

**PROGRAMME • e.p.a. Triangle Youth Exchange Project • Part 1 • LIVERPOOL Training /Preparation
16th – 23rd April 2008**

Wednesday 16th	Thursday 17th	Friday 18th	Saturday 19th	Sunday 20th	Monday 21st	Tuesday 22nd	Wednesday 23rd
Arrivals all day from Europe – West Africa – Caribbean / South America	Name games and team building, Workshop: Introduction to the Training/Preparation Programme.	Workshop: Introduction, "A different Triangle..." and the history of the transatlantic Slave trade, Talk led by Hugh Thomas	Workshop: Participants, Programme, Participation – The e.p.a. Triangle Youth Exchange	Free Morning	Project visits	Workshop: A different Triangle Networking the wonder of the net, why we need holes and work together in a "virtual" reality with IT	Departures to Europe – West Africa – South America / Caribbean
			Picnic in a Park				
	Discovering Liverpool – a walk through the city	Visit to the International Slavery Museum Feedback session Visit to the Caribbean Centre	Liverpool – European Capital of Culture and looking behind (guided alternative City Tour, Speke, Garston...) WHO?	Ferry cross the Mersey, Cathedral etc. Workshop: The "Triangle Youth Exchange": what we need to do to make it a success. Methods of Intercultural learning.	Reception at Liverpool Town Hall	Workshop : A Presentation and brainstorming on the proposed e.p.a. tool: "all equal – all different – all empowered"	
Evening Welcome and first Introductions	Project Market of all partners - "sharing our realities and good practice" (Exhibition, Multimedia-presentations)	Workshop: "The roots of Racism" what horrors did the slave trade unleash, a look back so we can look forward.	Workshop: Bringing together the past and present – What can we learn from Liverpool history? Who profited, where the money went / goes?	Workshop: Fund Raising, Theme workshops, Visa, Invitations and legal issues etc.	Workshop: "All different - All equal" sharing our experiences on Anti-Racism and Pro-Respect	Workshop: "Expectation of Recife" introduced by our Brazilian partners. Evaluation and looking forward, check list of what we all have to do!	
				Meal and intercultural Evening		Final evening celebrations hosted by the Consulate of Ghana.	

Note 1: All meetings will be done "in the round" where we all sit in a circle so everyone can see everyone. The workshops will be introduced by a trainer or invited guest, knowledgeable in the issue, followed by small group discussions and feed back. The programme for the week will ensure a balance between the practicalities and skills needed for a Youth Exchange and an in depth look at our theme the "Triangle of the Transatlantic Slave Trade". Together this will create the conditions for Youth Empowerment under a rainbow of hope at the e.p.a. Youth Exchange - Brazil later in the year.

Note 2: Liverpool was chosen as the host of this Training/Preparation meeting as it held a crucial place in the Transatlantic Slave Trade. Over 70% of the Slave ships were owned by Liverpool merchants, even though many were sailed under Portuguese or Spanish flags. Its magnificent civic buildings were all from the profits of Slavery. In 2007 in commemoration of the abolition of this Slavery it opened the new "Liverpool Museum of Transatlantic Slavery" a state of the art world class interactive facility.