

## “Participation of Young People in Youth Information Work”

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<p><b>DESCRIPTION OF INITIATIVE OR PROJECT INVOLVING YOUNG PEOPLE DIRECTLY IN AN ASPECT OF YOUTH INFORMATION WORK</b> included in Compendium of Projects prepared for the European Seminar</p>
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Ref: **06-34**

Organisation: **Graffiti asbl**

European Affiliation: **ERYICA** (via CNIEJ)

<p>1. <b>Name of Initiative</b> (project, activity, service or product):</p>
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<p>2. <b>Description of Initiative or Project</b> (<i>please give a short but complete description, including the aim of the initiative or project</i>):</p>
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Graffiti asbl is a non-profit organisation that co-ordinates youth programmes on a free radio in Luxembourg. The radio shows by, and for, the young people are broadcast from 2-5 pm from Monday to Friday. The goals of Graffiti are as follows:

- to offer young people and youth organisations a space on the radio to express themselves
- to encourage young people to assume responsibility, and develop their autonomy in work
- to encourage their creativity
- to encourage young people to get involved in spreading information that concerns them
- to support the creation of radio programmes by young people
- to initiate young people into the production of radio programmes (media education)
- to support the development of oral and written expression in the framework of non-formal education
- to integrate young people in a learning process using new technologies.

The young people in the project are between 12 and 26 years old. At the moment, there are around 60 young people who participate actively in the different broadcasts. The staff is composed of an educator who is employed part time. The project is also supported by the volunteers who are active in the board of the Graffiti association.

**3. Form of Youth Participation in Youth Information Addressed by This Initiative :**

*(please click on / activate the box which corresponds to your answer)*

This is:

- a) An initiative or project that **involves young people directly in the identification of the information needs of young people in their locality or field of interest**
- b) An initiative or project that **involves young people directly in the designing and preparation of information magazines and materials** (for a young public)
- c) An initiative or project that **involves young people directly in informing or advising other young people**
- d) An initiative or project that **involves young people directly in managing or evaluating youth information centres or other services** (such as a youth card)
- e) An initiative or project that addresses **another aspect of youth participation in youth information work** (please specify the aspect):

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**4. Name and Address of Organisation Responsible for This Initiative:**

Name: Graffiti asbl  
Address: 2 rue de la Boucherie, L-1247 Luxemburg

**5. Name and E-mail Address of Person to Contact** (for information about this initiative):

Name: Sandra Laborier  
E-mail Address: sandra@graffiti.lu

**6. Who Participated in This Initiative ?**

An average of 40 youngsters are regularly participating.

**7. What Was the Scope of This Initiative?**

*(please click on / activate the box which corresponds to your answer)*

Local           Regional           National           European

**8. When Was This Initiative Undertaken** *(please state the date when the activity was started, when it finished, or if it is still continuing):*

Since 1992, the youth programmes are being broadcasted.

**9. What Were the Results Obtained by This Initiative?**

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**10. Report – Publication – Other Product** *(if there is a report, publication or other “product” relating to this initiative, please state where it can be obtained or consulted, and in which language):*

The following material is available concerning this initiative:  
*(please click on / activate the box which corresponds to your answer)*

Report  Publication  Other Product (specify) leaflet

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Web-site \_\_\_\_\_

Language(s): \_\_\_\_\_ French and Luxemburgish \_\_\_\_\_

Can be consulted / downloaded at this web-site: [www.graffiti.lu](http://www.graffiti.lu)

Can be obtained from (address of organisation): .....

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**11. Additional Information:**

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This description form has been completed by:

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 Name of Organisation: Graffiti, Luxemburg