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### 1.0 EU Youth area

The **new EU Youth Strategy** develops a cross-sectoral approach by addressing the needs of young people in other EU policy areas.

https://ec.europa.eu/youth/news/eu-youth-strategy-adopted en

The Commission proposes some important novelties compared to the current policy framework:

A new **EU Youth coordinator** will channel voices of young people in the Commission, thus allowing young people to contribute to shaping EU policies across areas; the coordinator will strengthen the dialogue with young people, notably via the European Youth Portal and the EU Youth Strategy Platform:

- 1. A renewed **EU Youth Dialogue** to take youth concerns better into account and ensure wider outreach, including through innovative formats;
- 2. Tracking of **EU spending for youth** in main funding programmes;
- 3. An **agenda for youth work** to further improve its quality, innovation and recognition and to allow other sectors to capitalise on the potential of non-formal learning;
- 4. A clearer **link between EU youth policy** implementation and related programme activities in Erasmus+ and the European Solidarity Corps.

### **ENGAGE**

Fostering young people's participation in civic and democratic life

### **CONNECT**

**Connecting young people** across the European Union and beyond to foster voluntary engagement, learning mobility, solidarity and intercultural understanding

### **EMPOWER**

Supporting youth empowerment through quality, innovation and recognition of youth work

## **More information**

**Draft Joint Report** on the implementation of the framework for European cooperation in the youth field (2010-2018) and on a new EU Youth Strategy 2019-2027

https://ec.europa.eu/youth/sites/youth/files/youth com 269 1 en act part1 v9.pdf

**Staff Working Document** (2018) 168 on the results of the open method of coordination in the youth field 2010-2018

https://ec.europa.eu/vouth/sites/vouth/files/vouth swd 168 1 en autre document travail service part1 v6.pdf

**Staff Working Document** (2018) 169 on the situation of young people in the European Union <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/youth/news/eu-youth-strategy-adopted">https://ec.europa.eu/youth/news/eu-youth-strategy-adopted</a> en

## **Factsheets**

**Empowering young people** and building their resilience: A new EU Youth Strategy <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/youth/sites/youth/files/factsheet-youth-may2018-en.pdf">https://ec.europa.eu/youth/sites/youth/files/factsheet-youth-may2018-en.pdf</a>

## **EU Youth Strategy** Overview

https://ec.europa.eu/youth/policy/youth-strategy\_en

# **Building a stronger Europe:**

the role of youth, education and culture policies

# **European Education Area**

https://ec.europa.eu/education/initiatives/european-education-area en

# A New European Agenda for Culture

https://ec.europa.eu/culture/news/new-european-agenda-culture\_en

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## 2.0 EU Youth Strategy

The EU Youth Strategy is the framework for EU youth policy cooperation for 2019-2027, based on the Council Resolution of 26 November 2018.

EU youth cooperation shall make the most of youth policy's potential. It fosters youth participation in democratic life; it also supports social and civic engagement and aims to ensure that all young people have the necessary resources to take part in society.

11 European Youth Goals The EU Youth Strategy focuses on three core areas of action, around the three words: Engage Connect Empower, while working on joined-up implementation across sectors.

During a 2017-2018 dialogue process which involved young people from all over Europe, 11 European Youth Goals were developed.

These goals identify cross-sectoral areas that affect young people's lives and point out challenges.

The EU Youth Strategy should contribute to realising this vision of young people.

The EU Youth Strategy is based on several instruments, such as mutual learning activities, Future National Activities Planners, EU Youth Dialogue, EU Youth Strategy Platform and Evidence-based tools.

The EU Youth coordinator is the European Commission's contact and visible reference point for young people.

More information on the youth policy cooperation before 2019 can be found in the archives, including Council conclusions and resolutions adopted in the field of youth policy between 2010 and 2018.

### Find out more

**Commission Communication:** Engaging, Connecting and Empowering young people: a new EU Youth Strategy

https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/en/TXT/?uri=CELEX:52018DC0269

### **Accompanying Commission Staff Working Documents:**

Results of the open method of coordination in the youth field 2010-2018

https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:52018SC0168&rid=3

Situation of young people in the EU

https://publications.europa.eu/en/publication-detail/-/publication/b6985coc-743f-11e8-9483-01aa75ed71a1

## You can find the previous (2010-2018) youth strategy on the following page:

EU Youth Strategy 2010-2018

https://ec.europa.eu/youth/policy/youth-strategy/strategy-2010-2018 en

# 3.0 POLICY FRAMEWORK

### **Youth Goals #10**

The Youth Goals are the outcome of the Structured Dialogue with Youth process 2017-18.

They represent views of young people from all over Europe.

Its objective is to achieve a society in which all young people are environmentally active, educated and able to make a difference in their everyday lives.

### **New Narrative for Europe**

https://ec.europa.eu/assets/eac/culture/policy/new-narrative/documents/declaration en.pdf

# **EU Green Deal**

https://ec.europa.eu/info/strategy/priorities-2019-2024/european-green-deal en

# **EU FOOD 2030**

https://ec.europa.eu/research/bioeconomy/index.cfm;jsessionid=1704F40ED0043811F4D22A4F02D1EF7D.cfusion10101?pg=policy&lib=food2030&CFID=23513089&CFTOKEN=a85794a01c992bd5-91D8880F-A7BE-42A6-2E4773E9A2A41389

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### **UN's SDG 11**

https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/sdg11

## **UN's New Urban Agenda**

http://habitat3.org/the-new-urban-agenda/

## 4.0 PROJECT PROPOSAL

#### **Overview**

### Context

- 1) Youth Goal #10: Achieve a society in which all young people are environmentally active, educated, and able to make a difference in their everyday lives.
- 2) COVID-19 pandemic, immediate response is required to mitigate its socio-economic impact, including capacity building and specific measures to deal with Covid-19 crisis recovery in the youth sector.
- 3) EU-U11NUA: EU Green Deal 'Farm to Fork' and FOOD2030, UN's SDG 11 and New Urban Agenda Objective

Urban food systems and ecosystems framed by cities region food systems (CRFS) already demand immediate action and the COVID-19 pandemic brought a higher contrast to this context.

The project proposes consumers must be at the core of solutions, specially Youth and Youth workers, who are not customary players in CRFS.

While being CRFS's agents of change they will also act in support to households victim of socio-economic impacts from the COVID-19 pandemic.

The main goal of the project is to create a future proof and effective CRFS via a connected structure centered in the citizen, built on trust, with partners encompassing the entire CRFS value-chain.

WP No	Work Package	Lead Participant No	Lead Participant Short Name	Start month	End month
1	An impact monitoring and assessment for action			M1	M24
2	An equality-driven framework and mechanism for innovation			M1	M24
3	An OER-driven intelligence and policy framework			M1	M24
4	A comprehensive capacity building programme			M1	M24
5	An actionable mechanism for funding of innovation			M1	M24
6	An OER-driven collaborative mechanism and observatory			M1	M24
7	A comprehensive package for the project's visibility			M1	M24
8	A lean-agile framework for sound management			M1	M24

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