

Campus Am Neuen Palais, Haus 8.

The venue can be reached by bus (605, 606, 695) or train (Potsdam Park Sanssouci).



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## What's UP?

Workshops in English at the University  
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Have you ever wondered how other culturally diverse countries deal with refugees in a successful way?!

They make them part of their **society**,  
they find out what they have **in common**,  
they celebrate different pasts and a **shared future**,  
... and **you** can do this, too!!!

In July 2016, we at the TEFL department of the University of Potsdam (UP) are offering workshops for pupils who want to collect and promote their ideas for such a shared future.

The workshops are designed by university students and will give pupils the chance to work together in projects with pupils from other schools.

Every school class will be divided into different groups. Each group will then be mixed with pupils from another school and they will work together in one of the workshops offered.

Working together cooperatively and creatively will not only improve pupils' communicative competence, but will also increase their motivation to deal with this relevant topic.

## You will:

### Exchange ideas about how to connect with refugees in your community:

The workshops will give you a chance to brainstorm and plan activities which enable

you,  
your class mates,  
your next door neighbours,  
and the people living in your community  
to make refugees a part of our society.

You will get to know different stories of migration, talk about opportunities to integrate migrants into your community, plan social events to get to know each other, and develop many other project ideas.

### Promote your ideas and raise awareness!

In order to put your ideas on the market, you will design city cards, posters, develop amateur films, and create much more to promote your ideas for integrating refugees into our communities. You will step into the shoes of project planners, designers, script writers, or any other person possibly involved in the process of getting into action.



### WHO is our target group?

We offer our workshops for 11th grade English courses from schools in and around Potsdam.

### WHEN and WHERE will the workshops take place?

The dates for our workshops at the University of Potsdam are:

Tuesday, 12th July 2016, 9am – 3pm  
Wednesday, 13th July 2016, 9am – 3pm

### HOW can you register for the workshops?

If you and your English class would like to participate, we need your registration by 20th May 2016. Please include information about school (name, address, type of school), grade, number of pupils, your name (and email address) and send the registration form to [susanne.gnaedig@uni-potsdam.de](mailto:susanne.gnaedig@uni-potsdam.de)

### WHO can give you additional information?

If you have any questions about the workshops or the day at UP, please contact Susanne Gnädig ([susanne.gnaedig@uni-potsdam.de](mailto:susanne.gnaedig@uni-potsdam.de)).