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Press Release

Multi-Cultural Experimental Theatre Project "Voicing and Staging the Experience"

Seeking Young Workshop Participants!

The Intercultural Centre of Cyprus, in collaboration with the **Rooftop Theatre Group**, launches the multi-cultural experimental theatre project entitled **"Voicing and Staging the Experience"**.

The project is a 12-month endeavour aimed to empower children and young adults, through experimental theatre. During a total of 8 weekly workshops in January and February of 2008 at the J. William Fulbright Center (next to the Ledra Palace Hotel in the buffer zone) coordinators and participants will interact, using theatre games and exercises, with the purpose of hearing the stories and making them into an exciting new play!

This project, in its various stages, and through numerous activities, will seek to (re)enforce the life lessons of tolerance and understanding, one of the main aims of the multicultural youth camps project supported by UNDP's Initiative Action for Cooperation and Trust in Cyprus.

The project consists of 4 basic stages which will help in the documenting, learning-through-play, formatting, publishing and staging these experiences.

More specifically:

- 8 theatre workshops (once per week) involving the participants of the UNDP summer camps and members of the Rooftop Theatre Group, in the role of coordinators;
- play text development during and after the workshops, by the Rooftop Theatre Group, and based on the summer camp experiences;
- production and performance of the play text using professional actors and members of the Rooftop Theatre Group, planned for May 2008;
- publication of the text and distribution to educational institutions by the International Centre of Cyprus.

If you have any further questions about the project, or about us, please do not hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to your participation!! Please email us with your name and contact information (name, phone number, email address).

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