

AGREEMENT of CONFEDERATION

Non Dalla Guerra & No Amb LaGuerra

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1. MEANING OF THE CONFEDERATION

A confederation is a group of two or more associations that share the same “mission”, that works for the same goals but still keeping their differences in organization, methodology, and activities.

In order to be on the same page regarding the common mission, it is important for the association to share some “bonding” moments to build our identity as a confederation, to share good practices and grow together, and to implement new common projects.

The creation of a confederation between Non Dalla Guerra and No Amb la Guerra responds to our need to "think global and act local". The challenges that today's Europe is facing involves us all, and as Europeans citizens, we feel the duty to unite and act on a common thought, based on universal values such as human rights and the equality of all men and women. A thought that is global, inclusive, and open to be adopted by anyone who recognizes it. However, we want to combine global thinking with an action that starts from the peripheries, from the villages. It is important *to respond to contemporary challenges without losing sight of the daily needs of our fellow citizens, because only starting from the bottom we can build a solid and compassionate society.*

2. OUR COMMON MISSION

The aim of our confederation is to promote and defend peace through:

- education as a tool to stimulate critical thinking
- giving to people the opportunity to emancipate themselves as individuals capable to recognize themselves in their daily actions
- creating spaces of meaningful dialogue, especially with people who do not share our same values
- promoting encounter as a mean to recognize each other as human beings and not through labels

3. ORGANIZATION CHART

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Executive board composed by nine members:

1. President: reference of the association; last word on the decisions to be made; spokesperson for the group; management of legal and administrative aspects (ordinary administration, in collaboration with the whole presidency)
2. Vice-president: general coordination and supervision of commissions; management of critical issues; external contacts and consortium; substitute and support for the president; assembly relations and assembly management (in collaboration with the human resources commission); meeting calendar management
3. Secretary: bureaucratic management; general mail management; membership and travel registration management (in collaboration with foreign projects commission); associative calendar creation (in collaboration with the whole board); document compilation: minutes, assembly calls, official communications
4. Treasurer: economic management of the association: income and expenses, reimbursements; budget management
5. Councilors:
 - Commission NATIONAL PROJECTS: drafting of local calls (ex: Social Day), **management of meetings and projects in schools** (specific workshops for school assemblies and specific workshops for classes), Vicini di Banco Project management, contact management with Italian Caritas
 - Commission INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS: drafting of European calls, keeping contacts with foreign partners (Jordan, Lebanon, Spain, Germany) and management of international meetings, coordination of international projects and **travel management (Jordan)**
 - Commission HUMAN RESOURCES: management of members and assemblies; internal training for members (**bonding activities and geopolitical contents**); planning of future territorial commissions (management of distant members, ...); experts committee creation.
 - Commission SENSIBILIZATION: fundraising, **Silent Play**, organization civil society awareness events, recurrence management, contacts local partners and networks; organization of travel presentation evenings and post-travel testimonies.
 - Commission COMMUNICATION: press office supervision; management of newsletters, site and newspaper articles; social media management; translation group supervision; contacts with journalists and external bodies; **content production (in collaboration with sensibilization commission); production of inserts and press releases external to the newsletter.**

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1. **DIRECTIVE:** organization of the association
2. **EDUCATIVE:** development of educative activities for the external groups (schools, esplais...) with specific goals. Ex: Silent Play (Teatre de l'Oprimat) and the compilation of actuality news and internal formations.
3. **PROJECTS:** Activities with other organizations or young people who wants to know or work with us. Ex: Work Camps, social garden and Confederation.
4. **COMMUNICATION:** promotion of all the NAG's activities and projects through social media, the spreading of news related to our aims or projects, and the creation of publicity or material to let people know about the association.
5. **BUREAUCRACY:**
 - **Institutions:** relations with the city council and the legal commissions.
 - **Subvencions i papeleo:** preparation of the papers for the legal institutions to get economic help.
6. **TRANSLATION:** translation of legal and activities documents of the association to our language or others.
7. **NETWORK:** direct contact with other NGOs, association and group to create common projects, activities, ect.

4. COMMON ACTIVITIES

As a confederation, it is our will to determine specific fields of action on which to coordinate, in order to be able to think, create and act together on the contents and activities that we offer to our communities. We have therefore identified concrete collaborations that will form the basis for our common action, hoping over time to strengthen our bond and broaden our horizons of collaboration.

- *Silent Play*

Creation of a first silent play on our Jordan travels, as it was the place that saw our partnership born and that pushed us to act for a common goal. The designated commissions will then create additional shared content.

- *Meeting planification*

Planning of bonding moments between NDG and NAG volunteers, also useful for the creation of the aforementioned common contents. Management of the organization of our three annual meeting trips (Autumn - Winter - Spring).

- *Peace education in schools*

Preparation of a structured educational project (therefore that follows an ongoing path) in schools of all levels, which has human rights as its central theme.

- *Investigation camps*

Planning and organization of investigation camps on border places in Europe; it is a new project born precisely from the internal ties of the confederation and which most embodies its essence: the great majority of our activities, while aiming for the same objectives and maintaining the same format, respond to local needs of Italian and Catalan realities. The investigation camps are the new frontier of our actions, driven by the fact of belonging to another shared reality, the European one. The deadly European borders are a problem that directly affects us and to which we intend to react as a confederation.

- *Volunteer camps*

Volunteer camps in Jordan are now a consolidated reality, organized by NDG but which sees the participation of NAG volunteers. A shared management of volunteer camps could be a future goal. A second proposal sees the organization of the camps in Jordan and in future locations as entrusted to a single association (either NAG or NDG), but always open to the participation of volunteers from the entire confederation.

- *Online "bookstore"*

Thanks to the numerous meetings with experts promoted by our associations, concerning various issues aimed at training our members, it will be possible to create a shared online "library" of documents translated into English, which can be used by all the volunteers of the confederation.

- *Joint press office*

Preparation of coordinated press declarations, especially on the occasion of annual anniversaries (example: World Refugee Day) or events of high political importance that require a response that follows a clear and shared line of thought.

Each field of action will be entrusted to the respective closest commission. The Italian and Catalan members of the commissions will work closely together to define the specific objectives of their collaboration, set a calendar of meetings, define the working methods and a referent who has the task of interfacing with international partners.

Each goal will be evaluated during the three annual meetings scheduled for:

- the end of January
- the end of April
- the end of October

The task of official representatives and coordinators of the activities of the whole confederation rests with the president of No AmbLa Guerra, Israel Muñiz, and the president of Non Dalla Guerra, Noemi Rossi.

Find attached the programme organisation for the associative year 2020/2021.

Barcellona, 2nd February 2020



The President

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Noemi Rossi".



The President

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be a stylized representation of the name "Israel Muñiz".
