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**By the support of Youth in Action program presents**

**TRAINING COURSE (TN 3.1)**

**Pristina, Kosovo**

**12th – 19th May 2014**

**Kosovo, Macedonia, Italy, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Hungary, Albania, Romania, Serbia, Slovenia and Spain**

**We Believe in Unity Together!**

  

 

**Short Description of the project**

We BELIEVE in Unity Together! is a training course for youth leaders and youth workers and it aims to promote tolerance and mutual understanding amongst youth of different communities and religions. With this project we look forward to shed light on the growing importance of dialogue and mutual understanding of persons living together in a multi-religious community.

The project will take place in Pristina, Kosovo, and foresee 7 days of activities, excluding the travel days. We involve 30 participants from 10 different countries. There will be a mixture of youth leaders/youth workers coming from countries of the European Union and the South East Europe Region. This diversity of backgrounds will enhance the mixture of ideas and experiences in a multi-cultural/multi-religious environment, for a better learning process of both the participants as well as the trainers.

This course will give participants the opportunity to improve and increase their understanding and knowledge of the diversity of religions and aims to increase their problem - solving skills on the basis of non-formal, equality and human rights education, when confronted with prejudices, stereotypes and racism in the multi-religious community we live in.

To manage this training we are going to use non formal education methods like as team building activities, workshops, role playing, group discussions, brainstorming, study visits. Our goal through this project will be also to create a real cooperation among participants, in order to build future projects. We choose this place because there are very lack opportunities in the entire areas, especially for youngsters, who are somehow left in a ghetto and do not see any life opportunity in Kosovo.

**Aims and Objectives of the project**

* To promote the dialogue and collaboration between communities and individuals belonging to different religions;
* To promote tolerance and mutual understanding among participants, as well as to increase the knowledge of cultural and religious diversity;
* To produce solutions for the problems related with stereotypes and xenophobia in diverse communities;
* To make an impact on the participants and increase their awareness on current inter-religious issues as well as awareness on the need for inter-religious dialogue in today’s and tomorrow’s world;
* To encourage the follow up of the training course with new projects and partnerships in the frame of mobility programmes as well as encourage the network among youth organizations from different cultures and religions.

**Main information**

**Venue:** Pristina, Kosovo.

**Dates:** 12th -19th May, 2014. Arrival day is 12th December - departure day is 19th May.

**Target group and age:**

Target group for this training are youngsters from different countries, NGO members / volunteers, young leaders, youth workers, multipliers, youth with fewer opportunities (18 + years old), and students from topic-related departments.

**Group size: 3** participants per country except **Italy** and **Macedonia**, which will have by 4 participants.

**Working language:** English - Good English speaking skills is mandatory.

**Participating countries**

**Kosovo**

**Macedonia**

**Italy**

**Bosnia and Herzegovina**

**Hungary**

**Albania**

**Romania**

**Serbia**

**Slovenia**

**Spain**

**Project costs & reimbursement**

70% of the travel cost, 100% of accommodation, food and transportation during the project will be covered with the support of Youth in Action programme. In order to receive the reimbursement for travelling expenses please keep your tickets, invoices, boarding passes or any other travelling documents so you can give it to us during the training. The reimbursement will be done after receiving all original documents, via bank transfer. Below you will find a list of the cost limits for travelling for each country (cost limit for all travel expenses per participant).

**Travel Costs Limits per person per Country**

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| **Country** | **Amount 100% per person** | **Max Reimbursement Amount 70% per person**  |
| **Italy** | **375 EURO** | **262 EURO** |
| **Serbia** | **333 EURO** | **233 EURO** |
| **Spain** | **466 EURO** | **326 EURO** |
| **Romania** | **500 EURO** | **350 EURO** |
| **Macedonia** | **150 EURO** | **105 EURO** |
| **Bosnia and Herzegovina** | **265 EURO** | **186 EURO** |
| **Slovenia** | **433 EURO** | **303 EURO** |
| **Hungary** | **433 EURO** | **303 EURO** |
| **Albania** | **200 EURO** | **140 EURO** |

**How to arrange your travel**

* All participants (Except Bosnia and Herzegovina) can travel in Kosovo without any visa (you need only to show a valid passport to the border police).
* For Bosnia and Herzegovina citizens, Kosovo started just recently to request Kosovo visa. For more please visit the Kosovo Embassy in Tirana (Albania)

**Services for accepting visa applications are offered by:**

**Embassy of the Republic of Kosovo in Tirana**

Rr. Donika Kastrioti, Vila nr 6, Tiranë

e-mail : visa.al@rks-gov.net

<http://www.ambasada-ks.net/al>

* Participants organize their travel independently;
* Participants are requested to use the cheapest means of transport possible;
* Before you book any tickets, please contact your organization and us to get the permission (dukagjin.leka@gmail.com) and ligo\_lex\_legis@hotmail.com;
* After you book the tickets, you will have to send us (dukagjin.leka@gmail.com or ligo\_lex\_legis@hotmail.com) the details of your travel, in order we can arrange your travel from Pristina airport or Pristina bus and train station to the hotel, where the training is going to take place;

**How to prepare for the Training Course**

During the training course we will have cultural evenings where all the countries will present their culture (dances, songs, typical food). The cultural presentation would be good to be prepared together with other participants from your country. We kindly request from you to make this training course very interactive: you can make a quiz; organize competitions, play typical games, teach a dance or a song, etc, etc..

See you soon! ☺

Yours sincerely,

Dukagjin Leka, and the staff from Ligo Lex Legis Prishtina.

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