

How you can join the project?

Your knowledge, your demands and practical experience are the basis for the development of an easy-to-manage e-learning tool for the communication of arts and culture in archives and museums.

Participate in our research and you'll contribute to the development of an e-learning solution that will consider your situation, needs and wishes. You won't need a digital data base or special archiving systems and you won't need any experience with information or communication technologies or e-learning tools. Your practical experience and your enthusiasm is enough.

Keep yourself up-to-date with our newsletter about new developments and possibilities in the field of e-learning for a better understanding of arts and culture.

Exchange your views with other archives and museums and participate in building up the future of e-learning!

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Partners



Are you ready for something new?

Did you ever question the usefulness of new media for your work in the archiv or museum?

Did you ever want to know how to make your work more attractive for new users?

Information about the project

KUKUK
Kunst, Kultur, Kommunikation
(arts, culture and communication)

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<http://kukuk.lo-f.at>



What is KUKUK?

KUKUK – Kunst- Kultur, Kommunikation (arts, culture and communication) is a project that studies how the possibilities of e-learning for the communication and education of arts and culture can meet the practical demands of archives and museums.

What is in it for you?

You'll get information about innovative ways of how archives and museums can develop a better understanding of arts and culture.

You'll see , how you can present your institution with this new media and get the maximum impact on your public in order to attract a larger number of users and visitors.

You can build up a network with other institutions so that you provide a basis for the development of a communication platform that fits your special demands.

Project description

Communication and knowledge transfer are just as important for modern archives and museums today, as the classical tasks of collecting, maintaining and exposing. In order to make our cultural heritage accessible for younger target groups also in the long run, it is necessary to make use of this new media.

The research of KUKUK raises the topic of access to, enjoyment and understanding of arts and culture by means of digital media. KUKUK wants to link e-learning methods together with the actual needs and the expertise of archives and museums. In this way e-learning becomes a practical tool to enhance a wider communication between users and visitors. The communication process considers therefore the different contexts of the institutions, the individuals and of the object itself that we want to present. The science of archiving, museology, pedagogical sciences, history, cultural management, cultural transfer and information technology will complete the picture of this project.

Online survey

At the end of the year 2005, an online survey was conducted. Its results show the needs and the requirements of archives and museums to the realisation of e-learning in this context. Thereby, archives and museums were invited to participate in the process of developing e-learning tools which correspond to their actual needs and requirements. The results of this survey were presented at the Stadtarchiv/Stadtmuseum Innsbruck (April 2006). For further information, please refer the KUKUK homepage at: <http://kukuk.lo-f.at/umfrage01.html>.

Newsletter

The KUKUK–Newsletter is published regularly. It will keep you updated on the actual state and further development of the project. For registration please contact us by email info@kukuk.lo-f.at or download our newsletter directly from our homepage (rubric „Umfrage und Newsletter“).

