

Dimensions of Diversity

Creating Diversity Awareness in the Public Sphere

Exercise:

- Ø Take a seat in a street café and observe the people around you and passers-by.
- Ø Concentrate and consciously note the diversity that is visible.
- Ø Pay attention to visible characteristics as well as behaviour.
- Ø Think about the following:
 - Do you have a tendency to assess people according to their membership of a certain group (foreigner”, “gay couple”, “disability”)?
- Ø Do you tend to judge people’s behaviour if it is different to yours (e.g. how loud they speak, how much space they take up)?