



Erasmus+

A. PARTNER ORGANIZATION

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B. PROFILE

Type of Organization	Informal Group of Young People
Is the partner organization a public body?	No
Is the partner organization a non-profit?	Yes

C. BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

Please briefly present the partner organization

As a group of youth workers, we value our peers' use of technology and sense of global citizenship. Our main goal is to introduce our volunteers to new creative skills while also assisting them in developing their leadership and policy making skills. We communicate our understanding of social issues affecting the younger generation through speaking clubs, creative writings, and workshops. We also value diversity, therefore our team is made up of young people from a range of cultural and socioeconomic backgrounds. We take part in a number of initiatives to promote multilateralism and introduce young people with fewer opportunities to projects where they may contribute to international dialogue.

Our organization mainly focuses on providing trainings in a broad range of topics, including entrepreneurship, teamwork, sustainable development, e-learning, leadership and digitalization. In order to foster innovation throughout Europe and make participating in intercultural activities more convenient and exciting for everyone, our group of young people wants to connect and network with organizations that are primarily dedicated to developing soft skills.

Our goal is to become a preeminent organization by continuously enhancing opportunities for young people and reducing educational inequalities by enhancing digital and entrepreneurial skills to contribute to a society that values progressions in the economy, society, and culture. Our overall purpose is to accelerate digitalization through the enhancement of multiculturalism and entrepreneurial skills.

What are the skills and expertise of key staff /persons involved in this application?

Our organization is led by a dynamic and diverse team of international young people who bring a wealth of expertise and enthusiasm to the table. Their cumulative knowledge and talents cover multiple areas, making them a creative team when it comes to overcoming challenges and generating innovation.

Sanem Tekkaya, our founding member, is an experienced project writer majoring at Translation & Interpretation and determined to enhance the opportunities of the youth through cultural integration and soft skills. As a youth worker, she also participated in several Erasmus+ projects and gained a deeper understanding of international dialogue by volunteering internationally. She is a member of the International Federation of Business and Professional Women and works at the United Nations Standing Committee for the sustainable development goals gender equality, quality education and no poverty. As the group leader, she presented a project to Human Rights in New York that addressed refugees and cultural integration. She completed the Social Inclusion Youth Leadership program offered by the UNHCR and has a strong understanding of conflict-management.

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Rana Altıntaş, founding member is currently on the verge of completing her Public Administration degree while double majoring in International Relations, a testament to her dedication to understanding the complexities of global governance. Her passion for leadership and international affairs has driven her to excel in roles such as leading economic committees within the European Youth Parliament and representing Turkey as one of nine esteemed candidates in the international session. During her college journey, she has played a pivotal role as the Head of Social Media and Content Creation Department at Istanbul University's alumni organization, where she has honed her skills in communication and engagement. Furthermore, she is an active member of the SALT club, where she is continually learning and sharing insights on academic writing efficiency. Her commitment to gender equality and awareness in Türkiye led her to spearhead the creation of the Women's Rights Committee in her school, ensuring that all faculties have a voice in matters of gender equality. Her dedication to important global issues is also reflected in her work, including winning first place for a short film on climate change awareness. Her unwavering commitment to addressing these pressing issues continues to be a driving force in her life.

Our team brings together important experience in conflict resolution, arts, digitalization, theater, technology, policy making, language learning and cultural integration to produce creative solutions, promote dialogue between cultures, and address today's challenging concerns. Our team is not just a group of people, but a unified force dedicated to making a positive impact on the world.

What are the activities and experience of the organisation in the areas relevant for this project?

At the core of our dynamic organization, we are privileged to have a team of dedicated individuals who bring a rich tapestry of skills and expertise to the table. Our staff members are not just passionate about what they do; but they are also experts in their respective fields. From seasoned public speakers and debate champions to prolific writers, our organization highlights a diverse range of interests. Our team possesses exceptional language skills, enabling them to guide and inspire our members in speaking clubs and debates. Our mastery of creative-academic writing techniques ensures that our workshops and sessions are both educational and engaging. Moreover, our historical visit organizers have an in-depth knowledge of the places we explore, weaving fascinating narratives that make the history in Türkiye come alive. Together, our team's collective skills and expertise create a vibrant skills-exchanging environment where individuals can flourish and explore their interests with confidence.

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