

Dear Partners,

Our common project activities are aimed at giving young people from V4 countries and opportunity and space to give their opinion and voice internationally by debate and discussion panel during big international event – XII Economic Forum of Young Leaders. We also want to prepare brochure, which will contain opinion of young people about issues important to them and will be distributed in whole Europe.

First part: preparation of the brochure. Each partner in collaboration with other partners will be responsible for preparing and managing:

Online questionnaires – distributed among young people

Consultation with young people – personal meetings with youth which cooperates with the organisation.

Brochure – information about opinions of young people about the issues recently most important for future of V4 countries:

- migration crisis and related challenges;
- the questions around the United Kingdom's EU membership;
- economic slowdown and macroeconomic disparities undermining EU' competitiveness;
- deficiencies in the development of transport, digital and energy infrastructure;
- future positions of V4 countries and their role in EU.

Second part: 3th September participants together with organizers of the Economic Forum of Young Leaders, go to NowySącz, and stay there till 8th September

During the Forum their main task of participants from each V4 country will be:

1. Taking part in **discussion panel**. 4 participants from each country will discuss about three main issues:
 - The future of the V4 countries in the face of new challenges of contemporary Europe.
 - The future of European Union.
 - Summary of the Polish Presidency.
2. Participating in the **debate** (3 participants from each country) discussing whether the V4 countries should strengthen cooperation and take a uniform position towards the rest of the EU.

First day – 3th September this is a day of arrival. 4th day is a time for workshops – how to lead good discussion and prepare to debate.

Last day - 8th September we will organize summary and evaluation of the project, later participants will go back home – this is a day of departure.

More detailed programme of the project and whole forum will be sent to you in August. We will also send to you all practical information.

General conditions:

We provide accommodation, board and insurance for participants during the project.

Travel cost reimbursement: up to 60 euro per person (please save all tickets and invoices).

Participants will share their room with others.

What is the Economic Forum of Young Leaders?

Economic Forum of Young Leaders is a platform for ideas exchange concerning the future of European Union and the entire European continent. We create a place where the leaders of future have an opportunity to lead both conversations and discussions with present leaders of the modern world about major processes which Europe and world are undergoing as well as challenges facing the young generation of politicians, economists, entrepreneurs and leaders of NGOs. It is also a place where many international projects are initiated. The mission of Forum is to create the idea for the future of Europe. Our aim is to build an international Think Tank of young leaders who will influence their local communities as well as inspire new, common projects.

More than 400 young leaders from 42 countries visit every year The Economic Forum of Young Leaders in order to debate with prominent representatives of political, social and business life of the modern world and create ideas for the future of the Old Continent. Economic Forum of Young Leaders has been known as 'young Krynica' and 'Davos of the young'. There were more than 3000 participants of the age 18-35 from all European countries who took part in the last eleven editions.

More information about project: <http://www.forum-leaders.eu/projekty/v4/>

More information about Forum: <http://www.forum-leaders.eu/2017-en.php>

Application form: <https://nowystaw.typeform.com/to/fwFRid>

**IT IS REQUIRED TO RESPECT DRESS CODE DURING THE FORUM: Business Standard/
Business Attire/ formal!**

Regards,

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