

## **Photo Safari “See the Unseen” – let your photos speak about Chemnitz**

A project of Solidarisches Chemnitz e.V. in cooperation with the Arab Association for Integration and Culture e.V. and the Afghan Association Faiz Mohammad Katib Hazara e.V.

By modifying the motto "C the Unseen" of the Capital of Culture, we want to make visible the perspectives of the "unseen", the "invisible" middle.

Our appeal is aimed at all Chemnitz residents, but especially at the migrant communities and everyone who, unfortunately, is not perceived or does not feel as part of our society: by means of your photos we want you to show what Chemnitz means to you and how you perceive Chemnitz, what Chemnitz looks like to you.

- It can be one photo or an entire series of photos on a certain topic or many different photos.
- The photos can show your favorite places (or less beautiful places), everyday life at work, in the family, at school, in a home, in your free time. Whether architecture, landscape, things, messages on the walls, people, situations - you choose the motif yourself and decide what you want to show about your Chemnitz.
- You can send photos with an artistic claim or just snapshots from everyday life.
- Feel free to write something about the motives themselves, why you've chosen them and write something about yourself, too.

We're planning to exhibit the photos in different places (online and offline). The most interesting, moving and meaningful photos will receive a small prize.

Important note: By submitting photos (with your name) you agree to have the photos (and your name) published online and offline.

Please send your photos to [solidarisches.chemnitz@posteo.de](mailto:solidarisches.chemnitz@posteo.de). We'll be collecting the photos and will choose the photos we want to exhibit.

What's next?

- Anyone who'd like to help promote the photo project is welcome to distribute or lay out the promotional postcards in the living quarters. In order to do so please send us an email to [solidarisches.chemnitz@posteo.de](mailto:solidarisches.chemnitz@posteo.de). We'll organise the delivery of the postcards.
- In November we want to go on a "photo safari" and create the opportunity for taking photos, going on a walk and discussing together. You'll find the date and meeting point here on our website and on Facebook.
- We are also planning to publish a photo book with your perspectives on the Capital of Culture by 2025.

We look forward to your perspectives!