



## FORCED LABOUR and FORGOTTEN VICTIMS

Remembering National Socialist Injustice

### CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR REMEMBRANCE OF FORCED LABOUR UNDER NATIONAL SOCIALISM – CONFERENCE SUBSIDIES

#### CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS: SUBMISSION POSSIBLE AT ANY TIME

Society only began coming to terms with forced labour under National Socialism late by comparison with other National Socialist crimes, and gaps remain in this work. However, the system of forced labour was an integral component of National Socialist tyranny. It was the economic prerequisite for continuing the war, an instrument of the suppression system and with the “extermination through labour” program it was also part of the genocide against Jews, Sinti and Roma.

The status of research into and exploration of its history still varies widely, regionally and nationally, today. At the same time forced labour as a trans-national experience offers an opportunity for reflection across national frontiers and thus a topos of common cultures of remembrance in Europe.

#### OBJECTIVE OF FUNDING CONFERENCES ON FORCED LABOUR UNDER NATIONAL SOCIALISM

- To address forced labour in its various manifestations as a central instrument of National Socialist policy
- To integrate questions of forced labour under National Socialism into conferences and congresses addressing related themes with separate panels and contributions

#### 1. What can be funded?

Supraregional, national and international conferences and thematic blocks at such conferences that deal with the history or reception of forced labour under National Socialism and address it in the context of other issues and themes can be funded. Support will be provided for personnel and non-personnel costs for preparing, implementing and documenting these thematic blocks.

#### 2. Who can be funded?

Educational facilities, museums, memorial sites, archives, civil society initiatives, non-profit organisations, history workshops etc. can submit proposals for projects.

### **3. Support is not provided for**

- political projects.

### **4. Criteria and standards**

The projects pursue a multi-perspective approach and thus contribute to developing a European understanding of history.

### **5. Amount of funding and term**

Altogether approx. EUR 100,000 is available for funding projects commencing in 2016. It is expected that it will be possible to fund about five projects. The Foundation expects project executing agencies to make appropriate contributions themselves. Projects are encouraged to acquire third party funding.

### **6. Applications, deadlines and decision on project support**

Applications can be submitted at any time. The application must be submitted at the latest four months before commencement of the project. The Foundation EVZ offers to advise interested applicants, e.g. on the basis of brief idea outlines that can also be submitted by email or by telephone. We look forward to receiving your project ideas. After this a formal application is to be submitted.

Please use the appropriate form for your application. This can be downloaded and completed on the website of the Foundation EVZ. – Please read the form carefully as it contains further notes on completeness of applications.

### **7. Information, advice and contact details**

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### **8. Further notes**

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