

ARE WE READY?

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TARTU – IN HISTORY

- ❑ SITUATED ON CROSSROADS OF NORTH EUROPE
 - ▶ MANY GUESTS AND „GUESTS“ IN HISTORY
 - ▶ HANSEATIC CITY – TRADE AND KNOWLEDGE
 - ▶ 1224– BISHOP CITY
 - ▶ 1583– JESUIT COLLEGE
 - ▶ 1632– ACADEMIA GUSTAVIANA
- ❑ ON CROSSROADS OF DIFFERENT NATIONS AND CULTURES
- ❑ CENTRE OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE

POPULATION OF ESTONIA

XVI mid	XVII mid	XX beg, mid	1989	2015
0,3m	0,14m	ca 1,0m	1,6 m	1,3 m

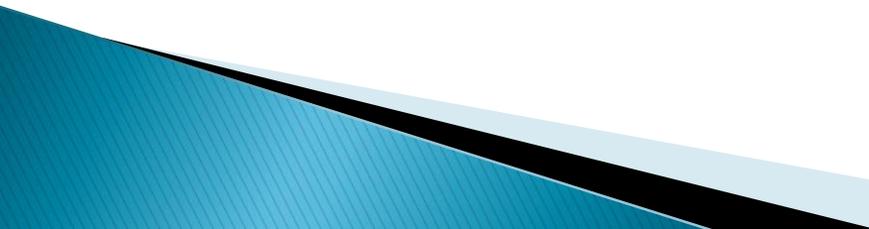
NATIONALITIES

	1934	1989	2000
ESTONIANS	88,1	61,5	67,9
RUSSIANS	8,2	30,3	25,6
UKR,BR,POL...	0,0	5,0	3,5
FINNISH	0,1	1,1	0,9

TARTU TODAY

- ▣ POPULATION – 97300
 - ▶ ESTONIANS – 72,1%
 - ▶ RUSSIANS – 13,8%
 - ▶ UKRAINIANS – 1,0%
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- ▶ TOTAL 119 NATIONS

TARTU IS A MULTICULTURAL CITY

- ❑ UNIVERSITY OF TARTU (1632)
 - ESTONIAN UNIVERSITY OF LIFE SCIENCES
 - BALTIC DEFENCE COLLEGE
 - 11 UNIVERSITIES, HIGHER SCHOOLS, COLLEGES
 - ❑ TOTAL OVER 20000 STUDENTS
 - CA 1500 FOREIGN STUDENTS
 - ❑ ABOUT 20 ORGANISATIONS OF FOREIGN NATIONALITIES
 - ❑ THEATRUM (s)
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SPECIAL COMMISSION

- ❑ JUNE 2015 – COMMISSION FORMED BY CITY GOVERNMENT (9 MEMBERS):
 - ▶ DEPUTY MAYOR
 - ▶ SPECIALISTS FROM DEPARTMENTS OF
 - EDUCATION
 - CULTURE
 - SOCIAL WELFARE AND HEALTH CARE
 - BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

SPECIAL COMMISSION II

- ❑ REPRESENTATIVES FROM PARTNER ORGANISATIONS
- ▶ CENTRE OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
- ▶ OFFICE OF EMPLOYMENT
- ▶ OFFICE OF REFUGEE SUPPORT SERVICES/
SUPPORT PERSONS
- ▶ NGO ESTONIAN REFUGEE COUNCIL
- ▶ ...

ACTIVITIES IN TARTU

- ❑ MEETINGS WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF ORGANISATIONS HAVING EXPERIENCES WITH IMMIGRANTS INCLUDING
 - UNIVERSITIES AND HIGHER SCHOOLS
 - INSTITUTIONS OF CULTURE AND SPORT
 - POLICE
 - MIGRANT SUPPORT ORGANISATIONS
- ❑ CONTACTS WITH RESPONSIBLE MINISTRIES

ACTIVITIES II

- ▣ STUDY VISITS, CONFERENCES
 - TURKU
 - STOCKHOLM
 - GÖTEBORG
 - VEZSPREM
 - BERLIN
 - ROSTOCK
 - BRUSSEL
 - TALLINN etc

EXAMPEL X FROM TARTU

- ▶ FAMILY FROM COUNTRY X
- ▶ FATHER XX, 35 YEARS OF AGE – ARRIVED IN 2011
- ▶ OFFICIAL STATUS AS ASYLUM SEEKER SINCE 2012
- ▶ EDUCATED AS SURVEYOR
- ▶ EMPLOYED IN 2012–2013
- ▶ 2012 WIFE AND SON ARRIVED
- ▶ 2014 DAUGHTER WAS BORN
- ▶ OFFICIALLY UNEMPLOYED SINCE 2014
- ▶ PRESENTLY STUDYING TO BECOME A SUPPORT PERSON TO WORK WITH MIGRANTS
- ▶ SUPPORTED BY ESTONIAN STATE AND TARTU CITY

EXAMPLE Y

- ▶ FAMILY FROM COUNTRY Y
- ▶ ARRIVED TO TARTU IN AUGUST 2015
- ▶ 6 PERSONS
- ▶ Incl. 4 CHILDREN OF SCHOOL AGE
- ▶ NON ENGLISH, NON ESTONIAN SPEAKING
- FLAT FOUND BY NGO
- BY CITY GOVERNMENT (IN COOPERATION WITH NGO) PROVIDED:
 - SCHOOL PLACES
 - LANGUAGE STUDIES
 - SUPPORT PERSON
 - SCHOOL AND SOCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES

PROBLEMS

- ❑ ACCOMMODATION – LACK OF MUNICIPAL FLATS
 - ❑ JOB – LACK OF VACANCIES
 - ❑ VOCATIONAL RE/TRAINING
 - ❑ LACK OF ESTONIAN – ARABIAN SPEAKING TEACHERS
 - ❑ SCHOOL PLACES
 - ❑ TEACHING IN SCHOOLS
 - ❑ SOURCES OF SOCIAL BENEFITS
 - ❑ SUPPORT PERSONS
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PROBLEMS II

- ❖ CONFLICT OF CULTURES
 - ❖ CONFLICT OF RELIGIONS
 - ❖ MONEY TO COVER THE COSTS
 - ❖ HOW LONG
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THANK YOU!

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