

PROAct Newsletter

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(Professional development & Actions in Civil Society)

Recent developments

The Final Session

After 10 long weeks, we have finally reached the end of our course, during the last session we evaluated all of the weeks we had spent learning, and gave our final opinions on how our time had been spent.

Many of our guests didn't feel up to it at first, but after sticking through it, they feel like they have gained a wealth of knowledge that they can use to better their cause and push their organisations forward. "Coming to this session has been like being a child again at school, at first everything seems dark and you're not sure, but as time goes on everything gets lighter as you learn more." "It has been a pleasure meeting everyone here and learning from you all, I have learnt so much and wish you all the best in the future"



Presentation

We were also provided a presentation about CfED, by Kenneth, which is his organisation. The key aims and aspects, as well as useful information as to how organisational structure can bottleneck and limit growth of some organisations. "CfED is professional, efficient, responsive, gives value for money and delivers high quality services" Also the many projects of CfED, such as Calling Time, PROAct, Service through Partnership and Migrant Health and Fitness Project.



The course summarised in one word?

At the end of our session, we asked attendees to write down one word onto a sticky note, and for this word to be a summary of their time at the PROAct course, some of the words listed were; “New Beginning”, “Bonding”, “Informative”, “Great Achievement” and “Empowering”.



During this session we were visited by two people, Stephanie Maupilé and Buvat Emmanuel, who came from France on behalf of the PROAct project to witness the final evaluation, and as mentioned before, we are offering the chance for one of our PROAct attendees to visit France for a presentation and workshop in Bordeaux!

Joint StP and PROACT presentation event to be held on Thursday 10th July 2014 starting at 10 -1.30pm. Venue the Workspace All Saints Road Wolverhampton WV2 1EL. A lunch will be provided. More information to follow nearer the time.

