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Strategic Partnerships

Key Action 2 - Sector: Adult Education

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Program

4th INTERNATIONAL TRAINING COURSE

Thessaloniki, 3-9th November 2022

Thursday, November 3rd 2022

Arrivals during the day, accommodation to the Hotels.

Friday, November 4th 2022

10:00

Conference Hall, Department of Theology, AUTH.

Welcome to the Faculty of Theology

(Dean of Faculty, Chrysostomos Stamoulis)

Tour of the School premises / Prof. Nikos Maghioros-Prof. Ilias Evangelou-Prof. Panaghiotis Yfantis-Prof. Timoleon Galanis

11:00

Coffee at the terrace of the 4th floor.

11:30

Conference Hall AUTH.

Presentation of the Faculty of Theology and the Department of Theology of AUTH / Prof. N. Maghioros)

12:00

Presentation of the members.

Introduction to the course and presentation of the weekly program and activities /

Prof. P. Yfantis, Prof. Thomai Chouvarda



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13:00

Lunch

17:00 - 19:30

Visit to religious monuments of Thessaloniki.

City center, Aristoteles Square: byzantine church Panaghia Chalkeon, Samaritan Synagogue / Guided by Prof. **T. Galanis**

Greek orthodox church of Saint Minas and Holy Cathedral Church of the Immaculate Conception

20:00

Dinner

Saturday, November 5th 2022

09:00

Visit to “Rotonda”. Exhibition «**Thessaloniki 1922: Monuments and Refugees**» / Guided by Prof. **P. Mastora**

10:15-11:00

Conference Hall, Department of Theology, AUTH.

Lecture: “Thessaloniki. An interreligious and intercultural city” / Prof. **Pelagia Mastora**

Discussion

11:00

“The Islamic Studies Program of AUTH and religious diversity” / Prof. **N. Maghioros** – Prof. **Angeliki Ziaka**

11:15

Coffee break

11:30-12:00

Lecture. “Christianity and Islam in Bulgaria – between history, mythology and reality” / Dr. **Ventzislav Karavaltchev**

Discussion

12:00-13:00

A teaching suggestion / Dr **Nikos Tsirevelos**

Discussion

13:00

Lunch

17:00

Visit to Greek Evangelical Church of Thessaloniki



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20:00

Dinner

Sunday, November 6th 2022

11:00

Visit to the Vlatades Monastery.

Meeting with **Nikiforos**, bishop of Amorion and Prior of the Monastery.

Guided tour by Dr. **Ioanna Kliari**.

13:30 Synagogue / Guided by Prof. **T. Galanis**

14:00 Lunch

17:30-19:30

Visit to religious monuments of Thessaloniki.

Church of Saint Demetrios, Achiropoiitos, Saint Sofia /

Guided tour by Prof. **Glykeria Chatzoyli**

20:00

Dinner

Monday, November 7th 2022

9:30

Departure for the "Arsakeion" School of Thessaloniki

10:00

Arsakeio Gymnasium Amphitheatre

Reception, introduction

10:05-10:20

The European trajectory in the acceptance of Otherness:

From "Ode to Joy" by Friedrich Schiller and Ludwig Van Beethoven

in Domenico's monologue from Andrei Tarkovsky's "Nostalgia" / **Thanasis Nevrokoplis MTh**, with **students of Gymnasium**

Discussion

10:30-10:45

Debate about diversity and its acceptance / **Alexis Alexiou**, Greek teacher - **Stella Sarmi**, Sociologist with **students of Gymnasium**

Discussion

10:55-11:10

Skills workshop on inclusion: Structure, experiential scenario

and impressions from a visit of Arsakeio students to the School for the Deaf / **Stelios**

Boutsikas, Physicist - **Nikoleta Satsli**, Mathematician with **students of Gymnasium**



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Discussion

11:20-11:35 *Christ's encounter with the Samaritan.*

Creative writing texts about the timeless right of every human being to quench their thirst. / **Giota Psomiadou**, Theologian, with **students of Gymnasium**

Discussion

11:45-12:00 *Christian architecture of Otherness* based on C. S. Lewis's "Mere Christianity" (1943) - Book Review / **Vangelis Dimos**, English Teacher with **students of Gymnasium**

Discussion

12:10-12:35

Principal's office

Coffee break

12:35-13:00

Arsakeion School Theatre of Thessaloniki

Theatrical event "The Fallen Dervish" by Alexandros Papadiamantis.

Because the Other is the only possibility for our relationship with the world to have reciprocity / **Antonis Neonakis**, Theologian with students of Theatrical Group of Lyceum

13:30

Lunch

17:00-18:00

Conference Hall AUTH.

"Religious Education and European values" / Prof. **Ath. Stoyannidis**

Discussion

18:15

Biblical Museum

Management Meeting

20:00

Dinner

Tuesday, November 8th 2022

09:00-9:30

"The contribution of ecumenical theology to education in religious diversity" / Prof.

Cristiano Bettega- ISE

Discussion

9:30-12:00



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Round Table: “Witnesses and experiences of interreligious coexistence and collaboration” /

Prof. St. Tsobanidis prof. of Ecumenical Theology in ATh, Prof. Petros Panagiotopoulos, Mrs. Dorothea Vakali, Mr. Sotirios Boukis, ioasnnis Samaras, π. Andrei Maximilian, Mr. Mohamed Abdeltawab and one representative of each group (5’-10’ min. every participant). **Coordinator: Prof. N. Maghioros**

Discussion

13:00

Lunch

Free Time

20:00

Dinner

Wednesday, November 9th 2022

Departures



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