

LILARA

Learning in Local and Regional Authorities

Learning City development is not simply an activity decided by and implemented by local and regional authorities. It is a partnership between the city , its major institutions and its people and each will have different learning needs if they are to play their part. This was the basis of the LILARA Project, a European Commission funded project to discover the learning needs of all types of people in support of Learning City, Regions, Town or Borough development.

It covered 4 types of institution – Schools and Colleges, Universities, Companies including Small and Medium sized enterprises and the Local Authority workforce at all levels.

Accordingly the partners from 6 European Universities developed questionnaire. We called it an audit because we were auditing the responses with a view to developing courses for groups in the different institutions. Which we did and those, and other, courses can be found elsewhere on this website.

Anyone is invited to use these audits as is, or to change them to suit their needs with or without the trade name of Lilara.

One thing is certain. Cities will not become learning cities, universities, schools and companies will not become learning organisations unless they focus their activities on learning, and to do that they need to know what to learn. The other projects shown on this website contain learning materials of almost every aspect of learning city development. Profitez-vous.

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