

# QUINTEN'S PASSPORT PRESENTATION

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Belgium Westerlo

19 years old

14 April

Communication skills



# LAYOUT

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# HUMANITY IN IT

## *IT AND POLITICAL ACTIVISM*

Internet → activism & awareness  
social media, encrypted apps  
Risks: misinformation, surveillance







# HUMANITY IN IT

## *BENEFITS & DANGERS OF IT*

Misinformation spreads fast

Surveillance tools

Need for ethical IT use





# CULTURAL ACTIVITY DOSSIN KAZERNE

Created a self reflection video

Learned about Belgium's role

History's warning for modern society

KAZERNE  
DOSSIN







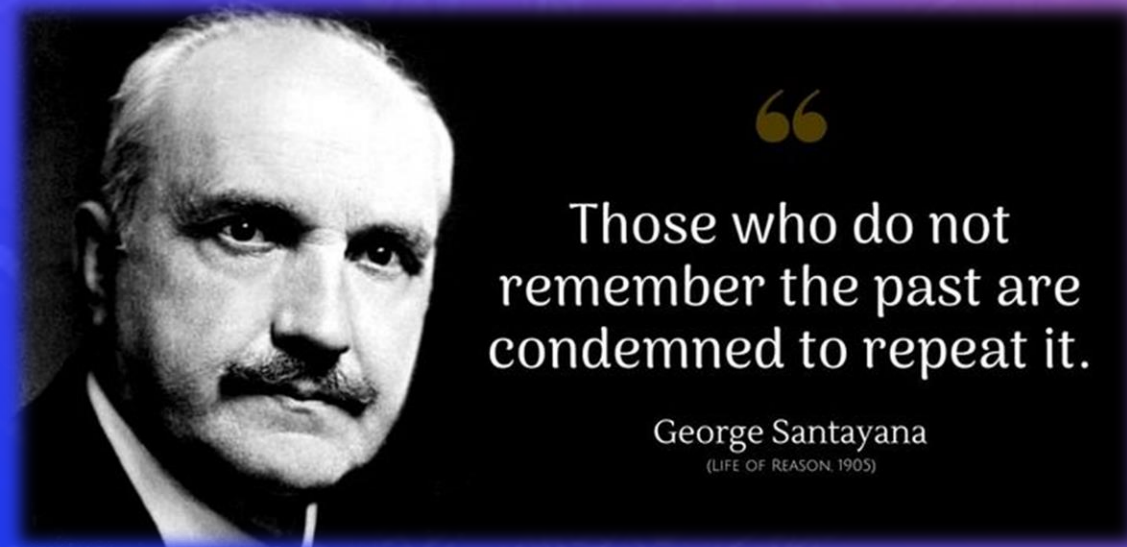
# CULTURAL ACTIVITY DOSSIN KAZERNE

## *CURRENT SITUATION*

Impact of propaganda & antisemitism

Dehumanization still exists

Importance of cultural empathy



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Those who do not  
remember the past are  
condemned to repeat it.

George Santayana  
(LIFE OF REASON, 1905)



# INTERCULTURAL WORKSPACES

Body Language

Eye contact

Rules and standards



**Saudi-Arabia**



**India**



# INTERCULTURAL WORKSPACES

## *Cultural Dimensions - Hofstede*

Malaysia: Power Distance

Japan: Long-Term Orientation

Mexico: Indulgence

Cultural impact on work & values







# MY GROWTH

More aware of bias, appropriation

Ethical use of IT – Future

Stronger intercultural communication  
& awareness





# WHAT'S NEXT?

Work in international teams

Culture shock preparation

Keep learning, growing, mentoring

Promote inclusion & ethics in IT







# THANK YOU

