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ERASMUS+

PARTNER INFORMATION FORM 2025



ABOUT US

The Polish Council of Youth Organizations (PROM) is a collaborative forum of non-governmental organisations whose members are young people living in Poland. We serve as the National Youth Council representing Polish youth within the European Union.

PROM acts as the National Youth Council at the European Youth Forum. Our mission includes promoting youth participation in public life, raising public awareness about the state of youth policy in Poland, and representing our member organisations. Most importantly, we are committed to advocating for a coherent and modern youth policy in Poland. That is why today, we aim to be the voice of young Poles in the debate about their rights, opportunities, and future.

PROM brings together over a quarter of a million young people through its member organisations, which operate at national, regional, and local levels. We are the official representative of Polish youth at the EU Youth Conferences.

ORGANIZATION DATA



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ERASMUS+ PARTNER INFORMATION FORM	
Participating Organisation	
PIC	942247040
OID	E10030327
Legal name	POLSKA RADA ORGANIZACJI MŁODZIEŻOWYCH
Acronym	PROM
Country	Poland
Region	Mazowieckie
Post Code	00-867
City	Warszawa
Website	https://prom.info.pl/
Profile	
Type of Organisation	non-governmental organisation
Main sector of activity	Youth empowerment and youth advocacy
Main sector specification (if Main sector of activity: OTHER) Max. 250 characters incl. spaces	Youth representation and advocacy at national and EU level; civic engagement, and development of inclusive, evidence-based youth policy in Poland.
Is the partner organization a public body?	no
Is the partner organization a non-profit?	yes

ASSOCIATED PERSON(S)



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Please briefly present the organisation/group (e.g. its type, scope of work, areas of activity and if applicable, approximate number of paid/unpaid staff, learners and members of the group) – **Max. 4000 characters including spaces**

The Polish Council of Youth Organizations (PROM) is the largest and most diverse umbrella federation of youth-led and youth-serving non-governmental organisations in Poland. As the only entity in the country with the legal status of a National Youth Council, defined by European frameworks, PROM represents the voices and interests of over 250,000 young people through 30 member organisations working at national, regional, and local levels.

PROM serves as the official representative of Polish youth at the European Youth Forum and coordinates the National Working Group for the EU Youth Dialogue, which includes public institutions such as the Ministry of National Education. We also co-create the Parliamentary Group for Supporting Youth Councils in Local Government Units, helping to institutionalise youth participation in policymaking.

Our statutory mission includes:

- Co-creating youth policy based on evidence and participatory processes;
- Promoting youth engagement in democratic life;
- Representing member organisations in dialogue with public institutions;
- Supporting the development and cooperation of youth organisations in Poland and abroad.

As a collaborative network, PROM has built a nationwide infrastructure of youth engagement that allows us to reach diverse groups of young people swiftly and effectively, including those from underrepresented and marginalised communities. This network supports the dissemination of key messages, organisation of impactful events, and inclusion of young people in civic and political life.

We combine institutional experience with the expertise of grassroots actors. Our team—comprising the management board, staff, volunteers, and youth leaders—possesses competencies in knowledge transfer, attitude shaping, mentorship, and creating safe, inclusive spaces. Thanks to our internal training programmes and strong organisational capacity, we are well-equipped to implement complex initiatives with lasting impact.

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What are the activities and experience of your organisation in the areas relevant to this project?
What are the skills and/or expertise of key persons involved in this project? – **Max. 4000 characters incl. spaces**

PROM has been recognised internationally for its innovation and effectiveness. In 2019, the European Commission identified PROM as one of the three most innovative models of EU Youth Dialogue implementation in Europe, particularly for its outreach to diverse and excluded youth. The same year, we were awarded 1st place in the Creativity in Education category at the Global Youth Trends Forum in Taipei for advancing youth involvement in decision-making.

Our member organisations offer targeted support to young people facing specific barriers:

- The Rural Youth Association directly supports youth in rural areas, where access to services and participation opportunities are often limited.
- Semper a Frente, based in Lublin, runs a youth support centre focused on mental health and psychological wellbeing.
- Other members work in urban areas, particularly in high-rise housing estates, to address the social exclusion of young people caused by socioeconomic disadvantage.

This broad range of partnerships allows us to identify, categorise, and address multiple forms of exclusion—geographic, economic, social, digital, or psychological. We place strong emphasis on enhanced and dedicated mentoring, ensuring young people are supported in ways that are tailored, empowering, and sustainable.

PROM has extensive experience in delivering projects funded by various national and European sources, including Erasmus+, and regularly facilitates public consultations, civic education initiatives, and thematic events across Poland. We prioritise actions that build resilience, foster participation, and ensure equitable access to opportunities, particularly for young people with fewer chances.

As a nationwide federation with EU-level representation, PROM plays a vital role in promoting policy solutions, disseminating best practices, and amplifying youth voices in national and European decision-making. We are committed to creating a society where all young people—regardless of their background—can actively shape their present and future.



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Max. 3000 characters incl. spaces

The Polish Council of Youth Organizations (PROM) has extensive experience in coordinating EU-funded projects, facilitating structured youth dialogue, and implementing strategic programmes for youth empowerment, participation, and civic engagement at national and international levels.

PROM is currently implementing several Erasmus+ and CERV projects:

- CLIMentines (ERASMUS-YOUTH-2023-YOUTH-TOG, Grant No. 101131699 – Active): An Erasmus+ initiative promoting climate justice and youth-led local sustainability actions through regional collaboration and international exchange.
- MEET – Mobilise, Empower, Engage, Transform (CERV-2022-CITIZENS-CIV, Grant No. 101081692 – Active): A CERV-funded project enhancing civic competences and resilience of young people, especially those from marginalised groups, through participatory events and youth-led campaigns.
- PROM (ERASMUS-YOUTH-2025-YOUTH-DIALOG-IBA, Grant No. 101228586 – Grant Preparation): A new Erasmus+ Key Action 3 project focused on the coordination of the EU Youth Dialogue in Poland, including the activities of Ambassadors of the EU Youth Dialogue, national consultations, and awareness-raising on youth goals.
- SPARK (ERASMUS-YOUTH-2024-YOUTH-TOG, Grant No. 101186990 – Active): A transnational project promoting youth participation in democracy and supporting youth organisations in creating sustainable cooperation networks.



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PROM is also the organiser of the international youth exchange More Young Voices!, which has taken place for two consecutive years in Norway during the World Expression Forum (WEXFO). This exchange brings together 14 young participants from Poland to engage in high-level discussions on freedom of expression, youth activism, and democratic values, while fostering intercultural learning and building international partnerships. The initiative provides young people with access to global debates and empowers them to act as advocates for open and inclusive societies.

Domestically, PROM leads the Permanent Working Group on Youth Councils, which works on improving the legal and operational conditions of municipal youth councils across Poland. We cooperate closely with the public sector and local governments to ensure quality standards and sustainability of local youth structures.

Our team consists of experienced project coordinators, trainers, youth workers, and facilitators. We operate with strong internal procedures for monitoring, evaluation, and financial management, ensuring full compliance with donor requirements and transparent implementation.

PROM maintains long-term partnerships with organisations focused on supporting youth in rural areas, urban marginalised communities, and mental health. We also deliver participatory processes, such as youth-led budgeting projects with the British Council, promoting direct youth involvement in decision-making.

Our approach is intersectional, inclusive, and youth-driven. We provide the infrastructure, expertise, and support mechanisms to ensure young people are not only heard—but actively shape the policies, environments, and communities they live in.

KEY PROJECTS & EXPERIENCE



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List of previous projects

Please provide a list of your previous projects for the last 4 years.

Participant	Project Reference No and Title, Funding programme	Period (start and end date)	Role (COO, BEN, AE, OTHER)	Amount (EUR)	Website (if any)
PROM	European Youth Dialogue ERASMUS-YOUTH-2025-YOUTH-DIALOG-IBA ERASMUS2027 101228586	01/01/2025 - 30/06/2027	COO - Coordinator	273 280 €	
PROM	Fostering Political Participation among Young Europeans with Intellectual and Psychosocial Disabilities - SPARK 101186990-SPARK-ERASMUS-YOUTH-2024-YOUTH-TOG	01/11/2024 - 31/10/2026	BEN - Partner	55 250 €	https://www.kmop.gr/project-s-vf/news-project-spark/
PROM	CLIMentines - 101131699 ERASMUS-YOUTH-2023-YOUTH-TOG	01/11/2023 - 31/10/2025	BEN - Partner	59 612 €	https://www.climentines.eu/

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PROM	More Young Voices!	01/11/2024 - 31/08/2025	BEN - Partner		https://wexfo.no/wexfo-more-young-voices/about-wexfo-more-young-voices/
PROM	More Young Voices – Freedom of expression and youth participation in Democracy 2023-3-NO02-KA152-YOU-000178803	01/01/2024 - 30/09/2024	BEN - Partner	35 991 €	🌐 About W...
PROM	European Youth Voices	01/12/2022 - 31/11/2024	BEN - Partner	39 889 €	🌐 Europea...

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PROM	Erasmus + Wealthy Minds - 2021-2-PL01-KA220-YOU-000048574	31/05/2022 – 30/05/2024	BEN - Partner	8006 €	
PROM	PNWM Polish - German Collaboration	08/04/2024 - 31/12/2024	COO - Coordinator	36 875,76 zł	
PROM	MEET Grant Application for the European Parliament's COMM/SUBV/2022/RYY/101 100550/YFJ	01/10/2022 - 30/04/2023	BEN - Partner	+/- 20 000 €	
PROM	EUROPEAN YOUTH FOUNDATION GRANT APPLICATION No. 10842.1.PA.20 22	01/09/2022 - 28/02/2023	COO - Coordinator	13 500 €	



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KEY STAFF & EXPERIENCE



Jan Pałasz is the Chairperson of the Polish Council of Youth Organizations (PROM), the official National Youth Council of Poland. As a dedicated youth advocate and strategic leader, Jan is responsible for guiding PROM's mission to amplify the voice of young people in national and European policymaking. He oversees key initiatives such as the EU Youth Dialogue in Poland and coordinates cross-sectoral partnerships for youth participation.

In 2024, Jan was appointed as a member of the newly established EU Youth Stakeholders Group, an official advisory body to the President of the European Commission and all Commissioners. This historic group brings together youth leaders, policymakers, and experts from across Europe to shape youth policies and strategies that respond to the real needs of young people. Jan represents both Polish youth and PROM in this high-level structure.



Alicja Wiśniewska is a youth worker, facilitator, Vice-Chairperson, Treasurer and project coordinator at the Polish Council of Youth Organizations (PROM), where she leads activities supporting youth participation, inclusion, and non-formal education. She works closely with both local youth groups and international partners to design and deliver programmes that empower young people to actively shape their communities.

Alicja is responsible for coordinating national outreach efforts within the EU Youth Dialogue process in Poland, including mentoring and supporting the network of Ambassadors of the EU Youth Dialogue. She also contributes to the Permanent Working Group on Youth Councils, where she develops training tools and best practices to strengthen youth participation in local governance.

Her experience includes co-creating and implementing projects under Erasmus+ and CERV, such as CLIMentines, MEET, and SPARK, with a particular focus on mental health, inclusive participation, and peer learning. With a background in social sciences and education, Alicja brings a human-centred approach to her work, ensuring that youth initiatives are grounded in empathy, accessibility, and co-creation.

A strong advocate of youth empowerment through safe, open dialogue, she regularly facilitates workshops and trainings on democratic participation, wellbeing, and youth leadership—both in Poland and in international contexts.