



Project:  
"Youth work and youth trainings for inclusion and acceptance of diversity"



Training course: "NFE - opportunity for inclusion and acceptance of immigrants and asylum seekers"

## CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS

Project "Youth work and youth trainings for inclusion and acceptance of diversity" puts accent on organising quality non-formal education activities for intercultural acceptance and inclusion of excluded/marginalised groups, and especially of immigrants and asylum seekers.

The project consists of several activities, and one of those is this **training course "NFE - opportunity for inclusion and acceptance of immigrants and asylum seekers"**. The training course will be organised in Ferrara, Italy in October 2017.

We are hereby recruiting participants that will be able to participate at the training course, give back (to their sending organisations) their knowledge and skills in the topics of the training course and contribute to the follow-up activities within the overall project.

The training course will take place in **Italy** (Ferrara) from **21st October** (arrival in the afternoon) to **29th October** (departure in the morning after the breakfast) **2017**.

### **About the training course**

#### **"NFE - opportunity for inclusion and acceptance of immigrants and asylum seekers":**

The training course will gather 29 participants, trainers and staff from 9 organisations and countries (RS, IT, HR, MK, BA, CZ, SK, GR, XK).

Specific objectives of the training course are:

- To share realities and experiences with discrimination, exclusion and marginalization of different groups (including migrants and refugees) in different European countries
- To explore and promote intercultural acceptance of diversity and respect of Fundamental / Human Rights in Europe
- To increase participants' ability to deeply understand and empathise with different socially excluded and marginalised groups in our communities
- To analyse the implemented practices and to recommend how best to use the NFE and experiential learning for inclusion and acceptance of immigrants and asylum seekers in our youth work
- To encourage creativity in developing new or adapting existing methods of NFE for inclusion and acceptance of diversity youth work
- To provide interaction of our youth workers with asylum seekers and thus to get out youth workers motivated for more consistent engagement on youth work for inclusion and acceptance

The training course will be hosted in the hostel in Ferrara (IT) which is social enterprise and employs and gathers asylum seekers to offer them opportunity to be employed while waiting for their asylums to be resolved. Thus, in the programme of that training course we have planned and arranged the whole afternoon of Living Library with the asylum seekers. Thanks to that innovative element, our participants will be able to see specific NFE method (Living library) adapted for the specific circumstances and target groups and will be inspired and motivated to work on issues of inclusion and acceptance of diversity deeply.

Training course is based on the approach, principles and methods of non-formal education. The language of the training course will be **English**.



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## OVERVIEW PROGRAMME

<b>DAY 1 – 21<sup>ST</sup> OCTOBER 2017, SATURDAY</b>	
AM	Arrival of participants
PM	Ice-breaking and Getting to know each other
evening	Welcome evening
<b>DAY 2 – 22<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER 2017, SUNDAY</b>	
AM	Introduction (participants, team, organisations, programme, Youthpass); Participants' expectations towards the TC and their potential contributions to it; Group agreements
PM	Exclusion vs Inclusion – basic concepts and values
PM	Reflection and Evaluation of the day
evening	Intercultural evening
<b>DAY 3 – 23<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2017, MONDAY</b>	
AM	Discrimination, exclusion, marginalisation of different groups (including migrants and refugees) in our communities – sharing realities
PM	Intercultural acceptance of diversity; Fundamental/Human Rights in Europe – clarification of basic concepts, the approach and needs analysis
PM	Reflection and Evaluation of the day
evening	Our organisations and best practices' projects
<b>DAY 4 – 24<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017, TUESDAY</b>	
AM	Understanding "disadvantage"
PM	NFE basic concepts and values Learning styles and NFE
PM	Reflection and Evaluation of the day
<b>DAY 5 – 25<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017, WEDNESDAY</b>	
AM	Experiential learning Methods and methodologies in NFE
PM	FREE AFTERNOON
<b>DAY 6 – 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017, THURSDAY</b>	
AM	Creativity in adapting existing or developing new methods of NFE for inclusion and acceptance
PM	Living library (Human library) with asylum seekers
PM	Reflection and Evaluation of the day
<b>DAY 7 – 27<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017, FRIDAY</b>	
AM	Needs analysis of socially excluded groups (including immigrants and asylum seekers) in our communities
PM	Recommendations for using NFE and experiential learning for inclusion and acceptance of immigrants and asylum seekers in society
PM	Reflection and Evaluation of the day
<b>DAY 8 – 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017, SATURDAY</b>	
AM	Youth work for inclusion - Good practices sharing
PM	Evaluation of the training course, incl Youthpass
evening	"See you again" party
<b>DAY 9 – 29<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017, SUNDAY</b>	
AM	Departure of participants



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**The participants should fulfil the following criteria:**

- Active youth workers willing to apply and multiply the knowledge received on the training course
- Willing to take action in the field of inclusion and acceptance of diversity of immigrants, refugees and other youth with fewer opportunities, setting up the international and local NFE projects
- Willing to enter into partnerships with participants from different organisations and countries
- Willing to develop and implement Erasmus+ YiA projects tackling issues of accepting diversity in Europe when it comes to immigrants, refugees and other marginalised groups

**Travel and visa costs reimbursement**

Travel costs will be reimbursed only for the cheapest way of transport and preferably for the return tickets. Travel expenses are covered by the organizers 100% up to the maximum of unit cost per distance calculator and means of travel, including bank transfer and other appropriate fees (for all the original tickets and ways of travel that are plane, bus, train or ferry, NOT taxi and NOT car). For distances less than 500 km one way, the preferable means of transport are land transportations, such as train and/or bus. If other mean of transport is selected for such travels, e.g. airplane, those will be reimbursed 60% of airfare, in accordance with the principle of environmental awareness and protection.

Participants must keep all travel documents (tickets, travel agency invoices and boarding passes) as organizers are able to make any reimbursement only on the bases of presented documents!

The travel reimbursement will be done by bank transfers **after** you return home and send us the **ORIGINAL** boarding passes and tickets (and after you submit/send us the filled in evaluation forms of the training course). When you are buying a ticket, ask for additional bill as well, if possible!

Please don't buy your tickets before we approve them! When you will plan your trip and **BEFORE** buying your tickets, especially if your planned travel itineraries are different than **21<sup>st</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> October 2017**, please inform us in advance, so we can approve your tickets and travel costs. Also, if you travel from elsewhere than the town and country of the sending organisation partner in this project, please, inform us, as we need to approve it as well. Thanks a lot, in advance!

We expect participants to arrive to the hostel in Ferrara no later than 19:30 hrs on 21<sup>st</sup> October 2017, so please do plan your flights accordingly.

For additional information, please be free to contact organizers. Like that we will avoid some uncomfortable situations in advance.

**Participation fee: NONE!** All accommodation and food costs in the hostel are covered by the organisers.

**Applications**

To apply, please fill in the application form on following link: <https://goo.gl/forms/SvT6WzoAN1koISHd2>

**Please note that the deadline for applications is 11<sup>th</sup> September 2017.**

Selected participants will receive the detailed information sheet till 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017.