



**ERASMUS+ TRAINING COURSE
“YOU(TH)R CULTURE”
2019.11.02-09, VILNIUS, LITHAUNIA**

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SHORT INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROJECT

Based on our researches in the local communities of our consortium, we propose a project to explore how cultural diversity can be used as a positive and powerful tool within local youth work activities and European youth exchanges by active participation of young people. To build tolerance towards cultural diversity and find common European roots throughout the active participation of young people can be a great step towards prevent radicalisation of young people. As youth workers, youth leaders we believe that we have to be able to provide equal opportunities for our diverse target groups and for the sake of local communities we have to facilitate cultural diversity workshops locally and European level where different culturally and religious young people can get to know more each others, understand their cultural differences and similarities and its' roots and learn to accept and tolerate each others. Based on the objectives of our partners and personal, socio-educational and professional needs of youth workers, youth leaders they work with we have set up SMART objectives of our project:

- To raise understanding in human rights educational approaches mainly in connection with cultural diversity in order to prevent radicalisation of young people in our local communities;
- To develop an understanding about aspects of active youth participation and critical way of thinking with elements and methods of non formal education within our youth work activities locally and European level;
- To be aware of importance of cultural diversity in local, regional and international level and to develop skills and attitudes to motivate and actively involve our young people in human rights youth projects as preventing radicalisation of young people;
- To develop the necessary knowledge, skills and attitudes of ours as youth workers, youth leaders to prepare, run and evaluate a cultural diversity workshop in order to prevent radicalisation of young people locally and within youth exchanges;
- To offer the opportunity to meet partner groups and develop concrete ideas for future projects focusing on cultural diversity and active participation of young people in order to prevent radicalisation of young people.

4 participants per country, selected by sending organization until 1 September 2019

If you're selected participant from the partner organisation from your country, please fill the participant form! <https://forms.gle/PRStcsC9CGk2KMWA7>

VENUE



Hotel Ecotel

Address: Slucko Str. 8, Vilnius LT-09312, Lithuania
Please, note, that the participants will stay in shared rooms.



Weather:

November is the cold season of the year, please take REALLY warm clothes with you 😊

LITHUANIA is land of rain, so please do not be surprised if it will rain. BE PREPARED!



THE FINANCE

INNOVATION OFFICE will reimburse the maximum amount as written in below, in this amount the local transport should be included, not only flight costs. Please do not make any travel arrangements without first consulting it with Innovation Office.

TRAVEL COSTS COUNTRY, COVERED AMOUNT PER PARTICIPANT

Lithuania: 0 EUR

Latvia: 180 EUR

Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Croatia, Hungary, Italy, Poland, Romania, Slovakia: 275 EUR

Reimbursement of travel costs

Travel costs will be reimbursed to you, or who paid for it under the following conditions:

- Only cheapest means of transportation and fares will be reimbursed (e.g. 2nd class tickets).
- A bank transfer will be made as soon as we receive all the original receipts/invoices, boarding passes and tickets from your travel!

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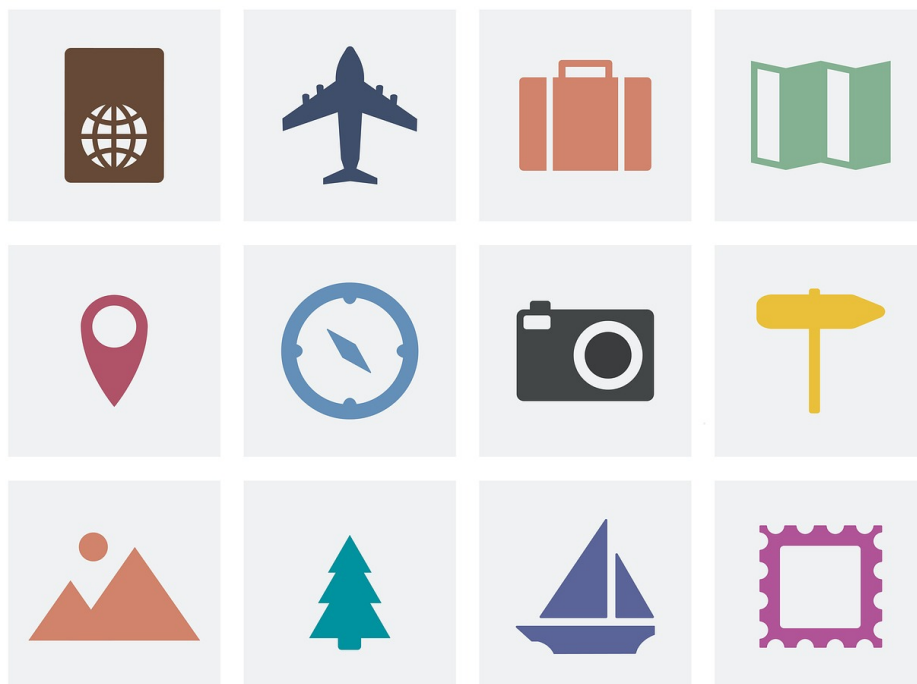
TRAVEL INSURANCE

Participant is responsible for travel insurance. We **STRONGLY** recommend to have **European Health Insurance Card**. For more information please contact your national health department.

<https://ec.europa.eu/social/main.jsp?catId=559>

PASSPORT OR IDENTITY CARD

Please check if your personal documents are **VALID**.



AGENDA OF THE TRAINING COURSE

Preliminary programme:

Hours	Nov 2	Nov 3	Nov 4	Nov 5	Nov 6	Nov 7	Nov 8	Nov 9
	Day 1 Arrival day	Day 2 Exploring Day	Day 3 Day of Culture	Day 4 Day of Cultural diversity	Day 5 Day of No Radicalism	Day 6 Day of Local Impact	Day 7 Day of Future steps	Departure day
8.00 – 09.30	Arrival of participants Registration and accommodation	breakfast	breakfast	breakfast	breakfast	breakfast	breakfast	breakfast
09.30– 11.00		Group building activity	Intercultural learning within international youth projects. National identity – cultural diversity	Non formal education How cultural diversity can be used as a positive and powerful tool? Link between cultural diversity and active participation of young people in order to fight against radicalism	Link between cultural diversity and active participation of young people in order to fight against radicalism	Preparation of evening with locals on No radicalism	Evaluation of evening with locals on No radicalism	Departure of participants
11.00– 11.30		Coffee break	Coffee break	Link between cultural diversity and active participation of young people			Coffee break	
11.30– 13.00		Aim and objectives of the TC Hopes and Fears Cooperation agreement	What is cultural diversity? What is my cultural identity?	Projects proposals for the common cooperation in the future				
13.00– 15.00	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch			Lunch	
15.00- 17.00	Official opening of the TC Introduction games Ice breakers	Preparation of introduction of organisations Organisation Fair with focusing on youth projects	Stereotypes and prejudices	Free afternoon	Impact on local community – theory Explanation of the task and the process of Evening with locals on No Radicalism	Visit to the mayor's office and the local Youth Center	Youthpass	
17.00- 17.30	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break		Coffee break		Coffee break	
17.30– 19.00	Getting to know each other	Youth exchanges according to proposals of Erasmus+ programme Steam group	Prejudgment and reality Exclusion – Inclusion Steam group		Preparation of evening with locals on No radicalism Consultations Steam group		Evaluation of the TC	
19.30- 20.30	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	
21.00-	Social informal evening &	Intercultural evening	Treasure hunting evening	Free evening	Free/Working evening	No radicalism Party evening with local community on cultural diversity	Farewell evening	

ADVICE FOR INTERCULTURAL EVENING

- You will need to present your country and its culture in creative ways 😊😊😊😊
- Please take some traditional foods or beverages