



## "Europe for citizens: Promotion of Active European Citizenship"

### Free men: the righteous and the protagonists of dissent. Lives and destinies between East and West. Routes to Citizenship Education

#### 'Europe for Citizens' Programme Action 4 'Active European Remembrance'

The European Project "Free men: the righteous and the protagonists of dissent. Lives and destinies between East and West. Routes to Citizenship Education" was presented within the Action "Europe for Citizens – Action 4 Memory by Liceo Scientifico Fermi", which is the promoting as well as the coordinating school inside an agreement for a regional network. The project, which is the further development of a project that has been going on for two years, will last from October 1st 2010 to September 2011.

#### THE PROJECT Description and Objectives

Continuing the experience of the three previous projects on the Righteous, the memory of the good, totalitarianism and moral resistance, this project aims to promote the study of the belief according to which the memory of Western Europe's history is strictly connected with the Oriental one. Moreover, we think that a parallel between the protagonists of dissent and resistance should be established.

We would also like to underline the actions of those men who kept on increasing the dialogue between the two parts in which Europe was artificially divided during the period of iron curtain.

To foster an awareness of a common European history and the need to build a shared memory, it has been planned a contest on "Free men: the righteous and the protagonists of dissent. Lives and destinies between East and West. Routes to Citizenship Education" for young people of upper secondary schools across the partner institutions of this project in their country.

The competition involves the following stages of implementation: 1) call and communication (October 2010), 2) work (November 2010-March 2011), 3) evaluation in the three countries of the research and awards received (April 2011), 4) a final event in Italy, where the best productions will be presented (May 2011).



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Creation of an internet archive with the best presented researches.

The event will include the presence of experts / witnesses deemed necessary for a deepening and an awareness of the issue and to share the results achieved.

The development of the theme of the competition will use the collaboration of the International historical educational association in human rights 'Memorial' in Moscow, which has been organizing for several years competitions for young people to promote and raise awareness of the history of Russia in second half of '900.

A workshop will take place in Italy, on November 2010. Its aim is to prepare those teachers who participate to the competition. All the representants of Italian, Polish and Romanian institutes, partners of the project, will join this workshop. An event, about the theme of the competition, will take place (on February/March 2010) at European Parliament in Strasburg, for students of Accordo di Rete "Storia e Memoria".

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Transnational project involving various bodies, herewith listed:

**1- Dom Spotkań z Historia**

[www.dsh.waw.pl](http://www.dsh.waw.pl)

**2- Fundacja Ośrodka Karta**

[www.karta.org.pl](http://www.karta.org.pl)

**3- Fundacja Kultury Chrześcijańskiej „Znak”**

[www.znak.com.pl](http://www.znak.com.pl)

**4- Liceo Scientifico Enrico Fermi Bologna**

<http://www.liceofermibo.net>

Coordinator of the network "Storia e Memoria"

<http://www.storiameoria.it>

**6- Tulip-project Teaching & Learning International Projects – University network**

<http://www.tulip-project.it>

**Europacheverra magazine** (A magazine about future Europe)

<http://www.europacheverra.eu> conference – dissemination press

**7- "Nicolae Iorga" Institute of History Research of the Romanian Academy**

<http://www.iorga.iini.ro>

**8- Institutul Național pentru Studiul Totalitarismului**

<http://www.totalitarism.ro>

**9 -Asociatia "Aldo Moro"**

<http://www.scuolaitaliana.go.ro>

**10- Diesse- Didattica e innovazione scolastica**

<http://www.diesse.org>

**11- Fondazione Russia Cristiana**

<http://www.russiacristiana.org>

**12- DiPaSt – Centro internazionale di didattica della storia e del patrimonio.**

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