

World Heritage Volunteers 2015

Project Description

Title	World Heritage Volunteers Place Where Future Meets Past
Site	L'viv – the Ensemble of the Historic Centre
Status	Cultural site inscribed on the World Heritage List in 1998
Project location	L'viv, Ukraine
Project dates	02 August 2015 to 16 August 2015
Site description	The city of L'viv, founded in the late Middle Ages, was a flourishing administrative, religious and commercial centre for several centuries. The medieval urban topography has been preserved virtually intact (in particular, there is evidence of the different ethnic communities who lived there), along with many fine Baroque and later buildings.
Project objectives	The project aims to raise awareness of the group of international volunteers about World Heritage issues. At the same time it aims to raise awareness in the local community on the issues related to the World Heritage, to continue campaigning for preservation of the World Heritage site, for more thoughtful utilization of it and the role of the community in it. Finally, the project will perform concrete tasks which would help to preserve a historical park in the centre of L'viv city.
Project activities	The project will start with seminars and workshops open for both international and Ukrainian volunteers on World Heritage topics. At the seminars and workshops, the volunteers will be able to run discussions and activities with locals regarding World Heritage issues. On the base of the hereby received knowledge the volunteers will be able to organize and run non-formal education workshops for local children and youth about cultural heritage which will be promoted and supported by local mass-media. Additionally the volunteers will prepare stands dedicated to World Heritage sites in countries of participants. Parallel to these awareness raising activities the volunteers will clean and maintain concrete zones of one of the parks of L'viv.
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