

# Summer School 2018

## Educational Ambassadors Program

### *Creative Processes and Animated Learning*

The Animation Workshop - Creative Stronghold in the Heart of Denmark

The summer school will take place at **The Animation Workshop, VIA University College** campus in the old capital of Denmark, Viborg.



#### **Study activities**

The programme will consist of a mix between lectures, workshops, working in groups on making animated films, individual independent studies, field trips and student presentations.



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## Program

### Week 1 - Creativity and animation as a learning tool.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Welcome and introduction to the content of the study program.</p> <p>Lecture <i>Creative learning in the Danish school system.</i></p> <p>Cases: Animation in the Danish School by cluster community teachers.</p>	<p>Introduction to Animation and cut-out, translating your own learning material to an animation framework.</p>	<p>Lecture <i>Visual Literacy and communication.</i></p> <p>Working on Cut-out Animation.</p>	<p>Lecture <i>Anatomy of the brain and (neuro)science behind animated learning.</i></p> <p>Planning own learning material 1 – research and review of topics fit for animation.</p>	<p>Working on Cut-out Animation.</p> <p>Preparing presentations.</p> <p>Presentation of films.</p> <p>Feedback and reflection.</p>

### Week 2 - Storytelling, character design and aesthetic processes

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Lecture <i>Life and Light Grundtvig - the philosophical founder of the Danish educational thinking.</i></p>	<p>Lecture <i>Embodied Learning – knowing through the body.</i></p> <p>Introduction to 3rd film – Claymation animation.</p>	<p>Workshop Character design and storytelling..</p>	<p>Lecture <i>Aesthetic processes – in the educational field.</i></p> <p>Planning own learning material 2– learning design and processes.</p>	<p>Visit to a local Danish School.</p> <p>Preparing presentations.</p> <p>Presentation of the films.</p> <p>Feedback and reflection.</p> <p>Goodbye dinner.</p>

#### Excursions and field trips

During each weekend, Saturday and Sunday, excursions and fieldtrips will be arranged to carefully selected cultural and professionally oriented venues.

**Weekend 1** will focus on historic sites and Danish culture based on the local area of Viborg. Danish Public Schools, Animated Learning Lab, The Arsenal, The City Hall, Viborg Museum. Aalborg University Research Center: Visual Studies and Learning Design (VILD), Aalborg.



**Weekend 2** will be comprised of a daytrip to visit LEGO and the new LEGO House of education in Billund.

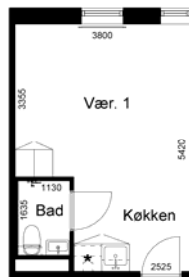


### Food

Proper food and cultural dietary needs will be met. Every meal will be provided for the participants, either as part of the accommodation or as meals made available on site or during the program.

### Housing

The participants will be situated in the campus areas of The Animation Workshop, at the Camp Logos, a modern apartment hotel for students. All apartments have their own WC and bath, and most come with a small kitchen. There are common facilities, such as shared dinner rooms, social facilities and large common kitchens.



Based on the participants needs it will also be possible to order rooms in one of The Animation Workshops apartments or houses, or alternatively to stay in one of Viborgs cosy hotels. Additional costs will be added the participant fee depending on these preferences.

### Costs

A two week Educators Ambassadors program will cover the following expenses:

- Full academic program
- Access to all masterclasses/workshops
- Training materials
- Prepared halal food and catering
- On-site transportation
- Site-visits, fieldtrips, industry visits,
- Entrance fees

Travel expenses between Denmark and home country, subsequent fees and insurances are to be covered by the participants themselves.