



## LCL as a method to support the learner in circus

### Presentation

LCL includes methods of teaching that shifts the focus of instruction from the teacher to the students, focusing on skills and practices that enable lifelong learning and independent problem solving.

This European LCL project assumes that circus promotes empowerment, participation and active citizenship and wants to analyse “ the role of the trainer in the use of circus as a means of working with youth in different countries in Europe”. As part of the project there exchanges, which aim to explore the potential of experiential learning methodologies in developing technical progression in circus discipline, without losing the approach centred on the growth of the participants.

### Objectives

Participants will explore the following:

1. LCL as a method for empowerment in circus skills
2. Sharing good practices and methodologies
3. Developing his/her own teaching methodology
4. Self-evaluating and rationalizing his/her own circus pedagogy

### Program

The LCL exchange takes place over 5 days. It will encourage to:

- Present and use the LCL methodology
- Share and reflect on good circus teaching practices
- Before and after: get inspired by materials on the methodology shared before the exchange and after the exchange collect feedback and reflections.

### Target group: Precondition for attending

The exchange is aimed at people fitting the following criteria:

- Experienced circus teachers with multidisciplinary competences
- Interest in LCL ideas and methods
- Interest in exchanging good practice and developing his/her own methods of teaching
- Ability to share the outcome contents in his/her national context
- Ability to communicate in English and over 18

### To apply

Send your CV and motivation letter to national umbrella at the following email address:  
circosfera.it@gmail.com



### More information

The exchange will take place twice in different locations. Its only possible to participate once. The national umbrella will decide which one you will attend. Travel, food and accommodation are covered. For each exchange there will be a maximum of 16 participants

### Outcomes for participants

The facilitators will produce a “report/handbook” covering the reflections, activities and methods which will come out of the exchange. On the dedicated website all material will be gathered and shared. The results of this process will be disseminated through multiplier events in different countries. It is also important that participants share the outcomes locally and nationally on their return

### Schedule

13.-17.9. 2019

Gschwend/Germany

9.-13.3.2020

Toulouse/France

### Partners:

BAG Zirkuspädagogik (Ger/  
Coordinator)  
NuorisoSirkuslitto (Fin)  
Circuscentrum (Be)  
FFEC (Fr)  
Circusworks (UK)  
Circomundo (NL)  
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