



July 22nd - August 2nd 2007

Lucca (Tuscany), Italy

The International Leadership Programme is a 12-day residential programme which promotes visionary leadership with awareness and provides education that respects diversity of political, religious and social views. The programme is open to young people aged 18 to 32, and will be held at 'Villa Boccella' which is situated 5 miles outside of Lucca, Italy. This exceptional venue has been dedicated to the advancement of inter-cultural understanding for young people. The programme includes:

- The development of a learning community that challenges and inspires new thinking.
- An opportunity to explore the underlying causes of global problems, and develop a social entrepreneurial approach.
- Experiences that help identify values and guiding principles in order to gain a sense of balance, purpose and life direction.
- Tools and experiences for discovering potential through all learning modalities, including team projects, physical activities, deep discussion, and the arts.
- An opportunity to develop an international network of people who wish to collaborate and make a positive difference.
- A focus on the influence of and relationship between individuals, local NGOs and international organisations such as the United Nations.

The cost of the programme is £700 (pounds sterling). This cost is a subsidised rate and includes full board, accommodation and tuition expenses. A limited amount of bursaries are available upon application.

The programme staff consists of highly experienced trainers from diverse backgrounds who donate their time and expertise.

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What past participants have said about this programme:

'Leadership starts with looking into yourself and valuing your uniqueness as a person who wants to achieve a meaningful goal in life.'

'WYSE is about building community, supporting potential, respecting diversity, and inspiring the leaders who will be the change agents of tomorrow.'

'This is for people who want to know where they are going, why they are going, who they are going with and what they need to get there.'

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