

(Mis)representation of Roma and Sinti in education, museums, and memorials

An international workshop

TIME: April 7: 10:00-17:00 and April 8: 10:00-14:00

VENUE: Anton Zeilinger Salon in the Academy's main building, Doktor Ignaz Seipel Platz 2,

DAY 1 - Monday, APRIL 7, 2025

Time	Session	Speaker(s)	Moderator
09:45 – 10:00	<i>ARRIVAL & COFFEE</i>		
10:00 – 10:30	Opening & Introductions	Ljiljana Radonić (Austrian Academy of Sciences) Miško Stanišić (Director of Terraforming, Serbia)	
10:30 – 11:15	The Persecution and Genocide of the Roma: Specifics and Challenges	Gerhard Baumgartner (Former Director of the Documentation Centre of Austrian Resistance - DÖW in Vienna)	<i>Moderator:</i> Nevena Bajalica (Program Manager at Terraforming, Serbia)
11:15 – 12:00	Participant-centered and site-specific learning about the Holocaust	Wolfgang Schmutz (Education Consultant, Curator, Facilitator, Austria)	<i>Moderator:</i> Calin Rus (Director of the Intercultural Institute of Timișoara in Romania)
12:00 – 12:15	<i>SHORT BREAK</i>		
12:15 – 13:00	IHRA Recommendations on Teaching and Learning about the Persecution and Genocide of the Roma During the Nazi Era	Miško Stanišić (Director of Terraforming, Serbia)	<i>Moderator:</i> Joshua Krug (Professor of Jewish Studies in Heidelberg, Germany)
13:00 – 14:00	<i>LUNCH</i>		
14:00 – 14:45	(Mis)Representation of Roma in Memorialization and Education	Ljiljana Radonić (Political scientist, Institute of Culture Studies of the Austrian Academy of Sciences)	<i>Moderator:</i> Florian Zeller (Researcher at the Documentation Centre of Austrian Resistance - DÖW in Vienna)

14:45 – 15:15	Implementing IHRA Recommendations	Moritz Wein (Austrian Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Research)	<i>Moderator:</i> Tetiana Storozhko (Co-founder & Executive Director TENET, Ukraine)
15:15 – 15:45	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>		
15:45 – 17:00	Short Presentations: Practitioners' Perspectives and Experiences – Challenges and Best Practices in Teaching and Learning about the Genocide of the Roma	• Garčević Miljan (Teacher, Serbia), • Miljenko Hajdarović (Teacher, Platform Klio, Croatia), • Florian Zeller (DÖW), • Jakab Attila (Historian at the Holocaust Memorial Centre, Hungary), • Chinara Majidova (Youth Agency for the Advocacy of Roma Culture ARCA Ukraine), • Ana Rotovnik Omerzu (Teacher, Slovenia), • Juš Ašenberger (Student of Sociology and Pedagogy, Slovenia)	<i>Moderator:</i> Miško Stanišić (Director of Terraforming, Serbia)

DAY 2 - Tuesday, APRIL 8, 2025

Time	Session	Speaker(s)	Moderator
09:45 – 10:00	<i>ARRIVAL & COFFEE</i>		
10:00 – 10:30	Teaching about the Genocide of the Roma: Roma Perspectives	Tetiana Storozhko (Co-founder & Executive Director TENET, Ukraine)	<i>Moderator:</i> Nevena Bajalica (Program Manager at Terraforming, Serbia)
10:30 – 11:15	Teaching about the Genocide of the Roma and the Reference Framework of Competences for Democratic Culture (RFCDC)	Calin Rus (Director of the Intercultural Institute of Timișoara in Romania)	<i>Moderator:</i> Gerhard Baumgartner (Former Director of the Documentation Centre of Austrian Resistance - DÖW in Vienna)
11:15 – 12:00	Pasostar ando Prastape – Breaking into a Gallop: Teaching about the Genocide of the Roma through Educational Graphic Novels	Miško Stanišić (Director of Terraforming, Serbia)	<i>Moderator:</i> Maximilian von Schoeler (Centropa, Germany)
12:00 – 12:20	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>		
12:20 – 13:00	GROUP 1: Intersection Between teaching about the Holocaust and the genocide of the Roma GROUP 2: Complementing, Not Competing GROUP 3: Inclusive Education GROUP 4: Sources and Resources for Teaching and Learning	Group work	
13:00 – 13:45	Supporting National Implementation of the IHRA “Recommendations on Teaching and Learning about the Persecution and Genocide of the Roma during the Nazi Era” – Discussion and Final Remarks	Group discussion	<i>Moderator:</i> Miško Stanišić (Director of Terraforming, Serbia)
13:45 – 14:00	Closing remarks		
14:00	<i>WORKSHOP ENDS</i>		

PARTICIPANTS

1	Nevena Bajalica	Serbia	12	Juš Ašenberger	Slovenia
2	Miško Stanišić	Serbia	13	Rebecca Bamberger	Germany
3	Calin Rus	Romania	14	Chinara Majidova	Austria/Ukraine
4	Esthera Cotoarba	Austria	15	Lovro Kralj	Croatia
5	Tetiana Storozhko	Ukraine	16	Esthera Cotoarba	Austria
6	Jakab Attila	Hungary	17	Ljiljana Radonić	Austria
7	Natália Pados	Hungary	18	Moritz Wein	Austria
8	Joshua Krug	Germany	19	Florian Zeller	Austria
9	Miljan Garčević	Serbia	20	Wolfgang Schmutz	Austria
10	Miljenko Hajdarovic	Croatia	21	Gerhard Baumgartner	Austria
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