Objectives of the project:
Based on the international partnership between the federal state of Lower Saxony and the region of Upper Normandy, the Comenius-Regio-Partnership “KINEMA-Regio” is focused on
- Advancing learning German and French as foreign languages in the respective regions by treating films in -
- Dialogue with the foreign partners (students, teachers)
- Showing the particular impact of film education in language teaching in both regions
- Taking film education as a contribution to an intercultural dialogue
- Producing/offering high quality material concerning film culture and education to learners and teachers as well in cinema as in classroom
- Establishing a network of effective film education based on the dialogue between the regions

Main results and conclusions:
- Organisation and running of a German-French symposium concerning the development of intercultural film education (November 2010); participants: renowned experts and foreign language teachers from both countries – 200 persons)
- Extension of the existing website www.kinema.fr: publishing of workshops contents of the symposium, development of a glossary of technical terms for film analysis
  DVD edition (German and French film) consisting a teacher’s manual for intercultural language teaching and learning
- Coordination and running of teacher training in intercultural film education
- Coordination of the presentations of convenient films for an intercultural film education
- Publishing of a teacher’s manual to prepare and evaluate the presentation of the chosen films to pupils/students
- Establishment of an interregional network to develop and disseminate concepts and material

Impact and use:
- Introducing additional skills concerning the use of media/film in modern language learning concepts - target groups: German teachers in Upper Normandy and French teachers in Lower Saxony
- Promoting German and French as foreign languages – target groups: German and French students on secondary level
- Concept and material could be transferred to / used by other German-French regional partnerships (dissemination)
- Developing and strengthening German-French regional institutional cooperation in education

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