

PARTNERSHIP BUILDING ACTIVITY

INCLUSIVE YOUTH EXCHANGES FOR MINORS

Galbiate, Italy | 27.11 - 01.12.2023



OBJECTIVES OF THE MEETING

- Evaluating 2023 activities in the field of Youth Exchanges and share the results with newcomers.
- Sharing good practices and define common strategies for Youth Exchanges with minors and highly vulnerable participants (more details <u>HERE</u>).
- Assessing the feasibility of the definition of "highly vulnerable young people" against the 2023 experience and discuss possible future developments.
- Defining mutual cooperation plan and reciprocity in the implementation of Youth Exchanges in 2024 focussing on minors and participants facing fewer opportunities.
- Planning the activities for 2024.



ACTIVITIES



2 ONLINE PREPARATORY MEETINGS

The 2 online meetings will happen between 2 and 17 November and will aim at presenting each others' organisation and our experience in the field of inclusion and work with minors in Youth Exchanges.



THE PARTNERSHIP BUILDING ACTIVITY

During the meeting of November 27 - December 1, we will work together to reach the objectives of the activity, exchanging good practices and plans, producing the outputs and agreeing on mutual cooperation for 2024.



1 FOLLOW UP MEETING

The follow up meeting take place in December and aim at defining the details of the activities in which we will cooperate and at monitoring the dissemination of the results.

EXPECTED OUTPUTS



RELEVANT PARTNERSHIP IN THE FIELD OF INCLUSION

We will create mutual partnerships Youth Exchanges involving minors and/or young people facing fewer opportunities and highly vulnerable young people.

We expect to build mutual partnerships and in particular to find organisations able to host at least 1 Youth Exchange for minors and/or participants with fewer opportunities, during Summer 2024.



COMMON STRATEGIES FOR INCLUSION IN YOUTH EXCHANGES

Building on the Position Paper written during the 2022 PBA, we will share good practices and define common strategies to make inclusion more effective in youth exchanges.

To do so, we will collect good practices for inclusion through an online form and we will select them during the in-person meeting.

ASSOCIAZIONE JOINT 2023-2024 ACTIVITIES

This PBA is the 1st activity that we implement in the framework of our 2023-2024 Erasmus+ Accreditation (E+50-YOU).

The organisations taking part in the PBA will have priority in participating in the other planned activities:

1 TRAINING COURSE FOR GROUP LEADERS

This activity will take place in March 2024 and will last 8 days. It aims at training young people to become group leaders in youth exchanges involving minors and/or participants facing fewer opportunities.



2 OR 3 YOUTH EXCHANGES FOR OVER-18 YO PARTICIPANTS

These mobilities will focus on inclusion.

They will take place between May and June 2024 and will last 8 or 9 days.

They involve 6 national groups (5 participants+1 leader).

Each youth exchange foresees a Preparatory Visit.



2 OR 3 YOUTH EXCHANGES FOR MINORS

These mobilities will focus on inclusion.

They will take place between July and August 2024 and will last 7 or 8 days.

They will involve 6 national groups (5 participants+1 leader).

Each youth exchange foresees an Preparatory Visit.



TOPICS

The topics of the Youth
Exchanges will be
agreed by the involved
partner organisations,
while the specific
activities will be defined
with the leaders, to and
better defined with the
group leaders, to better
fit the profile and the
needs of the
participants.

INVOLVED ORGANISATIONS

In the meeting we want to involve the organisations active in the field of Youth Exchanges, with a specific focus and experience on the effective involvement of minors and/or young people facing fewer opportunities of highly vulnerable young people.

Considering the objectives of our strategy, we will give priority to organisations willing to host during Summer 2024 at least 1 Youth Exchange for minors and/or participants with fewer opportunities.

For this reason, we will reserve some spots to organisations with which we have a long term and trustworthy relationship.

Furthermore, we will involve other partners, also suggested inside our consortium, that are able to guarantee reciprocity in the partnership and to contribute with their experience in the inclusion strategy.





Each organization will involve 1 member of the staff with a key position. This will give the opportunity to take decisions on the spot.

Considering that we have only 25 places, we will need to do a selection.

Therefore, please:

- fill the form by Friday, September 29th.
- consider that we will take into consideration only candidates with a relevant role and experience in the field of European mobility and Youth Exchanges in particular.

FILL THE FORM HERE!

ACCOMMODATION

All the activities will take place at "Ostello Parco Monte Barro" in Galbiate. The venue is almost 1 hour far from Milan and Bergamo.

The building is managed by the organization "Legambiente Lecco", which organizes activities for young people, mostly on the topic of environment and sustainability.

Participants will be hosted in shared rooms with 2 or 3 beds.







TRAVEL BUDGET and FEES

Travel costs will be covered in the framework of Erasmus+ travel bands. It is possible to use the option of "Green Travels", communicating it before.

- 100-499 km: 180€ (traditional travel); 210€ (green travel)
- 500-1999km: 275€ (traditional travel); 320€ (green travel)
- 2000+ km: 360€

To reach Galbiate, the best option is to fly to Milan or to Bergamo. Please,

- for the ARRIVAL search for flights landing by 4PM on NOVEMBER 27th
- for the RETURN search for flights taking off from 2PM on DECEMBER 1st.

Since it is not possible to reach the accommodation with public transport, we will need to organise a private transport. This cost, together with the 6€ tax for bedsheets and towels, will be covered with a deduction up to 20€ on the travel budget.

E.G.: if your travel budget is 275€, please consider it as 255€.



TRAVEL

FROM BERGAMO ORIO AL SERIO AIRPORT:

- At the airport, catch the bus "line 1" to the CENTRE OF BERGAMO and stop at the Railway station (1 stop).
- Catch the train to LECCO (there is a train each hour at :08. The trip lasts 40 minutes and costs 3,70€).
- Once in LECCO, catch the train to SALA AL BARRO GALBIATE (the direction of the train is Milano Porta Garibaldi). There is a train each hour at :07. The trip lasts 10 minutes and costs 1,80€.
- A car or a mini-bus will pick you up at the railway station.
- For more information, check the schedule and buy the tickets, you can use this website: https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html



TRAVEL

FROM MILANO MALPENSA AIRPORT:

- At the airport of MALPENSA, catch the train to MILANO PORTA GARIBALDI. There is a train about each 30 minutes. The trip lasts 50 minutes and costs 13,00€.
- In Milano Porta Garibaldi, catch the train directed to Lecco. This train will stop also in SALA AL BARRO - GALBIATE. This is where you will need to get off the train. There is a train every hour at :17. The trip lasts about 1 hour and 20 minutes and costs 4,80€.
- A car or a mini-bus will pick you up at the railway station.
- For more information, check the schedule and buy the tickets, you can use this website: https://www.trenitalia.com/en.html





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