



Report of Activities 2023-2024

The General Assembly of ITI appointed at the 33rd ITI World Congress in Xiamen 2011, AKT-ZENT - ITI Research Centre to conduct the project "The World Theatre Training Library". Since 2017, AKT-ZENT changed status to the **World Theatre Training Institute** as a result of its profile as research centre in theory and practice.

The on-going research has been concentrated on the education and training of theatre teachers as fundament of innovation and research for training exercises and methods world-wide. Workshops and seminars for actors, directors and teachers on various topics are held regularly in different countries, or online at an international level.

The research results are published in-house.

Since 2020 the Institute offers worldwide training through the **Online Theatre Academy**.

The World Theatre Training Institute AKT-ZENT focuses on a paradigm shift in education and training that not only places the artistic personality in the foreground as an educational goal, but also sees the empowerment of self-education as the foundation of future social reality.

Spherical Education, Holistic Cognition and Quantum Training are the three key terms that outline current research for new performative dimensions and the training of innovative teachers.

The brochure *Ideas - Concepts - Proposals*; Jurij Alschitz on *Innovations for Theatre Training in a Changing World*, was distributed free of charge to all interested participants during the 36th ITI World Congress in Fujairah.

Activities 2023 – Summer 2024

Montecreto Italy

XIII + XIV International Theatre Summer Academy

with Directing and Acting Classes, international team of teachers

Phan Thiet – Binh Thuan, Vietnam

Workshop at the **1st International performing Arts Festival**, Dec. 2023

Directed by Christine Schmalor

Pescara, Italy

Istituto Italiano Pedagogia Teatrale

Artistic direction Dr Jurij Alschitz

Ongoing diploma courses for theatre pedagogues and drama teachers.

Online Theatre Academy

Courses for Acting, Directing and Teaching.

One-to One Trainings, consultations.

Think Tank of the Forum for Theatre Training and Education – FTTE

Christine Schmalor / WTTI initiated a platform for the professional exchange of innovative ideas on teaching methodology and practice during the 36th ITI World Congress in Fujairah. Since April 2023, monthly online meetings have been held and documented.

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