



Invitation for interview

Memoar is an organization using a method of conducting historical research through recorded interviews between a narrator and an interviewer. We do this by interviewing people with particularly important and interesting life stories, in a studio at Bergen offentlige bibliotek (Bergen Public Library), situated between the railway station and the bus station. Normally we are one or two persons doing the interview. The interview will be videotaped.

We have two goals. First and foremost we wish that many more people than the celebrities should be able to share the stories about their life and life experiences. We all have a lot to learn from each other, and the more life stories we hear the wiser we get and the less prejudices we get. If the narrator agrees, we therefore publish the interview or parts of it on our web site www.Memoar.no.

Migration

We organize the interviews according to theme. This letter comes from a group working to collect stories about migration. Something that is significant for our time is that many more than before leave their home counties and move to other countries and cultures.

We would like to interview you about your childhood and the way you were raised, what it was like to live where you grew up, why you wanted to move, the journey, the meeting with the new place and the culture and people there, perhaps other changes of locations – and what the situation is today. We want to ask you about both everyday events and more special ones, both serious matters and funny episodes. We would like to do this within the time span of an hour or two.

The interview will be in Norwegian or English. Later we will try to find solutions for other languages.

After

After the interview we will document it with a text and a keywords list like we have done with the other interviews you can see on our theme web site Migrasjon.Memoar.no. We will not publish it until you tell us it is ok. If you do not want your history to be published, we will not do it. But we would very much prefer that it can be stored in a public archive.

If you are willing to take this on, we would like you to read through the attached suggestion for an agreement about how the interview can be used. Then send an email or phone or text Bjørn Enes on 41 51 67 45. We would prefer to do the interview on a Wednesday, but other days are also possible.

We are looking forward to meeting you in the studio!

Kind regards

Memoar, Project Group Migrasjon

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