the ability to work in a virtual and intercultural environment;
- Gain an Erasmus+ digital badge and become an Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange alumni.

"I learned things that you cannot get from a book. Being able to share ideas with people from different cultural and religious backgrounds enriched me in a personal and professional way. It was a horizon-broadening experience for me."

2018 Participant

Spring 2019

Start date: March 11, 2019

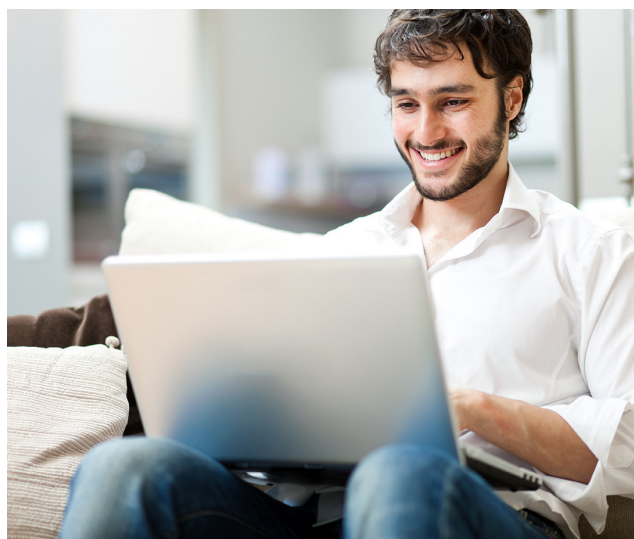
Duration: 10 weeks

Application deadline:

February 24, 2019

View the Spring 2019 Course Outline **here**.

The course is open to anyone between the age of 18-30 and is a resident in one of the Erasmus+ programme countries or Southern Mediterranean countries.



Give your students the chance to join

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