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Call for nominees for the Livia Price 2010

Have you met or heard of someone who with creativity, wisdom, sensitivity, action and non-violent methods, has been able to handle conflicts in society? Then we need your advice in The Livia Foundation.

The Livia Foundation is hosting an award evening in June 2010, where we honor three groups or individuals, who have been able to handle conflicts in new ways. People, who have met major crises with awareness, creativity, wisdom and courage. People, who can inspire and give hope to others.

We hereby call for candidates for the Liviaprice 2010.

We are looking for pricewinners - individuals or initiatives - who take action in the conflicts that occur in society and who have been able to create constructive communication between the striving parts; maybe preventing a conflict from escalating into violence or deflating an already violent conflict and instead create dialogue and possibilities for negotiations. Or initiatives, that support a reconciliation process, so peace, healing and coexistence becomes possible.

The examples are many, but only rarely do they reach the front pages of the news. This is where the Livia Foundation is working to make a difference. We will make the creative thoughts and solutions known to a larger public, by drawing attention and giving a voice to the people working to make a difference within creative conflict solution.

If you know of any such people or groups, please inform us. We would highly appreciate it if you could forward this to anybody, who you think can assist in finding the best candidates for the Livia Price. We need as many as possible. In this way you can contribute to show other ways of dealing with conflicts in society, with stories that give inspiration and hope to others.

Please mail your proposals to the following email stating:

Name of group/initiative or individual

Reason for nomination

Documentation and further information (website or alike)

Your name, mail and phone no.

Deadline: April 6th 2010 to pris@liviafonden.dk

We look forward to hearing from you
The Livia Foundation.

Last year's winners:

K-team (DK): A team of social workers, who has established a task force in order to handle intercultural conflict across public sectors. They offer immediate assistance and mediation.

Combatants for Peace (PAL + IL): A group of former Israeli soldiers and former militant Palestinians who refuse to participate violently in the armed conflict and together go to schools and teach nonviolence.

Former CEO of the Danish Security and Intelligence Service, Hans Jørgen Bonnichsen (DK), for his work promoting dialogue even in extremely intense situations.

The vision for the Livia Foundation is to support new ways of creative, constructive non-violent conflict solution.