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*YouthPact have compiled some links to resources, training and tips for our new working from home life for your information.  If you have something to share with your Peace4Youth colleagues, send these to Seana Carmichael (*[*Scarmichael@cooperationireland.org*](mailto:Scarmichael@cooperationireland.org)*) and we can compile a further e-newsletter.*

**PEACE PLUS Youth Programme - Online Pre-Development Support Workshop**

The EU PEACE PLUS Programme aims to build prosperity and peace within Northern Ireland and the border counties of Ireland. Prior to any funding call to PEACE PLUS being opened, the SEUPB is co-ordinating an online pre-development support workshop, **Friday 10th December, 10am-11:30am,** targeted specifically at organisations who work with marginalised, disadvantaged, or excluded young people aged 14-24 years, who have deep social and emotional needs and are at risk of becoming involved in anti-social behaviour, violence or dissident activity. For more information visit <https://seupb.eu/events/latest-events>. To apply for a ticket please contact the SEUPB via email: [communications@seupb.eu](mailto:communications@seupb.eu) by close of business 8 December.

**‘Training: Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACES’s)**

**Date:**9 December 2021, **Time:**10am-3pm, **Venue:**TBC (Belfast based)

Due to the positive feedback we received when we ran this training previously, we are now in a position to offer this again to any Peace4Youth projects/workers who would like to avail. The purpose of this course is to help youth workers understand what adverse childhood experiences are and how they may affect the young people they are working with. If you would be interested in this training please complete the following EOI form: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1StNadJcnMSZWqa48nFWnUehFqjkmqHumQawHHSKTpZI](https://eur03.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdocs.google.com%2Fforms%2Fd%2F1StNadJcnMSZWqa48nFWnUehFqjkmqHumQawHHSKTpZI&data=04%7C01%7Cjoe%40nyci.ie%7Cdfe00ed29c6045d44cdb08d9949452c1%7C866d05286cf14cb4bd91e89aca1b0bf0%7C0%7C0%7C637704188401262947%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000&sdata=Zve4gF3W8l6UuC8OLx7x%2FcT9tUqGzHzHqAzM4e7cpGc%3D&reserved=0)  by 12.00 02/12/21

**‘Talking about our Past and Present’**

The launch of Strive project, ‘Talking about our Past and Present: The Impacts of Conflict Legacy’ research report from the Centre for Children’s Rights, QUB, will take place on **Tuesday 14th December 2021, 5.30-6.30pm**, St. Columb’s Park House, 4 Limavady Road, Waterside, Derry / Londonderry. BT47 6JY. The capacity for the numbers of those attending will be limited and places will be allocated on a first come first served basis. Please RSVP by 3rd December to: [lholland04@qub.ac.uk](mailto:lholland04@qub.ac.uk)

**ARK Policy Brief**

The Trauma of Violence and its Impact on Young People in Northern Ireland: The State of Evidence.

<https://www.ark.ac.uk/ARK/sites/default/files/2021-08/policybrief20.pdf>

**The Global YOUth – Journey to Act!**

The Global YOUth – Journey to Act! Is a free resource and activity planning pack from the NYCI Global Youth Work team. Young people are more globally connected than ever before. Build action on global issues affecting people and planet into your youth work and activism with this easy-to-use resource pack.

[youth.ie/the-global-youth-journey-to-act/](https://www.youth.ie/the-global-youth-journey-to-act/?utm_source=Stay+in+touch+with+NYCI&utm_campaign=02ded51d08-One_World_Week_resource_15.10.21&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_c5e3fd8386-02ded51d08-390954632)

**Free E-Learning Mental Health and Wellbeing Courses**

‘Innovation Recovery’ offer free, flexible online learning providing a range of training and practical tools to support mental health and wellbeing. Please see the link for the upcoming training.

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/16ElOmh7JrADfVG8jTdVaQ7jZq0QZ5SLy/view?usp=sharing>

**Launch of Shared Island, Shared Practices**

The Northern Ireland Council for Voluntary Action (NICVA) and The Wheel are honoured to invite you to the launch of our Shared Island, Shared Practices initiative from **10.00am to 11.30am on Monday, 6 December**. The initiative is will contribute to the Irish Government’s Shared Island initiative and is jointly funded by the Department of Foreign Affairs’ Reconciliation Fund and the Department for Communities.

<https://www.wheel.ie/training/2021/12/shared-island-shared-practices-launch-event>

**Ireland 2021: A Conversation About the Experiences of Ireland's Black Community**

Join host Emer O’Neill (Teacher, Author and Presenter of RTÉ’s Today show and formerly Home School Hub) and guests - Boidu Sayeh (Westmeath Footballer), Cllr. Uruemu Adejinmi (Lord Major of Longford), Lilian Nwanze Akobo (PhD Student at Maynooth University and Irish Research Council Scholar) and others for a discussion about the lived experiences of Ireland’s black community in 2021 and what research is needed to understand and address the emerging issues. The event, part of the Creating Our Future campaign, will feature one-on-one-conversations between Emer and the guests, as well as a wider panel discussion, audience Q&A and an interactive brainstorming session.

**Thursday 25November - 19.30 to 21.00.**

<https://www.mermaidartscentre.ie/whats-on/events/ireland-2021-a-conversation-about-the-experiences-of-irelands-black-community>

**Young people’s concerns during COVID-19**

Young people are among the most affected by the economic crisis as a result of the COVID‑19 pandemic. The results of the OECD Risks That Matter 2020 survey provides cross-national information on young people’s concerns, perceived vulnerabilities and policy preferences.

<https://www.oecd.org/coronavirus/policy-responses/young-people-s-concerns-during-covid-19-results-from-risks-that-matter-2020-64b51763/>

**Just for fun**

LADY AND SKULL

Frightened? Of a lady in mirror? It's called "All is Vanity" by Charles Allan Gilbert.   
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