

play perform learn grow

PLG

exploring creative
community practices

Dates 2017, Nov, 3-5 (3 days)

Location The Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Department of Religious Studies

Organizers East Side Institute & Aristotle University of Thessaloniki



Program

3, Nov. Friday

Time	Program
17.00 - 18.00	Opening Ceremony Welcoming by Elena Boukouvala Welcome speeches by Maria Rantzou and Lois Holzman
18.00 - 19.00	Improvisation games Getting to know each other and building the group
20.00 - 10.30	Dinner at Elena's House A buffet with international food will be prepared collectively. 🌍 You are invited to bring local food from your country to share with us. Address: Kerasoudos 67, 55131, Kalamaria

4, Nov. Saturday

Time	Program
9.00 - 10.00	Introductions We interview each other into pairs: • What is your history with performance/art based methodologies? • What is your history as a community organizer? We introduce ourselves as our partner. Performance workshop: 'Working as an ensemble'.
10.00 - 11.30	Groups Performances: Performing your work Getting to know us. In 6 groups we prepare collective presentations of our work through performance. Questions to fuel our performance activity: 1) What was the greatest challenge you have faced in organizing the people you work with? 2) How you get other people (organizations, institutions) interested in your work? 3) What is the greatest personal challenge you have faced in doing this work? 🌍 You are invited to bring images, videos, music to share your work. Projector, computer and sound system will be available to use.
11.30 - 12.00	Coffee Break
12.00 - 13.30	3 Groups Perform
13.30 - 14.30	Lunch offered by the university
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16.00 – 16.30	Group Conversation
16.30 – 17.00	Coffee Break
17.00 – 17.50	Panel: 'Creating New Performances with the Refugee Crisis' moderated by Elena Boukouvala and Ahmed Ghahad
18.00 – 18.50	Panel: 'Scholarship and Performance Activism' moderated by Carrie Lobman
19.00 – 20.00	Online community event: 'Creating Community Across Borders'
20:30 – 10:00	Group Dinner Group dinner in Greek restaurant.

5, Nov. Sunday

Time	Program
10.00 – 11.00	Interview with Lois: The history of PTW Elena interviews Lois about the history of PTW Panel 'Creating with the history of PTW' moderated by Lois Holzman
11.00 – 12.00	Organizing Groups for: Play, Perform, Learn, Grow in April & PTW on the Move Topics: Community outreach, program/cultural events, crowdfunding campaign, scientific and organizing committees, participants contributions to website and facebook page
12.00 – 12.30	Coffee break
12.30 – 14.00	Conference organizing
14.00 – 15.00	Group conversation
15.30 – 17.00	Lunch Lunch offered by the university.

Sunday 5 November 17.30 - 20.30 pm



Lois Holzman and Carrie Lobman are

offering the workshop:

'Creating Communities of Hope:

Drama, Social Performance

and a Psychology of Becoming'

at 'Aithrio', Chanth Thessaloniki.

Sunday 5 November 20.30 - 21.30 pm

Wine and finger food at Aithrio Chanth Thessaloniki.