**CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS**

**Project name: “ImPARIamo” – Celano (Aq), Italy**

**June 9-19 2016**

**European Programme**: Erasmus+ Youth Exchange

**Applicant Organization:** AMFI International (IT)

**Description:**

**Gender stereotypes** continue to exist even today at all levels of society and for all age groups, particularly children come into contact with early gender stereotypes through TV series, advertising, picture books and other education and training material that somehow affect their perception of how male and female should behave. Thus, AMFI is promoting an exchange program for young people around gender based non-discrimination and equal opportunities for men and women for 60 participants between 14 and 30 years old.

The **aim** is to promote rights, equality and the values of non-discrimination. The project wants to achieve these goals through innovative methods and non-formal education, pushing the beneficiaries of this project to think about and assess whether the rights of girls and boys are equally guaranteed and dispelling some myths about what men, women, children and teenagers can or cannot do.

The project **involves** an exchange between young people from the following countries: Italy, Ukraine, Czech Republic, Greece, Serbia, Romania, Macedonia. Mobility will for 10 days and will take place in Italy. The project activities will begin from the month of June 2016. The training activities imply the fulfillment of reading workshops, artistic and manual activities - from cooking to engineering - which will have as main theme that of non-discrimination and of equal opportunities for boys and girls. The experience will be certified by the project leader in cooperation with the whole partnership through the Youth Pass.

**Mobility Target Group**: 60 participants between 14 and 30 years old.

**Tutors:** 9 (one for each country of destination)

**Counties involved:** Italy, Ukraine, Czech Republic, Greece, Serbia, Romania, Macedonia.

**Applications deadline:** 20.3.2016

**IMPORTANT:** The project budget covers all accommodation and travel expenses.

**Activities in detail:** seenext page

Project “ImPARIamo”

Period: 9th - 19th June 2016

Programme

**9th June - Thursday**

Arrival - Participants will be transferred from the airport to the accommodation in Celano city Centre

**10th June - 1st day - Friday**

Morning: Reading and working group on graphic novel about MIRIAM MAKEBA and FRANCA VIOLA

Afternoon: Assessment questionnaire and discussion

**11th June – 2nd day - Saturday**

Visit to Celano City Centre and Orienteering activities in the Historical Centre – Gender research: discovery operation on the names given to our local streets.

Individual research and data analysis

**12th June – 3rd day - Sunday**

Guided tour and picnic at “Gole di Celano” – Cooking Workshop : How to make Italian handmade pasta? Is it really an only women’s job?

**13th June – 4th day - Monday**

Recital “The marriage tradition in Celano” – In collaboration with Pro-Loco Association of Celano

**14th June – 5th day - Tuesday**

Morning: Workshop “How to paint a wall?” Is it really an only men’s job?

Free Afternoon

**15th June – 6th day - Tuesday - Wednesday**

Morning : Reading activities

Let’s visit a Gym – Workshop: Taekwondo fighting lesson

Afternoon: Projection of the film “Million Dollar Baby"

**16th June -7th day - Thursday**

Treasure Hunt in Celano or Visit to S.Vittorino

**17th June - 8th day - Friday**

Morning: Workshop: Observing the local open-air market

Afternoon: Working group about the activities carried out during the morning

**18th June - 9th day - Saturday**

Short trip along “Le Gole” Path in Celano

**19th June - 10th day - Sunday**

Final Meeting and delivery of Certificates of attendance