

International Center for Peace and Integration (ICPI)
&
Akzent Interkultura



Erasmus+ 2 stage project

"Social Entrepreneurship - Make Change Possible"

1st stage - Training Course
"Social Entrepreneurs for development"

2nd stage - Youth Exchange
"Agents of Change"





Practitioners coming from various fields working with young people with a diverse background (youth workers, youth leaders, coaches, young social entrepreneurs, employment counselors, etc.) with an interest/ experience in social entrepreneurship and entrepreneurial learning, above the age of 20, with the good level of English language and commitment to the project, coming from organizations that can:

- ✓ Act as a multiplier reproducing the tools and new knowledge that will be facilitated in the project;
- ✓ Have experience in Social Entrepreneurship OR are planning to involve;
- ✓ Have social innovative ideas that have the potential to solve a problem and create sustainable future;
- ✓ Have drive, ambition and interest to use social entrepreneurship to implement a social project.

DESCRIPTION of first STAGE:



1. TRAINING COURSE – " Social Entrepreneurs for development", 6-12 NOV, 2015/ Tbilisi, Georgia

The TC intends to **focus** on the concept of the social entrepreneurship in general with specific attention on entrepreneurial skills, leadership and management, need and problem analysis and funding and financing. Those topics will be explored in the context of youth organizations and volunteering, will be discussed the present conditions in each participant country and the best practices.

THE MAIN OBJECTIVES OF THE TC ARE:

- To empower young people raising their self-esteem and stimulating their creativity and sense of entrepreneurship;
- To identify participants' perspectives about social entrepreneurship in their own social contexts;

- To extend participants' knowledge about initiative, innovation and creativity and their effect on social work;
- To help participants to reach enterprising qualities that can be used for the public good;
- To encourage the participants to link social work and entrepreneurship as a means of working towards the public good;
- To encourage the participants to become the main actor of sustainable change within their own organization/ community;
- Develop the networking potential of partner organisations and build partnerships that would increase the understanding of the concept of social entrepreneurship and innovation.

Target group and age:

NGO members/ volunteers, young leaders, youth workers, multipliers, youth with fewer opportunities, youngsters interested in social entrepreneurship. Age – not limited.

Please select the participants according to the following criteria:

- Background and interest in the project topic
- High motivation for participation
- Personal/ educational/ work connection with the topic of the project
- NOT participants coming for honeymoon or for holidays!!! ☺

Please give the priority to the participants coming from conflict regions, refugees, IDPs, youngsters involved in the field of conflict transformation & non-violent communication, European citizenship, democracy, human rights, etc.

Here you have the link of the online participants list, please fill it as soon as you book your tickets:

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1_FtF-7b7kjDTmIbo_7Rflha9h7Eg6iioBP_L6C3dbB4/edit?usp=sharing

Working language: English. **Good English level is required!**

Special needs: Please let us know before the TC starts if you have any kind of special needs (regarding the food, allergy, etc.) through online participants list.

FB group: If you are a Facebook user, for faster communication and for getting to know each other, you can use our project group as well. Please join us following the link:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1765372523690159/>

Project costs & Reimbursement:

100% of **accommodation, food and transportation during the project** will be covered with the support of ERASMUS+.

It is necessary for participants to **have travel and health insurance (not covered by project)**.

Please, be informed that your **travel expenses** will be covered just in case if you will provide us original valid travel documents:

- ✓ All the travel tickets (bus, train, plane)
- ✓ Plane boarding passes (if you use plane)
- ✓ Invoices - for all the tickets. Please make sure to bring the invoice (fattura) for your plane tickets, where is indicated: invoice number, your name, travel details and price. (If you buy the ticket and did not get invoice from company, please write them to send you it and bring it on project. Without invoice we won't be able to reimburse the travel costs).

According to the new rules of Erasmus+, the maximum amount that we can reimburse for each representative of the country is indicated below in the table.

The travel cost reimbursement will be done after the project by bank transfer.

Number of participants & Travel cost limits per country:

Country	Promoter org.	Participants	Travel cost limit (per person, in EUR)
Germany	Akzent Interkultura	3	360
Italy	Jump In	3	530
Spain	La Vibria	3	530
Slovakia	ZK IMA PCOLKA	3	360
Bosnia	Krila nade/Wings of Hope, BiH	3	530
albania	Youth for Social Changes (Y.S.C.)	3	360
Palestine	TAGHREED NASER	3	530

How to prepare for TC:

Please, bring with you:

- Materials for promoting your organization
- A Mug to exchange

During the TC will be organized **cultural evenings** where all the countries will present their culture (dances, songs, typical food). The cultural presentation you will have to prepare together with other participants from your country. We ask you to make it interactive (involving the public): you can make a quiz, organize competitions, play typical games, teach a dance or a song, etc. Cannot be used kitchen for preparing the food, but it's possible to heat it.

If you have some questions connected with the project, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Looking forward to meet you soon in Georgia! 😊

Yours sincerely,

Project team

CONTACTS FOR ANY QUESTIONS:

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