

# LET'S GET YOUTH UP & RUNNING

a training course for youth workers

LIVE N8W  
FOUNDATION

Loesje  
Armenia

An initiative of LIVE N8W foundation & Loesje Armenia with support of the Erasmus+ Programme by the European Union

Are you a beginning youth worker or youth leader and do you want to learn more about the profession of youth work? Then this training course might be for you! Participants have the chance to develop their competencies in youth work through sharing best practices, various workshops, exploring the nature of youth work, and also learning how to reach out to excluded and disadvantaged young people. In the training we will focus on active participation, in the context of youth work and society.

## In this training:

- Getting to understand the nature of youth work.
- Developing youth work competencies.
- Exploring active participation in reality.
- Developing an understanding of citizenship, local and European.
- Developing competencies for working towards inclusion of excluded and disadvantaged young people.
- Exploring the advantages of a cross sectoral approach to youth work.

## General info

- Dates: 13-19 December 2015 (excl. travel)
- Location: Dilijan, Armenia
- The training course will have 7 working days plus arrival and departure days.
- Participants should be able to work in English.
- 33 Participants from 11 countries:  
*Only for people from: Armenia, Czech Republic, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Romania, Spain, The Netherlands, Ukraine.*
- For an overview of the programme, see page 3.



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WANTS  
TO BE YOUNG**

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**About LIVE N8W Foundation**

Originally founded in the Netherlands, the LIVE N8W foundation started in 2009 with the aim to offer young people a platform of non formal learning, for personal development and cultural exchange. With a network of international partner organisations, the projects of the LIVE N8W foundation nowadays bring together young people from all over the world that are motivated to improve their personal and professional competencies in order to realise a better society and higher quality of life.

**About Loesje Armenia**

As one of the international Loesje members, Loesje Armenia was founded in 2010, with as main focus areas; personal development of young people, Intercultural learning and active citizenship. Loesje Armenia has organized and hosted a large number of international youth exchanges, trainings courses, summer camps and seminars. These brought together over 4.000 young people from more than 50 countries, broadening their perspective, empowering them to be active citizens and entrepreneurs of their own lives.

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**Loesje International**

As a freedom of speech organization, Loesje aims to spread creativity, positive criticism, ideas, philosophical ponderings and thoughts on current events. This started in The Netherlands, in the beginning of the 1990's by way of short slogans on posters, signed by the fictive Dutch girl 'Loesje'. Within a few years Loesje's actions and ideas reached beyond borders and an international office was opened in Berlin to manage the different branches that were founded across Europe and beyond.

Check our web page: [www.loesje.org](http://www.loesje.org)

**Finances / Costs**

This training course is funded by the Netherlands Youth Institute within the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union.

- Expenses for food and accommodation will be fully covered.
- There is a participation fee of 40 Euro. This needs to be paid in cash upon arrival.

**Travel reimbursement**

Your travel expenses will be reimbursed according the regulations of the Erasmus+ programme. The money will be transferred to your bank account after the training course when you have given us all the original travel documents from your trip (Boarding passes, e-tickets, invoices, bus/train tickets, bills etc.)

To have your expenses fully reimbursed, please book 'two-way' tickets (incl. bus/train etc.) Any (return) tickets that are bought after the training will not be reimbursed.

*Maximum amount covered per person:*

Georgia	40 EUR
Greece / Moldova/ Romania / Ukraine	265 EUR
Czech Republic / Hungary / Italy	350 EUR
The Netherlands	420 EUR
Spain	550 EUR

**How to apply?**

To join this training fill in the application form and send it to [live.n8w@gmail.com](mailto:live.n8w@gmail.com) latest **September 25th**. Beginning October you will be informed about the selection results.

**APPLICATION FORM** ↓

12 <sup>th</sup>	Day 1 Sunday Dec 13 <sup>th</sup>	Day 2 Monday Dec 14 <sup>th</sup>	Day 3 Tuesday Dec 15 <sup>th</sup>	Day 4 Wednesday Dec 16 <sup>th</sup>	Day 5 Thursday Dec 17 <sup>th</sup>	Day 6 Friday Dec 18 <sup>th</sup>	Day 7 Saturday Dec 19 <sup>st</sup>	20 <sup>th</sup>	
	<i>Introduction Day</i>	<i>Defining What&amp;Who</i>	<i>In Practice</i>	<i>In Practice</i>	<i>Where is the youth?</i>	<i>Where is the youth?</i>	<i>Back Home</i>		
Arrival	Introduction Welcome Space	Defining Youth Work Youth Policy Today Home/Europe	One to One Work	Competencies of a Youth Worker	Community Profiling P <sub>1</sub>	Community Profiling P <sub>2</sub>	Presenting Action Plans	Departure	
	Break								
	Group Building	Principles & Values of Youth Work	One to One Work	About YouthPass	Community Profiling P <sub>1</sub>	Community Profiling Presentation Prep	About Erasmus+		
	Lunch								
	Methodologies Learning to Learn	Adolescence	Group Work	Community Profiling Intro & Research Techniques P <sub>1</sub>	Workshops P <sub>1</sub> Intergenerational work Needs of young people Participation citizenship	Community Profiling Presenting Results P <sub>1</sub>	Evaluation		
	Break								
	My Community Map	River of Youth	Participation of Young People in Youth Work	Community Profiling Intro & Research Techniques P <sub>2</sub>	Workshops P <sub>2</sub> Intergenerational work Needs of young people Participation citizenship	Community Profiling Presenting Results P <sub>2</sub>	Closure & YouthPasses		
	Competence Reflection and Action Groups ('CRAG')					'CRAG' Finalizing Action Plans			
Dinner									
Wel- come	<i>Youth Work Market</i>	<i>Free</i>	<i>Culture Story Night</i>	Community Profiling Preparation	'CRAG'	<i>Free / Movie</i>	<i>Party</i>		