

#GetUpStandUp

Kick-off Meeting



Info Pack

Nicosia, Cyprus 10-13 of October 2018







#ProjectSummary

#GetUpStandup aims to raise awareness on remembrance, common history and human rights principles of the EU. Through remembering the historical facts of the German student movement, Prague spring, French May 1968, the Italian Movement of 1968 and the anti-dictatorship movements in Spain and Greece, we will examine the differences between the civil movements and political rights from 1968 until today!

The participating countries are Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Greece, Germany, Italy, and Poland. In total 10 organisations will participate.

During the first phase of the project, each organisation will organise a public intervention, with the aim to engage bystanders into discussions on previous and current civil rights movements and the distribution of human rights.

On the second phase, two organisations of each country will organise a public debate, concerning the distribution of human rights on a local level, comparing the previously mentioned historical moments with current ones and the ways in which citizens advocate for those rights. The debates will include representatives from various fields including the youth, civil and governmental sector.

The third phase of the project will be structured dialogue conferences, one in each country. The aim will be to come up with effective tools to maximise civil engagement in advocacy and a more active democratic participation. The outcomes and recommendations of this conference will be compiled into policy papers which will be distributed to the appropriate institutions of each country.

The last phase of the project, the international training courses, will be completed in Cyprus, Italy and the Czech Republic. Each T/C will examine the theory and practises of human rights advocacy in the EU, focusing on the previously mentioned time periods and today. Each T/C will focus on their field of expertise e.g. in Cyprus the T/C would be focused on Human Rights in conflict zones.





We would like to invite you to our **preparatory meeting** that will take place in Nicosia between **10-13 of October** (10th and 13th of October are the traveling days). The meeting will last for two days, 11th and 12th, and the main reason is for each partner to meet each other and to give more details of the programme. During the meeting we will go deeper into the objectives, the methodology will be used and the activities will be implemented. There will be time for exchange of knowledge and good practiced.

#Homework

More information about what you need to prepare for the meeting will be given at the end of the month.

#HowToReachNicosia

In Cyprus, there are two main airports; the Larnaka and the Paphos airports. Be careful since travelling from Ercan airport cannot and will not be reimbursed as it is not an official airport of European Union.

From both airports you can get the bus from Kapnos Airport Shuttle to Nicosia (https://www.kapnosairportshuttle.com/). The tickets from Paphos airport to Nicosia are 15 euros normal and 10 euros for students and it takes 90 minutes. The bus from Larnaca airport last 40 minutes and it costs 8 euros. This company only drives from the two airports to all the cities of Cyprus. Once you reached Kapnos Airport Shuttle station in Nicosia, you can take OSEL local bus 158 or 160. The timetables of these and other local routes can be found at http://www.osel.com.cy. The cost of the ticket is 1.50 euro and the bus takes around 10-15 mins. The bus stop is in Lemesou Avenue and it is 2 minutes walking distance (to reacsh this bust stop you need to cross the street from the big bridge opposite Kapnos Airport Shuttle Station). You can also ask people there for more information :). Once you get the bus 158 or





160 you go to the stop **427 Ave. Archiep. Makariou C.** From there, the accommodation is 5 minutes walking distance (directions: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/a4BxswbvMWF2</u>)

If you want to have some more time in Larnaka or Paphos cities you can get the Intercity Buses (<u>http://www.intercity-buses.com/?wp=routes</u>) from the city center of each city with direction to Nicosia. Once you get the Intercity Busses you go to the stop **Ministry of Commerce** (5th stop after you enter Nicosia) and you walk for 5 minutes to the accommodation (directions:

https://goo.gl/maps/M4qexS3zRno).

There is the option as well of getting a TAXI to move in Nicosia. Tel: 0035722 813813 and 0035722 261263.

#Accommodation

Eclectic Business & Leisure

Members of the meeting will be accomodated in Eclectic Business & Leisure. It is very close to the old and historical part of Nicosia City center. The accommodation is 10-15 minutes walking distance from YEU Offices where the meeting will take place and 15-20 minutes from the city center. Participants will be accomodate in private studios with a common space and kitchen. Breakfast will be provided in the accomodation.

Check in 12:00 until 23:59 10/10/2018

Website: https://eclectic-business-leisure.business.site/

Address: 13 Ioanni Kliridi, Lykabittos, Nicosia 1070, Cyprus

Google maps link: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/Ms2EMLFsmX82</u>

*Please let us know in advance an estimated time of your arrival to the accommodation in so to inform the landlord.





We will organise a social dinner for one night to enjoy the cypriot cuisine. For the other two dinners, **20 euros** will be given to each participant.

#TravellingBudget

Czech Republic	360
Greece	275
Germany	360
Italy	275
Poland	360

* the budget has been decided according to the European Commission distance calculator and the currency is euro.

• Tickets must be from your country of origin to/from Cyprus. No other tickets can or will be reimbursed. Transit tickets are also eligible.

• We do not fund or reimburse tickets for more than 2 days before or after the project dates.

• Accommodation for any extra days before or after the preparatory meeting cannot and will not be funded.

Once you book tickets you can send them to projects@yeu-cyprus.org

The documents needed to complete your reimbursement:

To proceed with your travel reimbursement you must present, upon request, the following:

- 1. Booking confirmation
- 2. All boarding passes
- 3. Relevant tickets (plane, train, bus etc)





> Travel refund will be done by bank transfer to the partner's account, after all the travel documents will be received by YEU Cyprus. Original hard copy documents must be sent by post within a month of the end of the meeting to this address:

YEU Cyprus 27, Ezekia Papaioannou Str., 1075, Nicosia Cyprus

#ConferenceRoom

The meeting will take place in the conference room at YEU Cyprus offices.

YEU offices are located outside the old town of Nicosia, but very close to the accomodations. The link indicates the way to get to the office on foot which is about 20 minutes long: https://goo.gl/maps/meDJNswG5Qz

Address: 27 Ezekia Papaioannou Str., 1075, Nicosia, Cyprus Google maps link: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/kfZGTSRAMK32</u>

The meeting starts on Thursday the 11th of October at 10:00

<u>Agenda</u>

Thursday 11th of October 10:00-18:00

Friday 12th of October 10:00-18:00

*Soon we will finalise our agenda and we will send it to you

#Contacts

For any information you can contact YEU Cyprus.

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