



Newsletter 2



MAE Volunteers: National, Bilateral, and International Workshops

More than 30 workshops were organized and conducted during the MAE project. Some of them were on a national level, some of them were bilateral (for example, between the partners from Germany and France or Bulgaria and Poland), and some of them involved participants from most partner countries and beyond, like the ones organized by our coordinator *Storie Di Mondi Possibili* (SMP). The workshops explored various aspects of the two major thematic areas of the project “My Europe” and “Stories for Social Change in Europe”. Each partner organization chose the aspects that are most suitable for the scope of work of the organizations, the local contexts, or the topics that unite us on regional and European levels.

We enjoyed many interesting conversations and learned a lot both on autobiographical methodologies and based on the experiences of the conducted workshops we have created 2 Toolkits that are open access and can be used by trainers, teachers, and all people involved in storytelling and nonformal adult education for provoking meaningful dialogues on local and international levels. Thus, the MAE project established a network of volunteers inspired to collect stories in different formats.

During the workshops, many stories were told, written, and video recorded, you can read and watch them in the MAE section of the StoryAP platform: <https://www.storyap.eu/>

TOOLKIT 1 Workshop in presence § TOOLKIT 2 Workshop by distance

Two Toolkits were created based on the conducted workshops the first one includes the ones that are organized in person and the second collects workshop designs that are conducted by distance. In each of them, there is a theoretical first part explaining the meaning of storytelling in nonformal adult education, tips, and techniques on how to create pleasant and interesting training sessions based on the various autobiographical methodologies. The second part of each of the Toolkits consists of a variety of workshop designs that were developed by the project partners. The Toolkits are translated and are available in all partner languages.



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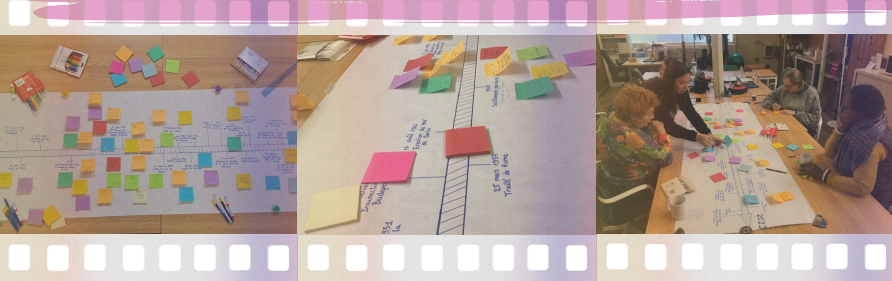
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Snapshots from the variety of workshops

"My Europe" Collage Workshop in Bulgaria



History Timeline Workshop in France



Town Stories Workshop in Germany



Photography and Storytelling Workshop in Poland



Storytelling workshop in Sweden

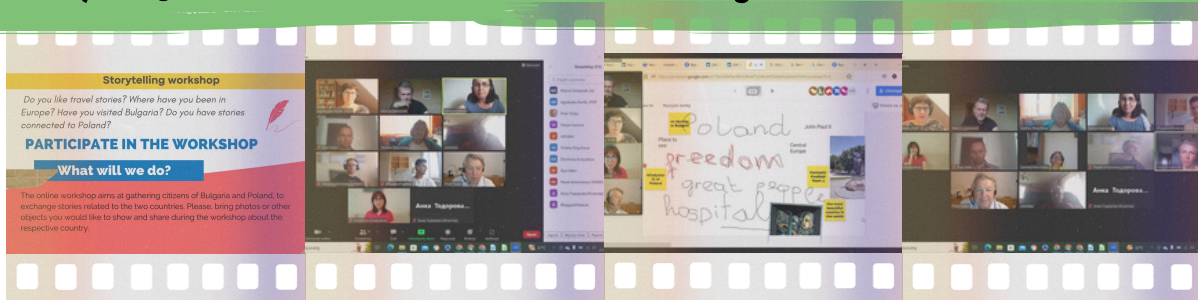


Video Workshop in Italy

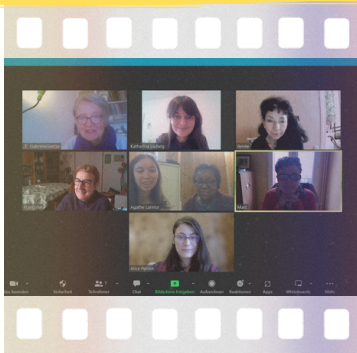


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Workshop by Distance between Bulgaria and Poland



Workshop by Distance between France and Germany



Town Stories International Remote Workshop organized by SMP (Italy)

Check the MAE website if you wish to learn more:
<https://memoriesacrosseurope.eu/>



Our Toolkit



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