

MY INTEREST IN ECONOMICS

AIM:

This exercise helps recognizing the own attitude towards economy and helps to reflect that critically.

TYPE OF ACTIVITY:

TARGET GROUP:

opening activity

for bigger groups from 8 people onwards

DURATION:

▶ 10 to 30 minutes (depending on the ability to discuss in the group)

ACCESSIBILITY:

ability to read

MATERIALS:

▶ 4 to 6 statements (well readable, on big paper or posters)

PROCESS:

The statements will be put in different places of the room, but will be concealed at the beginning. After the exercise has been explained the participants start to uncover the statements and read them. Then every person stays at one statement that they feel connected to at the moment. After everybody has decided the discussion starts.

The discussion can be started with the following statements. The group dynamics can be also included:

- ▶ Why did you choose that statement?
- ▶ Was it easy to decide? Why? Why not?
- ▶ How does it feel to stand at one statement alone?
- ▶ How does it feel to stand with a lot of people at one statement?
- ▶ What would be interesting to you in addition regarding that topic?