

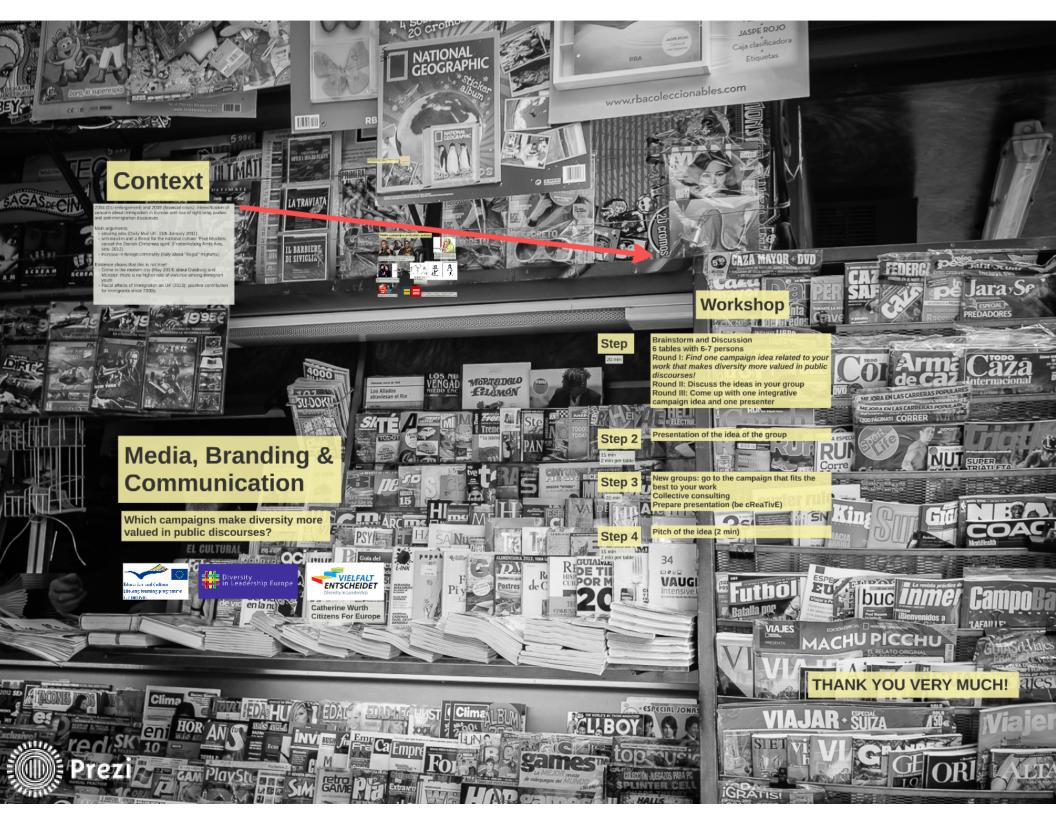
# Media, Branding & Communication

Which campaigns make diversity more valued in public discourses?





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## Context

2004 (EU enlargement) and 2008 (financial crisis): intensification of concern about immigration in Europe and rise of right-wing parties and anti-immigration discourses

#### Main arguments:

- stealing jobs (Daily Mail UK, 11th January 2011)
- anti-muslim and a threat for the national culture: 'Five Muslims cancel the Danish Christmas spirit' (Frederiksborg Amts Avis, Nov. 2012)
- increase in foreign criminality (Italy about "illegal" migrants)

#### Evidence shows that this is not true!

- Crime in the modern city (May 2014) about Duisburg and Münster: there is no higher rate of violence among immigrant youth
- Fiscal effects of immigration on UK (2013): positive contribution for immigrants since 2000s.



Campaigning for policy change and changing behaviour. Why campaign? Because it works!

IT'S NOT ABOUT IDEAS.
IT'S ABOUT





### Public campaigns and public actions



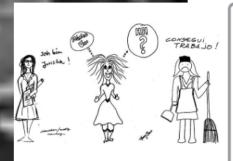
German VIPs campaigning for a diverse Germany. Raus mit der Sprache. Rein ins Leben.



Fake president election campaign with diverse leaders - Austria



"Make Love" Diversity Campaign GAP



No Migrant Job No Terrorist

www.migrantas.de





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Show Racism the red card



Human Rights Campaign – Marriage Equality Viral Social Media campaign (March 2013) - 9 mio

