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| **Background & Experience** | |
| **Type of Organization** | NGO – Non-Governmental Organization |
| **Is the partner organization a public body?** | NO |
| **Is the partner organization a non-profit?** | YES |
| **Has the organization received any type of accreditation before submitting this application?** | YES  EVS accreditation number - 2014-1-SK02-KA110-0000414 |
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| **Description of the organization**  **Description of the organization** | We are organization, which creates opportunities for young people who would like to be an active, try and learn something new and gain new experience and knowledge for personal and professional development. We want to enrich the educational, social and cultural life of young people living in our country, mainly young people with fewer opportunities and coming from Eastern Slovakia. We believe that young people must become a driving force in building the society in which they live and therefore we create various opportunities in order to help shape a generation that is determined to change our country/and world for the better.  Our main goals that we are trying to promote with a variety of projects and activities are: - to increase employment of young people and to support their personal and proffesional development; - to organize and mediate trainings, youth exchanges, workcamps, seminars, study mobilities, internships and volunteering programs abroad; - to encourage active citizenship, civic participation, voluntary and civic initiatives and to emphasize their importance in the society; - to stimulate the creation of new and innovative ideas as the basis for entrepreneurial initiatives of young people, to motivate them and support towards his own business; - to encourage the responsible attitute to the nature and animals, promote a healthy lifestyle and protect the environment; - to promote constructive debate on the EU, to raise legal awareness of citizens, protect human rights and to watch the transparency in the allocation of public resources;  - to endorse the elimination of gender stereotypes and promote equality of opportunity for all ...  ...and thus build and develop civil society based on the principles of democracy, freedom, pluralistic and rule of law, justice, peace, responsibility and solidarity.  Our motto is: "*Youth is not just a temporary state on the way to adulthood, but the space for our own journey, opinions and solutions – and we want to fill in this lack of space!"* |
| **Holders of the projects** | Youth in Action 3.1 (youth exchange) - ***Bridge for the better beginnings***  SK-31-E31-2013-R2  ------------------------  Youth in Action 1.3 (youth democracy project) -  ***Model European Union Bratislava 2013*** SK-13-E4-2013-R2  -------------------------  Youth in Action 5.1 (meetings of young people and those responsible for youth policy) - ***Transnational Youth Forum about Youth Unemplyoment*** - SK-51-E12-2013-R3  -------------------------  Erasmus+ programme (training course) - ***Project Management for the Beginners in Youth Work*** - 2014-3-SK02-KA105-000404  --------------------------  Erasmus+ programme (youth exchange) - ***Know Your Rights - Use Your Rights*** - 2015-1-SK02-KA105-000514 |

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| What are the activities and experience of the organisation in the areas relevant for this application? | We are very active in the field of youth and adult education as holders but also as partners of different kind of projects in our country and abroad. The key for us is to work on both local and international projects and we try to cover broad scale of themes and topics according to what our target group finds interesting. We focus mainly on youth participation, intercultural understanding, active citizenship, entrepreneurship, sport, healthy lifestly, peacebuilding, but also art and culture. The activities of the organisation are based on the approaches of non-formal education, experiential and intercultural learning, social inclusion and active participation. Our activities include but are not limited to: educational projects (youth exchanges, trainings, seminars....), networking and cooperation, awareness raising and policy development, capacity building, coaching of initiatives, organisational and individual coaching; mobility. |
| What are the skills and expertise of key staff/persons involved in this application? | Our team consists of several youth workers and young people with various profiles.Management of our NGO has over 5 years of experience in NGO sector. We are experienced in preparing/ organizing and training different kind of projects and events. We have also broad experience with coordinating of projects, communication between partners, selection of participants, preparation of participants for taking part in the projects, travel arrangements, assisting in logistic support and carrying out visibility and dissemination activities. Lenka Curillova is Executive Director of the organization. She holds Master degree in Political sciences and currently doing her PhD in European Studies. As part of her PhD, she is also teaching various subjects and within her research focusing on european youth policy. Having personal experience of being EVS volunteer in Macedonia, participated in many various trainings, youth exchanges, conferences, with strong knowledge in the field of project and financial management gained through preparation and implementation various projects (Erasmus+, YiA Programme, national grants). She was also chosen to represent Slovakia as OSCE Youth Ambassador and worked on Youth Action Plan. Jiri Hajek is Project Manager focused on Erasmus+ programme. He holds Master degree in Economics and Management and has broad experience related to project management not only from NGOs but also from public and private sector. |

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