

Call for Participants
For the Study Visit 'EuroCulture'
17th – 25th September 2021
Vadul lui Voda, Rep. Moldova

Together with our partners, we are looking for participants from Denmark, the UK, Lithuania, Italy, the Republic of Moldova, Georgia, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Ukraine, Romania, and St. Martin.

Summary

The project aims to develop youth workers' capacity in supporting culturally marginalized young diaspora in Europe to embrace and engage their transcultural identity and civil citizenship.

'EuroCulture' Study Visit is a seven-working day Study Visit aiming to provide youth workers with best practices in supporting young diaspora, such as strategic and purposeful initiatives organised by NGOs and public bodies, to foster diaspora's transnational integration. The activity will bring together 27 participants from Denmark, the UK, Lithuania, Italy, the Republic of Moldova, Georgia, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Ukraine, Romania and St. Martin and will take place between the **17th – 25th September 2021**, the 17th being arrival day and the 25th being departure day.

The Study visit will support the development of your skills, knowledge, and attitudes in reference to:

- New inspiration and best practices in supporting the transnational integration of diaspora;
- Citizenship, in particular active citizenship and the meaning of citizenship in relation to nationality, identity and residency;
- Identity and how identity is formed and influenced;
- Migration and the subsequent integration of communities, and what influences these processes.

The Study Visit will be conducted in English and translation will not be provided. Therefore, the participants are expected to have a good level of English, both written and spoken.

Participation in the study visit is free of charge.

Participants' profile

The target group of the study visit is youth workers actively involved in the partner organisations. Participants must also fulfil the additional criteria below:

- Be over 18 years old
- Be able to participate in the whole duration of the activity
- Be motivated to disseminate the project results and the activities
- Have a good command of English
- Work with young people with multiple cultural identities, or potential to work in the near future
- Ability to utilize the experience and knowledge from the project in their daily work

Candidates who do not fulfil the above requirements will not be considered, and hence be taken off the list.

Application and selection procedure

The nominated participants shall complete an application form on the following link:

<https://form.jotform.com/211932652407049>

Deadlines

The nominated participants should have completed the application form no later than **Monday August 23rd**. Confirmation of the participant selection will be announced by the organizer on **Tuesday August 24th**, the latest.

Within 2 *days* after the selection results are announced, participants must prove that they have purchased their tickets with a copy of the invoice and a copy of the e-ticket.

Travel Contribution

The EU contribution for the travel expenses per participant is as follows for the Study Visit:

The UK	360€
Denmark, Italy, Lithuania, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Armenia	275€
Romania, Ukraine	180€
St Martin	1500€
Moldova	20€

Participants shall be reimbursed for their travel expenses up to the amount available for their countries and no more than their real costs. The amounts have been calculated using the distance calculator of the European Commission from the location of each sending organization to the venue. Should the travel expenses exceed the contribution available, participants shall cover the extra costs from own resources.

Reimbursement of travel expenses

In order to get reimbursed for their travel expenses, participants shall send the organizer all the originals of travel documentation and invoices. The reimbursements will be made through bank transfers within 45 days after the organizer have received the original documentation by post.

Additionally, the reimbursement will be performed only if the following conditions are met:

1. Participants submit their individual participant report as requested by the European Commission through the Mobility Tool;
2. Participants and their sending organizations send the organizers proof of dissemination activities.

Insurance

The partner organizations must ensure that participants have a travel insurance covering them for the whole duration of the Study Visit.



Program

Attached to this letter is the draft program of the Study Visit. Please note that some changes in the program could potentially be made. We are happy to receive your suggestions for improvements and your contributions.

Participant's declaration

Each participant shall read carefully and agree on the Participant Declaration found with the application form. Accepting the Participant Declaration is a requirement of participation.

Contacts

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