# REAL DEAL

cultural break; each break, 1 country gets to present their country and culture. Besides the usual snacks and drinks of the break, the participants will have an additional table where they can place their snacks and drinks to share with the others.

Break = 40 minutes (as it becomes partly a session)

BOARD GAME EVENT: throughout board games, many friendships (& possible future partnerships) are build. Feel free to bring along an interesting board game!

PROJECT BUILDING: smaller groups start the concrete work on building a project(s), interspersed with short lectures and mini workshops on different topics (IC dangers, NFE-FE, participative methods for young people ...)

INTERNATIONAL
ORGANISATION FAIR:
please bring along information on your organisation, previous projects (if any), visual materials etc. in order to be able to make a clear presentation of your organisation

## PARTNERSHIP BUILDING ACTIVITY: "THE REAL DEAL"

CREATING STRONG PARTNERSHIPS FOR FUTURE QUALITATIVE YOUTH EXCHANGES

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	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> of January 2013	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> of January 2013	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> of January 2013	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> of January 2013	Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> of January 2013
9h01	Arrival participants	Get to know each other	Thematic work: what is that?	Partnerships: how and why	Project building
10h42		Cultural Break	Cultural Break	Cultural Break	Cultural Break
11h23		The role of your organisation in society!	Thematic mind mapping and translating ideas into concrete actions	Partner building: creating groups of common interest around themes, based on needs and expectations	Project building: action plans
12h34		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14h05		YiA: a programme AND a tool!	Non Formal methods as an approach: hands on practice	Partner building	Project building: unfinished business
15h36		Cultural Break	Cultural Break		Cultural Break
16h17		Sharing own good & less good practices	What defines quality in your youth exchange	Free time in town	Presentations of results
17h28	Welcome practicalities	The project life cycle	Reflection and midterm evaluation		Final evaluation
18h39	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner in town	Dinner
20h00	Getting to know the place & the people	International organisation fair	Board game event	Free time in town	Good bye evening (public event)



#### THE FLOW:

The programme shows different steps which are taken in order to reach the set objectives.

- Getting to know each other and the organisational backgrounds
- Understanding YiA and its values
- Exploring quality aspects within youth exchanges
- Creating partnerships
- Developing project ideas and concrete action plans

### **ORANGE ALERT!**

At several moments the group will be confronted with (simulated) real life situations which happen regularly during youth exchanges. The challenge will be: HOW would you deal with this 'crisis' situation.

#### **NEWSLETTERS:**

In the previous weeks to The REAL DEAL, several electronic newsletters will create the possibility to get to know each other beforehand, as well as tackle several topics which are part of this Partner Building Activity. An exciting preparation phase to the actual event!

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