

imPACT Final Report

Team: EuroAsian Impact

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Project: Social Benefit Concert

Our project goal was to bring people from different social backgrounds with music together, so we came up with the project idea to organize a benefit concert.

We decided to change our project location to Vallendar/Koblenz as it is easier for us to organize.

We started our activities 22nd of September by contacting possible teachers and students. Very soon we got positive answers from some teachers who were interested in giving music lessons to the students.

After having contacted some students we had our first get-to-know meeting for the teachers and students at the beginning of October. The project idea was well received by the participants however we had to hold them back with a regular lesson schedule because we could not arrange enough instruments.

We managed to get in touch with some potential sponsors however as there were only 3 weeks until the end of the project deadline the sponsors could not ensure their support within this short time. Therefore they put us on hold.

In the last two weeks we intensified even more our effort and used our connections to find the missing instruments and sponsors. Unfortunately we could not convince anyone on this short notice. At the same time the lessons could move on very well as still some instruments could not be obtained at that time.

On the last weekend of the deadline, the whole team once again sat together to find any possible way-out for our project. However, we noticed that without any financial support within the deadline from any sponsors the concert will be not able to take place before the end of the contest. Since profit only counts within the period we were forced to give up on our project.

We deeply regret this inconvenient outcome but as our project started too late we simply did not have enough time to organize everything effectively. However, we were able to bring socially deprived students and willing teachers together and had successful meetings. Although the final goal was not reached we could still realize part of our project aims. Therefore we are still very glad that we could take part in this competition.