# Mobility of Youth Workers Project: INTERCULTURABILITY Infopack



HARMONY YOUTH GROUP





Ankara, Turkey 1-28 September 2016

# AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

Our project is Mobility of Youth Workers Project in Erasmus+ Programme which will be held in Ankara, Turkey. Our project will be continued for 6 months and 8 days of it will be activity.

This project's main aim is improving capacity and knowledge of youth work by sharing different experiences, knowledge and backgrounds. About the project main theme, we are focusing on increasing efficiency of intercultural learning and building sustainable projects to expand the effect of intercultural understanding.

Our aims and objectives about this project are:

- Recognizing the intercultural challenges of a learning experiences abroad,
- ✓ Understanding and discussing youth learning processes in mobility experiences,
- By Increasing efficiency of intercultural learning processes, improving youth and youth workers' intercultural communication skills and competences,
- Developing youth work on the intercultural learning basis by using non-formal education methods,
- Sharing different experiences and good practices among youth workers,
- Improving quality of youth work and increasing visibility of youth projects,

#### **TO PROJECT PARTNERS**

We are expecting from our project partners to share their ideas, experiences and documents (such as youth policies) about intercultural learning, communication. Each country group consists of **7 participants** (1 group leader and 6 participants) to attend this project.

We are also expecting from them to present their cultures and organizations.

We will organize intercultural expos for all participant countries and each country will present and show their country, culture in an interesting and impressive way beyond national food and drink.

For the program, we will present our experiences in youth work by presentation and we will be thankful if you contribute to the program by sharing interesting games, energizers.

We may ask to do some tasks from all participants or groups before the program.

# TRAVEL AND TRANSPORTATION

Participants need to arrange their local transportations in their countries to the airport. They also need to book their flight tickets on **21 September 2016** as an arrival date and **28 September 2016** as a departure date.

As you all know, you will be paid the amount of money in "Euro"s which are decided by distance calculator of Erasmus+ Programme. You will be paid in "Euro"s, regardless of the amount and currency indicated on your ticket and receipt/invoice.

http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/tools/distance\_en.htm

By using link above, you can calculate the distance and learn how much you will be paid due to transportation cost.

We assume that you know but we just want to remind that:

**Note 1:** You should use the only public transportation (not taxi and private car)

Note 2: Please make digital copies of your tickets and invoices, send e-mail to us.

#### PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Currency and Money Exchange: Euros can easily be exchanged across Turkey.

It is not constant but nowadays 1 Euro  $\approx$  3,208 TRY (TL-Turkish Liras).

**Weather:** In September, Ankara is usually warm and sunny. Average temperature will be around between +10 and +25 degree Celsius. In any case, please prepare yourself for rainy day(s).

**Health Insurance:** The health insurance is not provided and will not be reimbursed by the organizers. All participants are strongly advised to purchase private travel insurance.

**Personal Needs:** Please be sure that you have your personal care products, vitamins and all the things you need with you.

# ORGANIZER(S)

As a informal group of youth workers, we have different backgrounds on youth work. Our group members are working as youth and sports experts, leaders, volunteers for Republic of Turkey, Ministry of Youth and Sports and also NGOs. We named our informal group as the **"Harmony Youth Group"**.

As a group of youth workers, we are organizing international youth exchanges, projects which are based on intercultural understanding concept.

We are aiming to share our experiences, knowledge and background in youth work. We are also willing to get into European youth work and gain different experiences in youth work both individual and organizational level.

# DATES (ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE)

Arrival : 21 September 2016

Departure : 28 September 2016

All groups and participants need to be in Ankara International Airport the exact dates that are mentioned. The organizers will inform/help you to get to the venue.

### LOCATION/ACCOMODATION

**Location** : Ankara, Turkey

**Accommodation:** Participants will be sharing double rooms with 1 another people/person of the same sex, each room has a bathroom. There are towels and bed lines.

The organizers will give detailed information about the location and accommodation before the program.

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We will also have facilitator(s) which will help our trainer during the program.

#### CERTIFICATE

The participants will receive at the end of the course a Youthpass certificate. Validating the learning experience of participants is important in itself and the document can be of benefit in terms of the educational or employment future of the participant. Through Youthpass the European Commission ensures the Youth Exchange activity is recognized as a non-formal learning experience.

For more information on Youthpass you may wish to visit http://www.youthpass.eu

#### CONTACT

If you need help, have questions or need further information please contact:

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