

## **APLICATION FORM**

Library data

Name of the library: Ricardo León Municipal Library

Address of the library: Plaza de la Constitución, Nº 3, Galapagar 28260

Website: http://galapagar.es/9-areas/biblioteca/

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Library description

Type of library: Metropolitan

Population served: Between 10.000 and 100.000

**Short description of the library :** Our priority mission is offering a free information service and without

access restrictions. The Municipal Library of Galapagar "Ricardo León" is called the modernist writer Ricardo León whose remains rest in Galapagar.

It is a center for information and dissemination of reading, free access and free services like service of consultation and access to documents, home loan service, general information service and orientation and bibliographic information, service to groups with special needs and cultural services. In 2017 our library won the National prize for Reading

Animation, Maria Moliner awarded by the Ministry of Culture.

Current library programs: Más allá de los libros: La Biblioteca Ricardo León y los 17 objetivos de la UNESCO

- Establish synergies of cooperation with entities, associations and other municipal departments in order to make visible the usefulness of the library and its economic and social profitability.
- Raise awareness of the 17 objectives for sustainable development adopted by UNESCO.
- Publicize the resources of the library and encourage its use and enjoyment by all members of the community.
- Support formal education and personal development and make the library a fundamental element in citizen education.
- Promote the value of the library as an agent of social cohesion

## Activities you want to do with your sister library: Among other:

- Carry out projects jointly
- · Maintain regular contact between library staff
- Share basic information about each library
- · Organize a reading club and read the same book and share the opinions of readers

• Celebrate the national holidays of each country with exhibitions

Languages your staff speak: English and Spanish

**Languages your patrons speak/read:** Spanish, Arab, Amazigh, English, Romanian, French, German, Italian

Preferred countries for cooperation: Any country

Features of the library that ideally you would like to cooperate with: We believe that any feature can enrich our library work

**European Union Programs** 

Are you searching partners for a European program?: No

Are you participating in any European Union program?: No