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SCORA meet 2024

against anti-semitism and racism

2024-08-30 to 2024-09-07
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WELCOME TO SCORA MEET 2024

LET'S ALL BE PART OF IT!
2024-08-30 TO
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Let's take a closer look!



You can look forward to a week full of events, new experiences and contacts with 400 young people from different countries, cultures, religions. You will be able to experience diversity by becoming one of them. You will be able to explore what diversity means to you and to others.

HERE IS WHAT IS GOING TO HAPPEN DURING THE WEEK

You are going to take part in a workshop on diversity and you get to choose one more workshop from a wide range of interesting workshops on offer. Every workshop will have six sessions during the week. In your chosen workshop you will be together and have fun with peers from different cultural backgrounds.

At the end of every day you will be able to reflect this experience in your SCORA-family and find out what it means for your own personal development. Of course, throughout the week we will also offer many different leisure activities.

At the end of the week the results of your workshop will be presented by you and your team. And last but not least there will be a farewell party.

You can be absolutely sure: This will be a very special experience! You will have a lot of fun and will make new friends from around the world! Together we want to join the fight against anti-semitism and racism.



WELCOME FROM OUR PATRONS



DEAR READERS,

Stuttgart is a city where intercultural encounters have long been a matter of course and are encouraged. The capital of Baden-Württemberg has ten twinning agreements on four continents, including one with Mumbai in India and one with St. Louis in the USA. A close friendship has linked Stuttgart with Israel for decades. There is a large and vibrant Jewish community in Stuttgart.

Many thanks to the SCORA Baden-Württemberg initiative for its commitment to promoting the encounter of young people from different cultures in order not to give racism and anti-semitism a chance.

We want to be a good host to the young people and help to make the encounters an unforgettable experience. I was very happy to take on the patronage and hope that the project will have a positive impact on society and set a good example of how intercultural coexistence can work.

Mayor Dr. Frank Nopper,
Patron of SCORA meet 2024

DEAR READERS,

Schools are places that can encourage tolerance through intercultural encounter. SCORA helps to combat anti-semitism and racism. Everyone benefits from this: protecting the freedom of individual groups and people also protects the freedom of others – this is a principle of democracy. In Baden-Württemberg, where one third of the population has an immigrant background and where we make Jewish culture visible, SCORA is an important initiative.

Few things can broaden students' horizons like an international student exchange. SCORA meet 2024 not only prevents prejudices and intolerance, it also creates peaceful coexistence, valuable memories, and perhaps even worldwide friendships. As patron of SCORA, I warmly welcome you to Baden-Württemberg.

Muhterem Aras MdL,
President of the Baden-Württemberg Landtag (Parliament) &
Patron of SCORA

“I am delighted when young people from different cultures meet. They are our future and in a globalized world it is indispensable to engage with the foreign and to come together.”

– Andreas Lapp, Honorary Consul of the Republic of India for Baden-Wuerttemberg and Rhineland-Palatinate

“One week, four countries, 400 young people, one common mission: join us in the fight against anti-semitism and racism! Together we can make a difference and create a better future. Let’s learn, reflect and have new experiences while making new friends with SCORA meet 2024. Don’t miss this opportunity to contribute to a better world.”

– Carmela Shamir Israel Consul General, Munich, Germany

“International cooperation is central to addressing issues requiring a global response, including combating climate change, countering disinformation, fighting violent extremism, and ensuring human rights for all. That is why we’re looking for you, the next generation of leaders, to engage with your counterparts from around the world to address shared challenges and ensure a secure future. We hope to see you at SCORA meet 2024!”

– Thatcher Scharpf, U.S. Consul General, Frankfurt, Germany

WHAT WE OFFER

One week of events, workshops, getting together with young people from different countries, learning about racism, anti-semitism and diversity, gaining experience and interesting new insights and above a lots of fun.

BASIC IDEA

400 young people from four countries will experience diversity by being together for one week; they will learn how to explore and reflect what diversity means to them; they will join a workshop on diversity on the first day after their arrival. After that, they will join workshops on different topics according to their fields of interest. Once they have chosen their workshop they will stay there for six timeslots for the whole week. The participants remain in a stable group, which gives them the opportunity to collaborate and have fun with peers from different cultural backgrounds. Every night they will reflect this experience in their family group and ask themselves what the take-away lesson of the day means for their personal development. At the end of the week, they will visualise their results of the different workshops in group presentations. And finally there will be a farewell party.

OUR MISSION

With this project, we would like to contribute to international understanding and peacemaking in the world and fighting against anti-semitism and racism. We are convinced that the personal experiences of young people through encounters with people from different backgrounds can make a significant difference.

PURPOSE

By experiencing, exploring and reflecting diversity, the participants will gain a new understanding of how diversity affects their lives in many aspects and on different levels. They are being guided by making this inner journey of discovery. They will share what they explore, whether it is challenging or easy. The purpose is that they can integrate a new, even more positive understanding of diversity by being aware that sometimes it needs some effort. They might feel enriched and maybe they will make new friends from different parts of the world, with different backgrounds.

OUR VALUES

SCORA is a diversity-friendly space. We support each other. We create a safe space for self-exploration. We empower our participants to be who they are. We want to contribute to a better future. We always take very good care of our guests.

You are a student
between 16 and 17?
Then come and join.



MAIN TARGETS

Eight days, a lot of opportunities and goals – we have set up 8 main targets.



To gain better selfawareness of how diversity and/or discrimination affects the personal life.



To reflect the personal mindset and develop an even more positive attitude towards diversity.



To make new friends from different cultural backgrounds and from different countries.



To improve oral English skills in a multicultural environment.



To overcome prejudices.



To improve presentation skills.



To improve intercultural skills.



To improve the skills in a field of interest (workshop).

PARTICIPANTS

Four hundred young people (100 from each country), aged 16 to 17, each from Baden-Württemberg, Israel, USA and India. · Age 16/17 at the time of the encounter week · Good command of the English language · Willingness to participate in all events including pre- and post-event videoconferences as well as participation in the programme during the entire week of the event (later arrivals or earlier departures are not possible) · Openness to diversity.

SCHEDULE

| FRIDAY, 30TH AUG. | SATURDAY, 31ST AUG. | SUNDAY, 1ST SEPT. | MONDAY, 2ND SEPT. | TUESDAY, 3RD SEPT. | WEDNESDAY, 4TH SEPT. | THURSDAY, 5TH SEPT. | FRIDAY, 6TH SEPT. | SATURDAY, 7TH SEPT. |
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| <p>Arrival day</p> <p>Welcome and Onboarding or just rest because of Shabbat</p> | <p>Getting together and welcoming activities</p> <p>Or just rest because of Shabbat</p> | SCORA-family <p>Workshop: Reflect, respect, react!</p> SCORA-family Free and easy | SCORA-family Workshop phase (1) – break – Workshop phase (2) SCORA-family Free and easy | SCORA-family Workshop phase (3) – break – Workshop phase (4) SCORA-family Cinema Atelier am Bollwerk | <p>Outing to the regions</p> <p>On this day, the participants will get to know a region in Baden-Württemberg.</p> <p>We will have 15-20s different destinations, so the participants will join new groups for this day.</p> | SCORA-family Workshop phase (5) – break – Workshop phase (6) SCORA-family Free and easy | SCORA-family <p>Group presentations and performances</p> SCORA-family <p>Farewell Party we end with the beginning of Shabbat</p> <p>Let's celebrate</p> | <p>Departure day</p> <p>(optionally on Sunday, because of Shabbat)</p> |



SCORA-FAMILY

Every SCORA-family consists of eight young people from the four SCORA meet 2024 countries. They will be looked after by facilitators (adults from Baden-Württemberg that have been carefully selected and briefed). Each group will stay together throughout the week and every morning and evening they will get together to reflect the new experiences.

The aim of the family groups is to provide a base where the young people can talk about their feelings and their needs and where they can find support. The facilitators will also liaise with the accompanying persons.



WORKSHOP: REFLECT, RESPECT, REACT!

All participants will take part in this workshop, where we reflect racism and anti-semitism and the effects they have on the individual person and on society. In the workshop we will use information and strategies to find out about difficulties but also about the benefits of cooperation. The aim is to develop strategies for your everyday life and to strengthen your courage and motivation.



FREE AND EASY

For these time slots we will provide you with different guided leisure options such as going to the cinema, sightseeing, singing, playing games. There will always be something going on!



WORKSHOP PHASES

We will provide 20-25 different workshops from different fields of interest such as dancing, music, sports, creative writing, history, natural science, drama/acting, doing research in a museum lab, experiencing historical exhibitions, aspects of spirituality and many more. Every participant of the SCORA meet 2024 week gets to choose one workshop he/she is interested in.

The workshops will always be conducted by experienced moderators/instructors. In the course of the six sessions each workshop team is going to create "a product", which will be presented on the last day of the SCORA meet 2024 week.



LET'S GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER BEFORE THE WEEK STARTS - WELCOME TO THE VIRTUAL SCORA WORLD

The virtual SCORA world is a digital multifunctional space for meeting and getting to know each other. Even before the week starts in August 2024, you will be able to enter the virtual space regardless of the country you live in (by means of self-designed avatars

and via a link on the Internet). In this protected space and within the framework of guided videocalls, you will get to know your SCORA-family, important contact persons, the schedule and activities of the project week, rules and rituals.



DO YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT THE VIRTUAL WORLD?

Just click or scan the QR-Code to see the video.

NOTIFICATION

Please note that this reflects the planning status of March 2023. Due to a wide range of developments beyond our control, many things may still change until summer 2024. All information is therefore subject to developments over the next year.

★ WORKSHOPS

There are many different workshops to choose from. Let's take a closer look at some examples:



ART AS A WAY TO CONNECT LET'S CREATE A COLLAGE OF YOUR INDIVIDUAL, COLOURFUL AND EXPRESSIVE PICTURES!

We want to experience the joy of painting – a way of expressing yourself, working with colours and symbols. At the end of the week we will have created a collective picture project. Creativity encourages the feeling of togetherness, creates openness and provides a space for new ways of connecting with yourself and with other people. Art may not serve a purpose but it certainly makes sense.



JUGGLING JUGGLING AS AN EXPERIENCE OF EXCHANGE

Participants learn how to juggle with different materials. EVERYBODY can learn to juggle! You only need sports clothes and the willingness to learn. The fun with all the colours, the other jugglers and the gravitation of things automatically follows... We learn to juggle alone and together and to present ourselves alone and together – it's possible on EVERY level. At the end, we will create a fine "diversity show" and perform it for the other groups.



THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SELF-PERCEPTION AND PERCEPTION BY OTHERS LOOKING AT EVERYDAY LIFE OF YOUNG JEWS IN GERMANY

There are so many topics on Jewish life we can talk about. Let's choose together what you are interested in. Some suggestions: Realities of Jewish life, The Jewish Youth Movement in Germany after the Shoah, Presentation of Jews in the media, Fighting anti-semitism, A positive storyline of Jewish life ...



DRAMA WORKSHOP: SHOWING RESISTANCE IN EVERYDAY LIFE PARTICIPANTS WORK WITH THE DIARIES OF ANNE HAAG TO CREATE THEATRICAL SCENES

We will look at the diaries of a „normal German“ who was opposed to Hitler and his regime and ask questions such as: Where does resistance start? What made it possible to speak out against the Hitler regime, to become involved, to exchange views?

During one of the prep video sessions you will be asked to make your choice!

FURTHER WORKSHOPS

Of course there is much more: Here you can see the whole range of workshops.

SPORTS + ACROBATICS

- Football and diversity
- Juggling
- Volleyball
- Fit for diversity

CULINARY EXPERIENCES

- Cooking: International and Swabian meals
- Making confectionary

MUSIC + DANCE + THEATRE

- Fight choreographies
- EUSTORY performance
- Hip Hop
- Drama: Showing resistance in everyday life

MEDIA + DESIGN

- Film gives courage
- #RespectBW
- Young radio broadcasters and podcasters

ART + CULTURE + LANGUAGE

- Art as a way of connecting
- Practical philosophy: Arguing – Negotiating
- Poetry Slam
- The difference between self-perception and the perception by others: Looking at everyday life of young Jews in Germany
- Indian Wisdom: Yoga and Meditation

TECHNOLOGY + SCIENCE

- Visions for the future: A creative workshop on technology and business
- Artificial Intelligence

HISTORY + POLITICS

- Colonialism and racism
- Culture of Remembrance: Graf Stauffenberg as an example of resistance
- Hotel Silber – Terror in the Third Reich
- Right-wing extremism

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DETAILS

Do you want to know where you will be staying, how the week is financed or what you must do if you want to take part? We are very happy to provide all these important details on this page. You will be able to get even more details in the four video calls which will take place prior to the week of SCORA meet 2024.

ACCOMPANYING PERSONS

Each delegation of 100 young people from abroad is accompanied by a maximum of 10 adults of the sending country. So if you wish to send 20 young people, you can also bring 2 adults to accompany them.

We will offer additional events and activities for the accompanying persons.

REQUIREMENTS

- Age 16/17 at the time of the encounter week.
- Good command of the English language.
- Willingness to participate in all events including pre- and post-event videoconferences as well as participation in the programme during the entire week (later arrivals or earlier departures are not possible).
- Openness to diversity.
- Agreement that photos and film recordings may be made and used in the SCORA context for website and social media.

BENEFIT FOR THE SENDING COUNTRY

When back home, the young people will be able to share their experiences as ambassadors for issues such as intercultural understanding and diversity in their environments/organizations.

COSTS

The organizers cover the costs for the whole week. These include: Accommodation, meals, transport, events and activities, etc. Only the travel costs to and from Stuttgart incl. visa etc. have to be paid for by the sending countries.

FOOD

We will offer vegetarian food. If there are any other requirements, please let us know (kosher, gluten or lactose free etc.)

INSURANCE

We will take out health, accident and liability insurance for all participants and accompanying adults for the duration of their stay in Germany.

WELCOME TO STUTT GART

Stuttgart is the main city of the federal state Baden-Württemberg in the southwest of Germany. It has a population of 600.000 and it is well-known for its car industry (Mercedes and Porsche) as well as for its university. People here are very friendly and relaxed. So come and enjoy our beautiful city and its people!



GERMANY

ACCOMODATION

Three youth hostels in the center of Stuttgart.
Boys and girls are accommodated in separate rooms.



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Haußmannstr. 27, 70188 Stuttgart



IB-YOUTH HOSTEL STUTT GART
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Richard-Wagner-Straße 2–4a, 70184 Stuttgart

You want to know more about the Youth Hostel? Just click on the icon.



COME AND JOIN

NEXT STEPS



YOU WANT TO JOIN?

If you are interested, talk to the school/organisation which gave you the brochure. They will tell you what to do next.



MARCH 2024



PREPARATION

To make sure that all participants have the information they need, we will have videocalls together, starting in March 2024; 2024-03-17, 2024-04-07, 2024-05-12, 2024-06-23.

The participants will get information about the details of the programme, the workshops, and they will get to know the facilitators and the workshop instructors/moderators.

The participants are not expected to put in any extra work before they leave for Stuttgart. However, they should be prepared to introduce their hometowns in the videocalls. The parents may also join one of the videocalls.



SEPTEMBER 2024

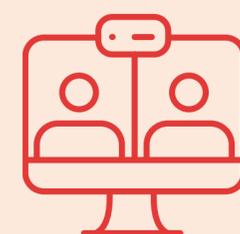


YOUR STAY

We are so happy to welcome you. We are sure you will have a great time, get many new ideas, have a lot of fun and make new friends. Let's go for it!



OCTOBER 2024



DEBRIEFING

After the week in September 2024 we will provide at least two more video-calls for debriefing.



WE HOPE YOU WILL STAY IN CONTACT

... and that you might become an ambassador for diversity who fights against racism and anti-semitism. In any case you will become a member of the world-wide SCORA community.



INFORMATION FOR SCHOOLS & ORGANISATIONS

Please tell us as soon as possible whether you would like to be part of SCORA meet 2024. Please let us know how many young people you want to send and how many adults will accompany them (a maximum of two per 20 participants)
Contact: Claudia Rugart – Head of SCORA → mail to: Claudia.rugart@nbs-bw.de



ABOUT US, OUR SUPPORTERS AND STANDARDS

TEAM

There are about 20 people who are the heads and members of the organising teams of SCORA meet 2024. On top of that, 50 facilitators and 100 volunteers will make sure that everything is conducted professionally and in a supportive way. Moreover, medical staff will always be available throughout the week.

DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS? FEEL FREE TO CONTACT US AT ANY TIME

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DO YOU WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT SCORA?

Just click or scan the QR-Code to see all the basic information in English.

→ www.rp.baden-wuerttemberg.de/rps/abt7/scora/



On the homepage you can find our three sections: SCORA twin, SCORA net and SCORA meet 2024

→ www.scora-bw.de



You don't want to miss anything anymore? You can find updated information on our social media channels Instagram and Facebook. Let's stay in contact:

→ www.instagram.com/scora.bw

→ www.facebook.com/scora.bw



ORGANISER SCORA MEET 2024

Nbs e. V. (Association for Sustainable Education and School Development), Co-organizer: City Council of Stuttgart

OUR STANDARDS



The nbs e.V. is a highly appreciated institution in the field of education.



The workshop moderators are all known to us and carefully selected. They are highly experienced in their work with diverse groups. They are committed to our values and standards.

The facilitators are also selected by us and they will be trained for this specific situation. All of them are working as professionals in the field of education.



All workshop leaders and facilitators are committed to the following principles:

1. We provide the best possible safety and protection for all participants and staff and do everything in our power to protect them from physical and emotional harm.
2. We strive to encourage trusting relationships among people and stand for mutual appreciation and respect.
3. We are committed to a language- and culture-sensitive behaviour and will not accept any form of discrimination.
4. We aim for intercultural exchange, wider knowledge and better understanding as well as reflecting and overcoming open or unconscious prejudices.
5. We will not exploit or endanger the relationship of trust and friendship between the young people and their facilitators.

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