

Training Course "Youth in Peace-Building and Reconciliation"

ACTIVITY DATE	01/12 – 10/12/2013
LOCATION	Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina
ARRIVAL DATE	01/12/2013
DEPARTURE DATE	10/12/2013
NUMBER OF WORKING DAYS	8
ORGANIZER AND HOST	South East European Youth Network

Training aims to equip young people with competencies to develop local and/or international projects that promote peace, intercultural dialog and are against violence and hate speech. Target organizations are those coming from across Europe divided communities, conflict and post conflict areas as well as regions where tensions and hate speech are increasing. The training will be led by 3 experienced Trainers from the SEEYN Pool of Trainers.

DURING THIS TRAINING, YOU WILL:

- Learn about the Concepts of Peace – peace building, peace keeping, reconciliation;
- Discuss about the Culture of war and culture of peace ;
- Gain knowledge and awareness of Hate speech, conflict and intercultural understanding – concepts, practices and tools;
- Get the chance experience the exchange of community and share your personal experience of conflict;
- Find out about Divided communities across Europe – what they are and how many we actually have?
- Expand their knowledge about Peace building in divided communities and get the real example by visiting divided communities in Bosnia and Herzegovina (Mostar and Sarajevo);
- Learn how to link and implement educational/culture and art/environmental/volunteering projects with broader aim of peace building;
- Get the introduction to Project management;
- Use the Open space for ideas and preparation of actions, initiatives or projects of participants organizations;
- Chance for Networking and follow up of the TC;
- Get support for Self reflection on learning process and evaluation.

PROFILE OF THE PARTICIPANTS:

- Age between 18 and 30 (few exceptions allowed);
- Motivated for and aware of the TC theme, aim and objectives;
- Able to work in English;
- Ready and willing to share gained knowledge and experience with the members of his/her organization and community;
- Able to actively attend and participate during entire duration of the TC, in all the sessions.

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE OF THE TC:

English.

VENUE AND LODGING:

Venue of the participant will be the city of Sarajevo in one of the hotels. Participants will be accommodated in rooms with 2 or 3 beds. Organisers will provide 3 meals and 2 coffee breaks per day. All additional meals, drinks and other personal spending, participants will cover for themselves. More information will be provided in INFOSHEET to selected participants.

TRAVEL COSTS:

- 70% of the total travel costs will be reimbursed **ONLY** for the cheapest way of transport;
- Travel costs will be **reimbursed by bank transfer to the SENDING ORGANIZATIONS, after submission of travel documents from participants' side;**
- Travel by car will be reimbursed with prior approval of organizers!
- Participants **must keep all travel documents** (tickets, gas bills, travel agency invoices and boarding passes) as organizers are able to make any reimbursement only on the bases of presented documents.

VISA COST:

100% of total visa costs will be reimbursed by bank transfer together with travel costs. Please start your visa process **as soon as possible** (this month if it is possible), it can take much more time than you expect.

REGISTRATION FORM:

We invite participants to apply for this training and fill out the application form (you can find it attachment) and send back by e-mail to voluntariat@sci-cat.org

- For EE countries until **Monday 09th of September 2013.**
- For EU and SEE countries until **Monday 30th of September 2013.**

ONLY COMPLETED registration forms will be admitted. Registration forms sent after the deadline will NOT be accepted and as the organizers, we will automatically search for another partner organization. Also, in the case that chosen participant cancel his/her presence on the Training, the sending organization is required to replace him/her as soon as possible with another member of their NGO. The participants will receive confirmation and detailed Info-sheet by Monday 14th of October 2013.

ORGANIZER AND HOST ORGANIZATION:

South East European Youth Network (SEEYN) is a network organisation involving 19 member NGOs from Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Kosovo (UNSCR1244), Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Slovenia. It is an attempt of overcoming differences among societies that have recent tradition of conflicts through bringing young people from the entire South Eastern Europe region to work together. The vision of SEEYN is to achieve a stable region with developed mutual understanding without prejudices among young people through their mobility, co-operation, and active role in society. SEEYN aims to promote pro-social values, peace and understanding through grassroots volunteer exchanges, advocacy actions and capacity building in organizations. Training Course “Youth in Peace-Building and Reconciliation” is supported by **The Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) within the Youth in Action Programme, Action 3.1.**