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# Accessible Beyoğlu

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“ We map accessibilities “



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## Introduction

The project 'Accessible Beyoğlu' is a Erasmus+ project which coordinates by Beyoğlu District National Education Directorate with the cooperation of Bulgarian Youth Association, EUROPEAN YOUTH CENTRE BRECLAV, YOUTH OPENSTREETMAP COMMUNITY, Youth Association for Environment and Culture, NGO NE ZUPINAYSIA, Intercultural Club - Goethe Uni , Youth Development Resource Center.

The overall aim of the project is to contribute social inclusion of people with disabilities through accessibility and raise awareness of accessibility for people who have disability at the national and international level.

The specific objectives of this youth exchange include to create an Accessible Beyoğlu Map which shows accessible locations such as hospitals, schools, public transport, sport centers and restaurants using open source software, to increase the social accessibility and mobility of the citizens with disabilities, to encourage young people to volunteer for people who have disabilities and to increase awareness of disability rights between youth and local communities.

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## Description of activity

Activities of the project will take place between December 30, 2018 and January 6, 2019 with 44 youth. Participants who are from 7 different countries (Algeria, Bulgaria, Germany, Palestine, Italy Ukraine and Turkey) are going to attend our youth exchange in Istanbul, Turkey. This activity will be hosted by Beyoğlu District National Education Directorate. Young People will come together at Goethe University, Frankfurt, Germany. Each partner will send **5 representatives (4 participants +1 Group Leader)** for this activity.

## Working Methodology

The specific non-formal educational objectives of this youth exchange include to create an accessible map which shows accessible locations using open sourced software, to increase the social accessibility and mobility of the citizens with disabilities, to encourage young people to volunteer for people who have disabilities and to increase awareness of disability rights between youth and local communities. The methods will be team building, group dynamics, debates, outdoor activities, visits, role plays, challenges and fair etc. The main activities are creating accessibility map, contributing Mapillary coverage in Beyoglu, Feel an empathy with disabled people: All of Us are Disabled. The created accessible map will be published on the internet with the user and also prepared report will be sent to related areas of government and municipality.

## Participant Profile

- Profile: Motivated youngsters, who aspire to experience intercultural dialogue and cultural exchange and expand their knowledge about ICT Tools and disability rights.
- Age: **18-30 years old** (There is no age limit for the group leaders.)
- Working language will be in English.
- Each participant needs to apply through [application form](#)

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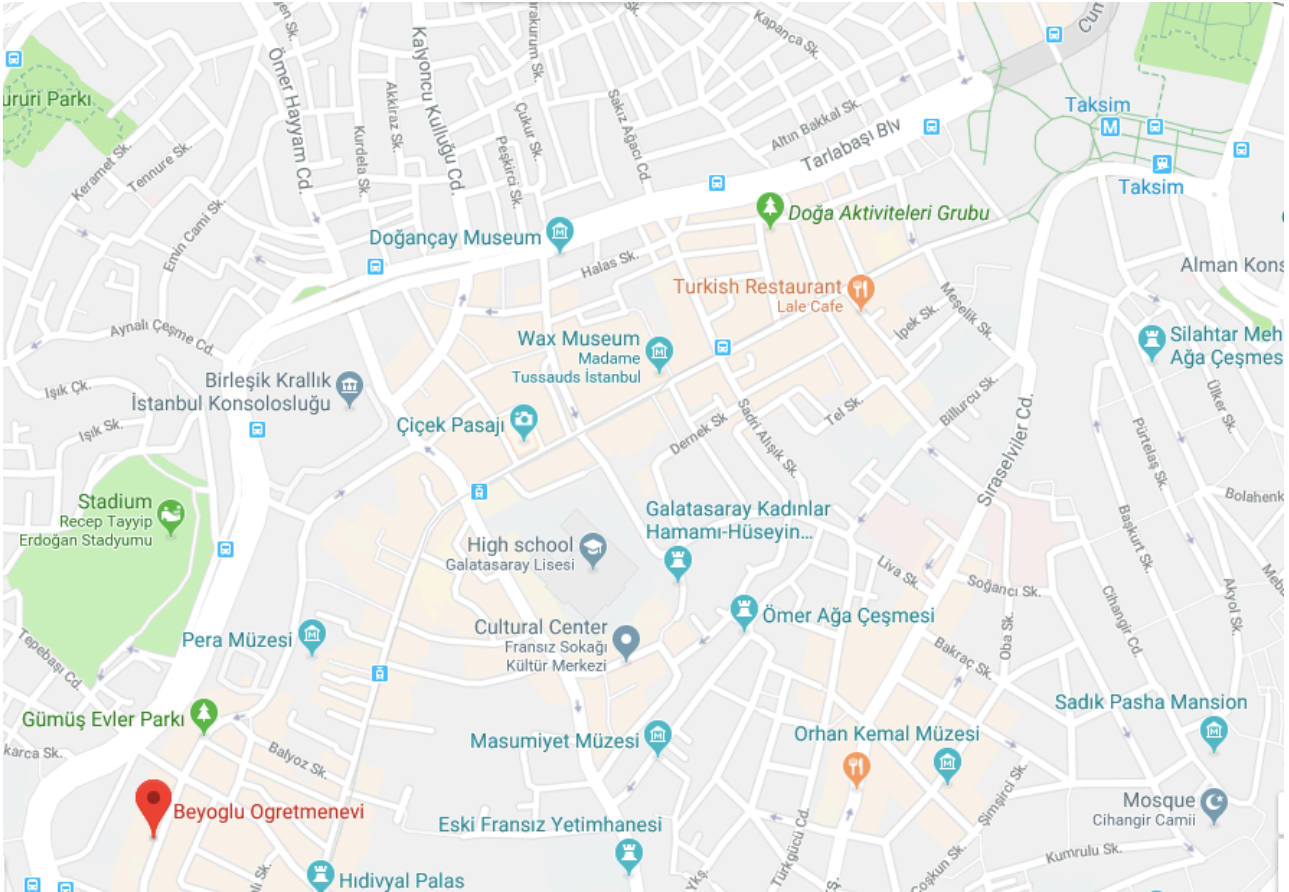
## Venue

**Accommodation:** The participants will be lodged in the Beyoglu Guest House “**Beyoglu Ogretmen Evi**” in rooms for 3 or 4 people with private toilets and showers. The Beyoglu Guest House is located in the centre of the town in Istanbul, Turkey.

[Click here to direction to hotel](#)

Beyoglu Ogretmen Evi

Address: Meşrutiyet Cad. No:58 Beyoğlu / İSTANBUL / Turkey



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## **How to get the venue from Sabiha Gokcen Airport**

You need to take an airport shuttle (SG2) from Sabiha Gokcen Airport and get the Taksim Square. It takes 10 minutes by foot. The given google maps route may vary according to the traffic condition. We highly recommend you to choose the one which uses SG2 shuttle. When you will reach to Taksim Square, you may walk to the venue or you may take a metro. The closest subway station is Sishane.

## **How to get the venue from Istanbul Ataturk Airport**

Please take a subway on the basement floor of Ataturk Airport to Yenikapi Station. You need to change the subway from M1A to M2. When you take the M2 subway, please get off at Sishane Station. The venue is located only 5 minutes walking distance from Sishane Station

## **Travel Arrangements and Financial Rules**

The food and accommodation will be provided and paid by the coordinator organisation Beyoğlu District National Education Directorate, with the financial support of the Erasmus+ Programme, the European Commission. Regarding tickets for travelling, all the travel expenses will be reimbursed on the basis of the financial rules. To ensure the reimbursement of your travel costs, you are requested to arrange your journey by the most economical route and to make use, wherever possible, of any available reduced tariff (student fares, discount for young people, etc). TAXI is not refundable! The travel costs within the budget limit of your Country (see below) will be reimbursed only if these 3 conditions are fulfilled:

- 1) You gave all the ORIGINAL tickets to our organisation. It's fundamental to bring the invoices or the travel confirmations where is clearly shown the price;
- 2) You attended the full duration of the activities;
- 3) You submitted any report that our organisation or EU requested;

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- 4) All the tickets need to be issued an invoice with details of coordinator organisation because of the financial regulation in Turkey.
  - 5) All flights need to be booked online. Invoices which are issued by travel agencies will not be accepted!

## INVOICE DETAILS OF COORDINATOR ORGANIZATION

*Company Name: Beyoğlu İlçe Milli Eğitim Müdürlüğü*

Country	Algeria	Bulgaria	Czech Rep	Germany	Italy	Palestine	Ukraine
Travel cost limit	€360	€275	€275	€275	€275	€275	€275

*Address: İstiklal Caddesi Hükümet Konağı No: 133 kat:4 Beyoğlu/ İstanbul*

*VAT Number: 1680127763*

*Tax Authority: Beyoğlu Vergi Dairesi*

Please keep all your documents (Original tickets, boarding passes, invoices or bills with the ticket price) which are related to your travel, since the documentation background is obligatory for reimbursement.

PLEASE DO NOT PURCHASE ANY TICKETS BEFORE ASKING  
CONFIRMATION!

Please send your travel proposal to [accessiblebeyoglu@gmail.com](mailto:accessiblebeyoglu@gmail.com)

Participation fee is **20 EUR**. If you have economical difficulties, please inform us on the [application form](#).

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## Health Insurance and Visa

Please make sure that coming to the project you have a valid health insurance! For those who have a European Health Insurance Card, please bring it with you! Otherwise, we highly recommend you to have a travel insurance. Please remember that health insurance, as well as travel insurance, is on your responsibility, we assume no liability and responsibility

**VISA:**To enter Turkey , you need a valid passport . Whether you need a Visa for entry depends on your nationality. Citizens of EU and EFTA countries do not need a Visa. If you need a visa, make sure you apply for it immediately because it can take a long time. If you need an invitation or confirmation letter from our side, please let us know.

## Preparation before the youth exchange

### 1) Share Disability Statistics in Your Country Workshop

We are going to have a workshop which will focus on disability and accessibility statistics in your country. Please do have literature search on following topics

- Disability statistics (demographic, education, employment, types of disability etc.)
- Disability rights, financial supports and obligations in your country.
- Accessibility problems in your country /local community.
- Best practice accessibility / disability projects in your country.

### 2) Accessibility Map Workshop

The specific non-formal educational objectives of this youth exchange is to create an Offenbach Accessibility Map which shows accessibility of locations such as hospitals, schools, public transport, sport centers and restaurants using open sourced softwares such **OpenStreetmap** and **Mapillary**.

**OpenStreetMap** is a collaborative project to create a free editable map of the world. Please register an account on OpenStreetMap and do not forget your log details.

<https://www.openstreetmap.org/user/new>

- If you have an IOS smartphone, please install GoMap!!.
- If you have a Android smartphone, please install Vespucci OSM Editor.
- If you do not have IOS or Android smart phone, do not worry we will find a way to engage you to any group which has smartphone/



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**Mapillary** is a passionate community of people who want to make the world accessible to everyone by creating an image representation of the world. Anyone can join the community and collect street level images by using simple tools like smartphones or action cameras. Please install Mapillary to your smartphone. Downloads links for [Mapillary IOS](#) and [Mapillary Android](#).

When you install Mapillary App, you can sign up to Mapillary with your OpenStreetMap account. We would like to remind you to free up storage before coming to youth exchange. You will need some free space on your smartphone temporarily.

## What to bring

We kindly ask you to bring:

- Your personal computer (at least one for each national group)
- Smartphone (Please free up some space)
- Portable battery charger (if you have)
- Anything you would like to share with the other participants during this seminar, especially for the intercultural evening (such as traditional food, drinks, dances or alike)
- National flag.

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