



Charles University in Prague

Expression of interest for cooperation in FP7 project/s

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Faculty/institute: Faculty of Humanities

Department: Department for Science and Research

Collaboration form: Project partner

Size of the research group: 7

Specific programme: Cooperation - Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities

Activity area: Area 8.3.2. Societal trends and lifestyles (SSH-2007-3.2.1.Youth and social exclusion)

Cooperation interest: SSH-2007-3.2.1.Youth and social exclusion

Summary: Our team plans to take part in SSH-2007-3.2.1. application as a project partner. We are ready to cooperate in any project containing social exclusion of young people. We are interested in attitudes, identity development, life projects, social and cultural capital with respect to strategies of equality restoring, exclusion intensification, acceptance or exclusion utilization. Issues such as self-reflection of exclusion and patterns of self-identification in primary social groups and their development could be considered as well. Czech Republic provides a good example of transitional country between „East“ and „West“. Therefore it would be interesting point for comparison with other countries in the European Union. We expect that our future investigation will describe basic trends and social indicators relevant to social exclusion in the Czech society.

Expert knowledge offered for the FP7 project:

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Number of Ph.D. students: 5

Major international publications:

Moravcová, M. – Bittnerová D.: Analysis of Inter-ethnic Relationship in Czech Primary Schools in Relation to the Educational Policy in the Czech Republic. Praha 2006.

Smékal, V., Moravcová, M. et al.: Helpfulness And Barriers Of Mutual Communication Of Children In Multiethnic Environment Of A Czech Basic School. Multi-cultural Education Reform. EUROPEAID/112287/D/SV/CZ. Survey into prejudice against minorities



Bittnerová, D. – Moravcová, M. et al.: Who Am I and Where Do I Belong?: Identity of ethnic minorities, and ethnic and immigrant groups in the Czech Republic. Praha, Sofis 2005, 259 s.

Previous participation in international research projects:

2005 - Analysis of the Inter-ethnic Relationship in Czech Primary Schools in Relation to the Educational Policy in the Czech Republic (CERGE-EI: GDN)

2002-2004 - Multi-cultural education reform (PHARE)

Major research interest/focus:

Our team has conducted research mainly on the development of social exclusion attitudes at primary and secondary schools. Presently, we solve grant containing processes of integration/disintegration and the role of immigrants in the Czech Republic. In this project we try to answer the question of exclusion of some immigrant groups both from the position of Czech society and from the position of immigrants themselves.

Www pages of the research group: -

Existing international collaboration partners: -

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