



Training course

“Creativity as a tool for youth empowerment!”

Project description

The training "Creativity as a tool for youth empowerment!" aims to train young people and develop approaches of working with young people and audiences, development of creativity and creative actions that animates the public. In order to strengthening the dialogue and youth work with Roma and non-Roma on local, national and international level, as well the cooperation and relations between Roma and non-Roma youth and youth organizations, we aim to foster the conceptual understanding for intercultural dialogue, youth empowerment and mobilization. One of the objectives is also to develop approaches for creating creative public actions, as well to develop new projects within the new Erasmus plus Programme. This 8-day training will bring 40 youth workers, youth activists and volunteers together, engaged at a local, regional and national level in the empowerment process of youngsters and inspire youth's creativity to take action.

Facts

Dates (including travel days): August 7th – August 14th, 2015

Place: Ohrid, Macedonia

Costs of participants: travel costs (according to the new Erasmus + rules), accommodation, board, activities, local transport covered by the host organization. **Important:** The project officially starts from 01.06.2015, which means the costs made before that date will be not accepted!!!

| Country | Number of participants | Travel budget |
|----------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Germany | 5 | 1375 € (275 € per participant) |
| Turkey | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Romania | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Latvia | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Austria | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Estonia | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Croatia | 3 | 540 € (180 € per participant) |
| Czech republic | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Lithuania | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Poland | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |
| Italy | 3 | 825 € (275 € per participant) |

Participants: The participants can be local activists, youth leaders, youth workers, artists and performers. Age range 18 till 30. 3 participants per country. Each participant is responsible for its own travel insurance. For this training, there is no participation fee!

Programme

- August 7th: Arrival
- August 8th – August 11th: Creative workshops
- August 12th : final presentation, public action for the international youth day
- August 13th : evaluation, elaboration of future ideas
- August 14th: Departure

Preparations

Preparations are of extreme relevance to the project and are based on the continuous local work of the partner groups. Groups will bring along a small performance with improvised scenes on the project theme, prepare activities and learn about intercultural experiences. The partner groups have to arrange their own travel arrangement and insurance.

Weather

It should be up to 35 C, but at night it can get chilly, so please make sure you have also warm clothes with you! Check it here, before coming <http://www.accuweather.com/>

Airports

Skopje – Alexandar the Great <http://skp.airports.com.mk/default.aspx?ItemID=345>

Ohrid – St.Paul the Apostle <http://ohd.airports.com.mk/default.aspx?ItemID=345>

Currency

The macedonian currency is Denar. 1 € equals 61, 35 mkd. You can't pay with euro in the shops here!
<http://www.bitolatourist.info/about-bitola/useful-information-on-bitola/486-macedonian-currency>

Emergency numbers

192 – Police

194 – Ambulance

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What to bring!?

Materials to present yourself and work of your organization! Drinks and food to present your country and background! Comfortable clothing, camera, lap-top, music instruments or whatever you think is needed to make your stay more pleasant!

Accommodation:

The information about the location of the hotel in Ohrid will follow soon!!!

Host organization:

RROMA, Macedonia

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