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Digital Storytelling in the HARMONY Project: Lessons Learned and the Way Ahead

HARMONY Project Consortium Meeting

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Outline

- Digital Storytelling: results, solutions, and lessons learned
- Student Boot Camp: Before the Mobility
- Student Boot Camp: During the Mobility
- Student Boot Camp: After the Mobility



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Digital Storytelling Contests: Stats and Status Quo

University	Number of Submitted DS	Number of DS Uploaded on YouTube	Selection Protocol	Number of Selected Students
NMIMS, India	15	14	YES	3
UH, India	16	16	YES	3
VIT, India	3	0	YES	3
ULAB, Bangladesh	15	15	YES	3
DIU, Bangladesh	0	0	NO	0
QBU, Vietnam	19	19	YES	3
UD, Vietnam	13	13	NO	0
Total	81	80	5 out of 7	15 out of 21



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Digital Storytelling: Solutions and Lessons Learned

- Erasmus+ visualisation rules
- HARMONY YouTube Channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/@ErasmusPlusHARMONYProjec-ob1ps/playlists>

- Tarpi by Saanvi Sekhri, NMIMS:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=78YArC3TSvw&list=PLEDs9wSOBUJIP-0c3yxPhk7s6Hly_QEOr&index=4

- The Solitary Reaper by Md Tushar Khan, ULAB:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C_JGNy-_P9Q&list=PLEDs9wSOBUJmLg-8xtikqFRlljOIHR-5L&index=15



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Student Boot Camp: Participants

University	Selection Protocol	Number of Selected Students	Number of Provided Passports	Number of Issued Visa Invitations
NMIMS, India	YES	3	3	3
UH, India	YES	3	3	3
VIT, India	YES	3	3	3
ULAB, Bangladesh	YES	3	3	3
DIU, Bangladesh	NO	0	0	0
QBU, Vietnam	YES	3	3	3
UD, Vietnam	NO	0	0	0
Total	5 out of 7	15 out of 21	15 out of 21	15 out of 21



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Student Boot Camp: Fast Facts

- Tentative timeline: **2 July 2023, Sunday (Day of Arrival to VUM) - 15 July 2023 (Day of Departure from VUM)**
- Venue: VUM Campus in Dobrich (approx. 40 min. drive from Varna Airport)
- Number of student participants: 21 (3 students per Asian HEI)
- Expected costs per student



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Student Boot Camp: Before the Mobility

- **Deadline for Visa Application Submission: 28 April 2023**
- **Get-to-Know-Each-Other 1st Virtual Meeting: 16 May, Tuesday, 1 pm Brussels time**
- **Getting Ready for VUM 2nd Virtual Meeting: 16 June, Friday, 1 pm Brussels time**
- **Flight tickets purchase**
- **See You at VUM! 3rd Virtual Meeting: 29 June 2023 Thursday, 1 pm Brussels time**



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Student Boot Camp: During the Mobility

- **Training module 1:** Intercultural Awareness and Cultural Diversity (12 contact hours)
- **Training module 2:** Event Management (12 contact hours)
- **Final assignment/ group project:** Delight in Diversity Intercultural Festival organised by the boot campers
- **Extracurricular activities:** cultural exploration study trips along the Black Sea costs, visit to VUM in Varna and beach time in Albena.



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Student Boot Camp: After the Mobility

- Boot campers' engagement and proactive contribution to the **FRIENDS Teahouses** activities at home
- Ongoing **digital storytelling** activities facilitated by the FRIENDS Teahouses across the 7 Asian HEIs
- An **Intercultural Festival/ International Day** to be held at each Asian HEI: deadline November 2023
- **International Virtual Student Film Festival** to be organised in October 2023 under VUM's leadership



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FRIENDS Teahouses Evidence

Activity	Responsible	Deadline	Remarks
1. Evidence of formal establishment	All 7 Asian HEIs	21.11.2022	Readable soft copies of official documents accompanied by unofficial translation in EN in Trello
2. FRIENDS Teahouses on HEIs Organizational Charts	All 7 Asian HEIs	21.11.2022	Readable soft copies of official documents accompanied by unofficial translation in EN in Trello
3. FRIENDS Teahouses' Code of Conduct/ Operational Guidelines	All 7 Asian HEIs	28.11.2022	Readable soft copies of official documents accompanied by unofficial translation in EN in Trello
4. FRIENDS Teahouses' Event Calendars as of 28.11.2022	All 7 Asian HEIs	28.11.2022	Readable soft copies of official documents accompanied by unofficial translation in EN in Trello
5. Official Opening ceremony and events	All 7 Asian HEIs	28.02.2022	Events' complete evidence to be uploaded in Trello



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Thank you for your time and attention.

Questions?

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