

ANNUAL JOINT NETWORK MEETING



INCLUSIVE ERASMUS+ YOUTH EXCHANGES

GALBIATE, ITALY

NOVEMBER 25-29, 2024



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OBJECTIVES OF THE MEETING

- Introducing Joint network to new organisations and assessing their interest and compatibility with our quality standards and practices.
- Evaluating 2024 Youth Exchange activities implemented within the network.
- Assessing the network quality standards against the 2024 experience and discuss possible future developments.
- Sharing good practices and defining common strategies for Youth Exchanges with minors and highly vulnerable participants (more details [HERE](#)).
- Defining mutual cooperation plan and reciprocity for Youth Exchanges in 2025 focusing on minors and participants facing fewer opportunities.



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ACTIVITIES



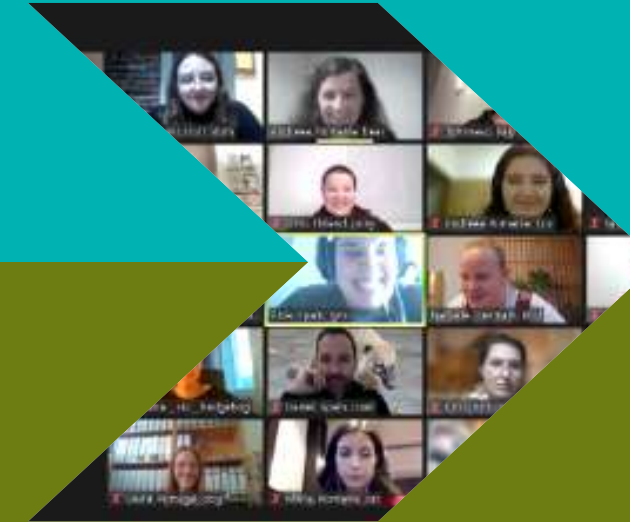
2 ONLINE PREPARATORY MEETINGS

The online meetings will take place between 15 October and 15 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 25 – 29, 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 2025.



1 FOLLOW UP MEETING

The follow up meeting will take place between December 2024 and January 2025 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 for 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 2025.



QUALITY BADGE FOR INCLUSION

We will analyse the results of 2024 mutual Youth Exchanges, at the light of the Quality Standards and Practices for inclusion, defined during the 2023 PBA.

We aim at reviewing the standards, based on the results and needs of the partners, in order to draft a Quality Badge for inclusion, that will be piloted during 2025.



EUROPEAN ADVOCACY CAMPAIGN

We will draft a Petition for inclusion of minors and/or highly vulnerable young people in Erasmus+ projects, addressed to EU institutions and stakeholders. It will be based on the experiences of inclusion developed in recent years by the members of the network.

The document will be presented during an international conference by the end of 2025.

ASSOCIAZIONE JOINT 2024-2025 ACTIVITIES

This PBA is the 1st activity that we implement in the framework of our 2024-2025 Erasmus+ Accreditation (E+50-YOU).

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

2 TRAINING COURSES FOR GROUP LEADERS

These activities will take place in February 2025 (and in June/July 2025) and will last 6 activity days. It aims at training future group leaders for youth exchanges involving participants facing fewer opportunities and minors.



2 OR 3 YOUTH EXCHANGES FOR OVER-18 YO PARTICIPANTS

These mobilities will focus on inclusion. They will take place in spring and possibly autumn 2025 and will last 7 or 8 activity days. They involve on average 6 national groups (5-6 participants + 1 leader). Each youth exchange foresees a Preparatory Visit (APV).



2 OR 3 YOUTH EXCHANGES FOR MINORS

These mobilities will focus on inclusion. They will take place between July and August 2025 and will last 6 activity days. They will involve on average 4 national groups (5-7 participants + 1-2 leaders). Each youth exchange foresees an Preparatory Visit.



1 TRAINING OF MULTIPLIERS

This mobility will aim at empowering young people by training them to organise local activities to promote European mobility and inclusion. It will take place in Autumn 2025 and will involve about 20 people (1 former YE participant + 1 mentor per team). This activity should be hosted by a partner other than Joint (not in Italy).



TOPICS

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



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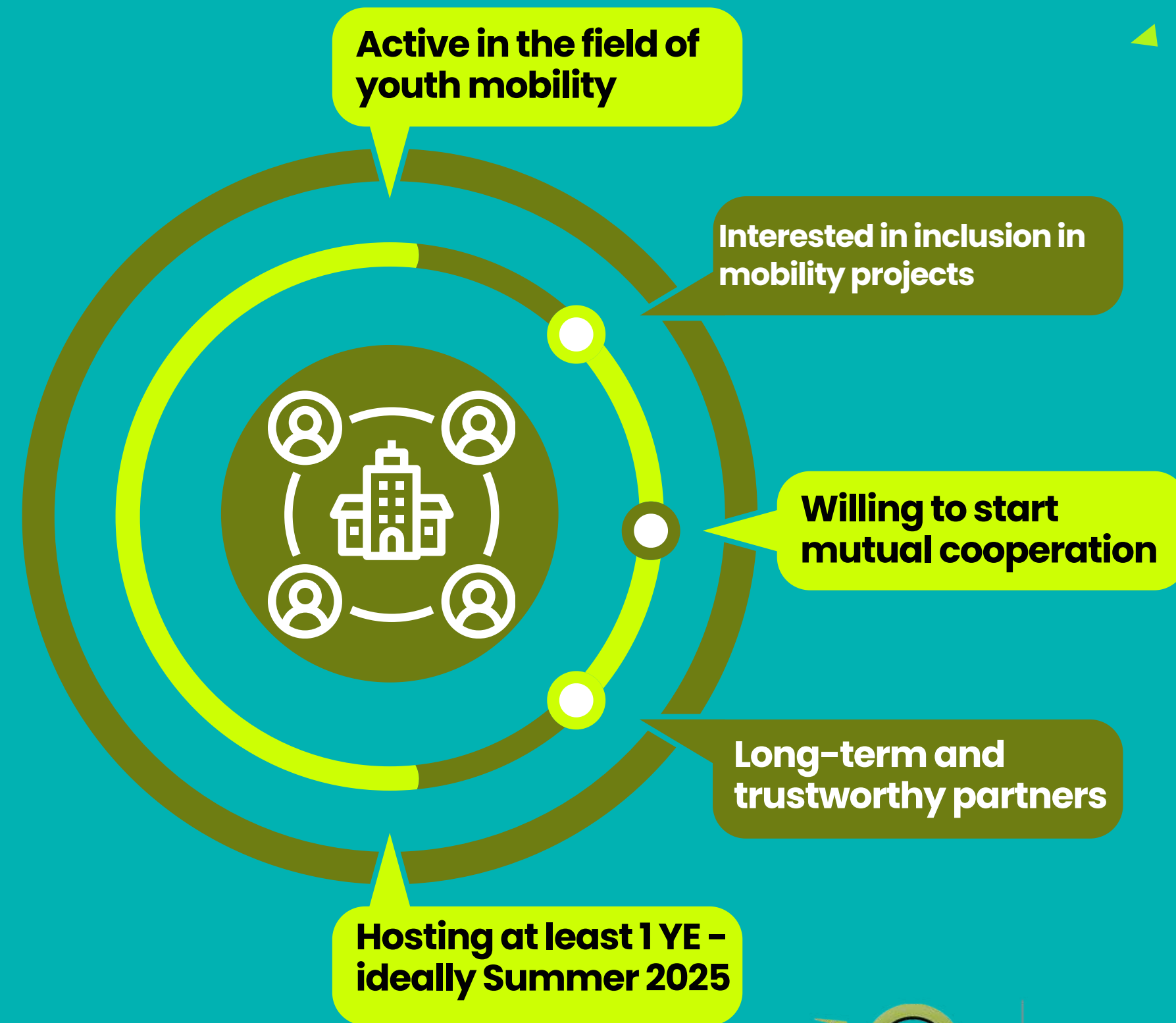
INVOLVED ORGANISATIONS

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

Considering the objectives of our strategy, we will give priority to organisations willing to host at least 1 Youth Exchange for participants with fewer opportunities and/or minors, ideally during Summer 2025.

Moreover, we will reserve the majority of spots to organisations already part of Joint international network, to which we would like to **add between 3 and 7 "new comers" in our network.**

We plan to involve "new comers" starting from the suggestions of the network members, giving priority to the organisations able to guarantee reciprocity in the partnership and to contribute with their experience in the inclusion strategy.



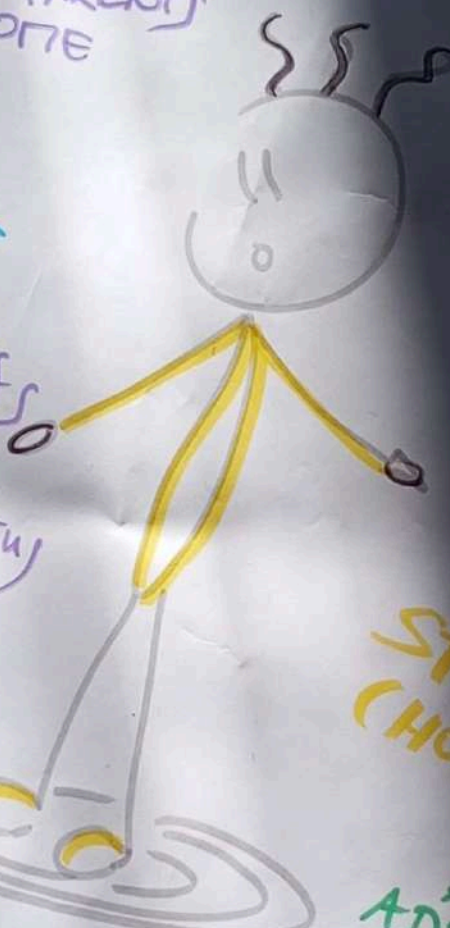
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VULNERABLE IN WHAT WAY?

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GEOGRAPHICAL ISSUES

- Living in Remote Areas
- FROM FOSTER HOME
- WITHOUT PARENTS
- MIGRANTS
- REFUGIES
- ASYLUM SEEKERS
- FROM COMMUNITIES
- OMA SETTLEMENTS
- SEGREGATED AREA / SOCIAL STATUS
- ON WORKING CLASS
- INDUSTRIAL AREAS
- HOMELESS



ECONOMICAL ISSUES

- EXTREME POVERTY
- LEARNING DIFFICULTIES
- NOT FINISHING SCHOOL
- UNEMPLOYMENT
- STREET YOUTH (HOODLANS)
- AUTISM ADD, ASPERGER
- LACK OF ATTENTION
- LOVE, CARE, SAFE ADULTS
- PRISONERS
- RESIDUALS
- WOMAN
- FACE

→ COMMUNITY

Therefore, please 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.

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ACCOMMODATION

All the activities will take place at "Ostello Parco Monte Barro" in Galbiate. The venue is about 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: 211€ (traditional travel); 285€ (green travel)
- 500–1999km: 309€ (traditional travel); 417€ (green travel)
- 2000+ km: 395€

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 25th
- for the RETURN search for flights taking off from 2PM on NOVEMBER 29th

Since it is not possible to reach the accommodation with public transport, we will need to organise a private transport from the train station. 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 309€, please consider it as 289€.



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