

UKRAINE TURKEY POLAND ITALY CZECH REPUBLIC LITHUANIA

SUMMARY

Thousands of people are still flocking to Europe for search of safety and better life. However, more often than not they end up in the place that does not want to use their potential, let alone welcome them. How to avoid that? Displaced people (DP) must be integrated better keeping in mind that their potential is an opportunity to grow and advance both culturally and economically. This is also true for internally displaced (2 million in Ukraine alone). Our diverse consortium of youth NGOs believes that youth work could be the main driver of integration; thus, a project "A Million Voices" will be hosted.

The main goal of this project is to make sure that NGOs and young people are aware of the successful means of integration through youth work and understand their ability to help the DP through various (social) activities.

The objectives to reach this goal are to:

- exchange good practices of DP inclusion
- raise the qualifications and competencies of youth workers by developing new methods for DP inclusion
- help local youth learn how to communicate with DP and lower their xenophobia
- spread the main idea of the project to other NGOs and the general public

In order to achieve the project's objectives and ensure project's continuity, we will first organize a training course for youth workers in Kramatorsk, Ukraine (September 7-15, 2018, 4 participants / country aged 18-30), followed by a youth exchange in Kaunas, Lithuania (November 2018, 6 people per country, aged 18-30, including team leaders from the TC).

The project will greatly impact project participants. Among other things, they will learn, exchange and share new methods and tools for successful migrant integration through youth work; learn about the DP communities first hand; better understand how to communicate with them; learn how to organize social activities with and for migrants, as well as how to create long-term plans for DP inclusion and disseminate project results to the public. Likewise, the project would help all the participating organizations grow internationally and reach their objectives of youth development.

In the long-term, the expected impact is that more organizations would integrate displaced people into their work with youth. This would allow youngsters to develop in a diverse environment; thus, building up their tolerance. In the meanwhile, the migrants would get a chance to build up links with the locals, make friends & integrate into the society faster.

The impact would by far be the greatest in Ukraine, which at the moment lacks the means to cope with the IDP crisis it faces. That is why, there is an urgency for projects such as "A Million voices".





FINANCES&TRAVELBUDGETLIMITS

- 1) Accommodation, living and other project related expenses: 100% funded by the EU.
- 2) 100 % of the travel costs, but no more than the maximum compensation amounts given below, will be reimbursed upon presenting all necessary tickets & invoices.

Travel distances	Amount
Between 10 and 99 KM:	20 EUR per participant
Between 100 and 499 KM:	180 EUR per participant
Between 500 and 1999 KM:	275 EUR per participant
Between 2000 and 2999 KM:	360 EUR per participant
Between 3000 and 3999 KM:	530 EUR per participant
Between 4000 and 7999 KM:	820 EUR per participant
8000 KM or more:	1300 EUR per participant

Travel distances must be calculated using the distance calculator supported by the European Commisssion (https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_en).

The distance of a one-way travel must be used to calcuate the amount of the EU grant that will support the round trip.

We will reimburse the travel expenses after the mobility by bank transfer, in accordance with the Erasmus+ framework. In order to make the reimbursement, it is compulsory that you have all the necessary documents with you. If your travel costs exceed the official limits, the reimbursement will be limited to the maximum amount of travel costs allocated for each country. If you fail to provide all the necessary travel documents, we will be unable to reimburse you. For plane travel, the original documents that we need are:

- 1) Tickets and Boarding Passes
- 2) Invoice / Receipt

Keep your bus / train tickets as well! Travel by cars / taxis is not reimbursed.

MONEY

The official currency in Ukraine is **Hryvnia**. The prices in Ukraine are not high as well. You can check **cost of living** in Ukraine.

GETTING TO UKRAINE

The fastest and most secure way to reach Ukraine is by plane. The main aerodromes are in Kharkiv and Kyiv. They have direct flights to all main cities in Europe. You can reach almost any bigger city in the world with just one change of plane.

Cheap flights are always available HERE.

One more way of reaching Ukraine is by bus. It has direct routes to Germany, Poland, Italy, Belarus, Czech Republic, Latvia and other nearest countries.







TRANSPORTATION

Firstly, you should find a flight to **Kharkiv (HRK)** airport. The **arrival day is 7th of September** and the **departure day is 15th of September, 2018** (More information will be provided soon).

- Try to find a suitable option for the flights on these days. You can check & buy the international tickets **HERE**.
 - We will provide transportation from Kharkiv airport/ Kharkiv city center to the venue.
 - You can find the exact location of the venue HERE.

We strongly recommend every participant to acquire travel insurance at their own expense for the whole duration of the exchange. Also, please note that EU healthcare insurance card is not valid in Ukraine.

ACCOMODATION AND FOOD

Venue: Kramatorsk Hostel. Located at the center of Kramatorsk, near Pushkin Park.





Rooms: with 2-4 beds. Bed linen will be provided (but no hairdryer in the facility and please bring your towels). The main activity room is located 5 min (500 m) away from the venue. WiFi internet connection is available (however, might be a bit limited). Organizers will provide participants with three meals per day and coffee breaks. Food will be served at the restaurant nearby. We strongly recommend each participant to inform the ORGANIZERS about any special dietary needs in advance.

BASIC RULES

All the participants will be expected to be present and active in all the activities, unless being ill. Unauthorized absence from the activities and workshops won't be tolerated. Smoking is prohibited everywhere inside buildings, all the smokers will have to go outside or to specially designated areas for a cigarette. Any damages to the property of the hostel or the organizers will be deducted from the travel reimbursements of the ones responsible.

To really get the most out of the training course we will always start early! After socialising in the night we'll start at 9:00 in the morning with breakfast, strong coffee and some energizers!





ABOUT UKRAINE

Check the following websites to get to know more about Ukraine:

- · 25 things you didn't know about Ukraine
- · Ukraine: 11 best places to visit
- Ukraine is a patchwork of traditionsis





ADDITIONAL STAY IN UKRAINE

The hosting organization is covering the accommodation **ONLY** for the stay during the mobility. In case of earlier arrival or later departure, participants themselves must cover the accommodation. In addition, we can only cover tickets 2 days earlier or after the project date.

If you are planning to stay longer after the project or arrive earlier, please inform us before booking your ticket. Otherwise, we cannot guarantee your reimbursement. Please note any indirect routes taken for personal travel will not be reimbursed.

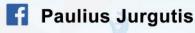
For additional days in Ukraine we suggest you to use <u>Airbnb</u> (18 EUR discount inside), <u>Booking.com</u> (12 EUR discount inside) or <u>Snap Travel</u> (10% discount inside)





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If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact us.

See you all in Kramatorsk!



