

Youth Participation Forum

«Fostering Youth Participation in Democratic Life»

Tallinn, 31 October – 4 November 2022

Aim & objectives:

The Forum will work towards fostering quality youth participation in democratic societies by working towards a better understanding of what meaningful youth participation can be as well as its supportive and enabling factors.

The project aims to foster the quality of youth participation in the EU Youth Programmes:

- by increasing cooperation and strengthening youth participation in Europe and exploring the full potential of Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps together as the Youth Work community of practice.
- by supporting a sharper understanding of the concept of “meaningful youth participation” and of the factors which support such type of participation and increasing the competences among key stakeholders.
- by raising awareness about resources, tools and activities that enhance and foster youth participation, including the Youth Participation Strategy and Youth Participation Toolkit, as well as the practices and resources presented by the Youth Work community of practice.
- by presenting and disseminating innovative and quality practices of meaningful youth participation inside and outside of Youth Work and discussing and sharing the most recent research findings.

Draft Programme

Time	Monday, 31 October	Tuesday, 1 November	Wednesday, 2 November		Thursday, 3 November	Friday, 4 November
9h30 11h00	Arrivals	Registration	Panel Discussion on the Youth Participation Strategy		Open Space	Future Plans & Evaluation
11h30 13h00		Getting to Know Each Other	Youth Participation Toolkit Presentation	Mapping of Youth Involvement in the work of National Agencies	Open Space	Departures
13h00 14h30		Lunch	Lunch		Lunch	
14h30 16h00		Opening Ceremony	Visit or Presentation of Local Good Practices		SALTO Awards 2022 Ceremony	
16h30 18h00		Zooming out reflection	Zooming out reflection			