

The conference:

We aim to initiate debates about peer violence prevention and we want to integrate results of the conference into the manual final version.

We want to create an open atmosphere to discuss questions regarding peer violence prevention and multidimensional social causes of violence.

With this conference you are invited to be part of a sustainable network and to exchange with other experts from the fields of education, social work and violence prevention.

Partner organisations of PeerThink:

Dissens e. V. Berlin Germany
www.dissens.de



Peace Institute Ljubljana Slovenia
www.mirovni-institut.si



Eurocircle Marseille France
www.ec-network.net



Men's Counseling Centre Graz Austria
www.maennerberatung.at

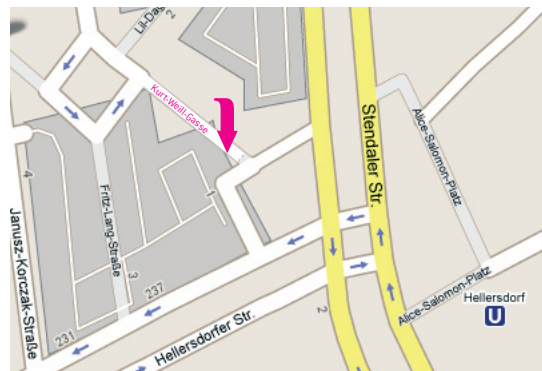


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Conference Place:

City Hall Hellersdorf, Berlin (Hellersdorf),
Kurt-Weill-Gasse 6, 12627 Berlin,
Conference hall, 2nd floor
(U-Bahn station Hellersdorf, U 5)
The conference place is wheelchair accessible



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Registration:

Please register per e-mail.
Download the registration form from the homepage
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05.+ 06.02.2009 in Berlin
International Conference of

Peer Think

Tools and resources
for an intersectional
prevention of peer
violence.

Conference for experts
from education,
social work and
violence prevention



This is PeerThink:

PeerThink is a Daphne II project which aims to develop tools and resources for an intersectional prevention of peer violence for teachers, trainers, educators and peers. (www.peerthink.eu)

PeerThink aims to build a ground for violence prevention with adolescents and young adults, which reflects the interconnections of categories like gender, ethnicity, religion, educational background and other social structures systematically.

For an effective anti-violence work, the relations between multiple social dimensions have to be included systematically: violence prevention will become „intersectional“. This new approach is tested and evaluated in the PeerThink project.

There are some results:

- An online manual with a tool kit including methods and self-learning modules
- Reflection guidelines and strategies for implementation of an intersectional approach
- Sustainable experts' network on intersectional education, social work and violence prevention

Conference program

Thursday 05.02.2009

- 09:30 Welcome and project presentation
- 10:00 Presentation of the Peerthink-manual including the method barometer
- 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:30 First keynote by Angela McRobbie (London): Girls on top and Boys below? Female ‚success‘, masculinity in crisis, and (symbolic) violence in the landscape of urban youth today
With table discussions and plenary
- 13:00 Lunch break
- 14:30 Workgroups:
1. How to use the manual
2. Performing and discussing methods from the manual
3. Self learn modules
4. Practice meets theory
- 17:00 Coffee break
- 17:30 Fishbowl Plenary
- 18:15 Feed back barometer
- 19:00 Aperitif and 19:30 buffet in the “Kiste”
Heidenauer Straße 10,
Berlin-Hellersdorf

Friday 06.02.2009

- 09:00 Welcome
- 09:15 Second keynote by Wassilis Kassis (Osnabrück): Intersectional analysis of youth violence and comment to the manual
With table discussions and plenary
- 10:45 Coffee break
- 11:00 Workgroups:
1. Implementation of an intersectional approach
2. Recommendations for politicians and other actors
3. Building a sustainable network
4. Further development of the manual – open source project
5. Futher ideas like follow ups
- 12:00 Reports from working groups in plenary – discussion
- 13:00 Final comment on the conference
- 13:15 Final feedback barometer and closing

