

Understanding Project 2013-2014

Your Region – Your Perspective



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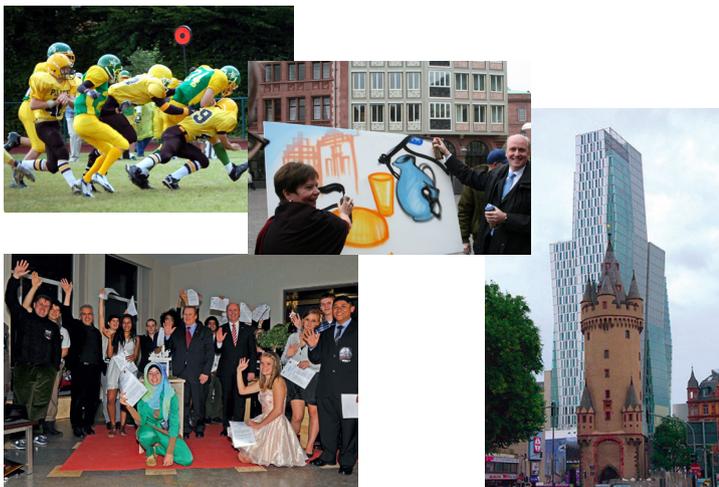
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The Understanding Program



With the **Understanding** program, the City of Frankfurt and the U.S. Consulate General Frankfurt support the German-American friendship. This is carried out primarily through conveying mutual cultural understanding through meetings with U.S. citizens living in Germany and their surrounding neighborhoods.

Awarding a bi-annual prize for special commitment to the German-American partnership is at the core of the of the **Understanding** program.

The Project 2013-2014

The 2013-2014 **Understanding** project will be a photography contest with the theme „Your Region –Your Perspective“. Together with a professional photographer, the selected participants will take trips to get to know the Frankfurt RheinMain-Region and each other better, to exchange ideas and to collect impressions in photography. Each participant will offer an individual perspective on the region. We look forward to extraordinary single shots or photo series. The three best entries will be chosen as winners of the contest. The pictures should focus on the strong connection of the region to the United States and/or to the German-American friendship.



Entry Rules

We are looking for extraordinary photos – day or night shots, churches, landscapes or portraits – that address FrankfurtRheinMain-U.S. ties. The participants can hand in up to three individual photos or a photo serie, which constitute a piece of photo art. The photos have to be taken by the participant him/herself, they need a title and, if needed, a short description. The participants provide their own photo equipment.



The results will be presented in October 2014 at the German-American friendship day.

A total of 20 American and German students from the age of 14-21, who enjoy engaging with other youth and who like using their creative minds, can participate.

Please direct your questions and registration **no later than December 15, 2013** to Anne Rückschloß, Janna Lendel or Dr. Kirsten Gerstner.