

TRABZON PROJECT / TURKEY



Project name : Voice of Diversity In Europe!

Activity status : Youth Exchanges Programme

Project date: Evolution Process

Country / City: Trabzon - Turkey

Participants age: 15-30 age / no age limit for group leader

Each country: 4 participant + 1 group leader, total: **5 participant.**

Project Reference Number: 2016-1-TR01-KA105-029854

Participants: Turkey, Malta, **Latvia**, Sweden, Croatia, Czech Republic

Project Details;

Voice of Diversity In Europe! is a project prepared under the Erasmus + Youth exchange program by Trabzon Intercultural Youth Network project team..The project will implement cooperation with Trabzon Intercultural Youth Network (Turkey), Youth In (Sweden), Evropske centrum mladeze Breclav/European Youth Centre Breclav z.s.(Czech Republic), **Donum Animus (Latvia)**, Udruga Perpetuum (Croatia) Active Youth (Malta) institution from Turkey, Malta, Sweden, Latvia, Czech Republic, Croatia, Total participants of project is 32. 4 participant + 1 group leader from each country and 6 participants and + 1 group leader from coordinator team.

- The main aims inproject; Recognize cultures in project, culture concept in Europa, social and cultural communication in Europa countries, international cooperation, entrepreneurship and active involvement, the elimination of xenophobia and prejudice, social integration of disable young people, to raise awareness about Erasmus + programmer,to introduce young actives, to share knowledge and experience and to sport personal development.

-Project activities; Presentations about cultural diversity, visit official institutions, visit young and culture center, training about entrepreneurship and inovation,to introduce National Agency and AB Erasmus+, cultural excursions, workshops, training and seminars with non-formal education methods, caricature and painting work, project exhibition, Youthpass information activities.

-Expected results; to increase communication and dialog in international area with project, to increase awareness about Erasmus+, to incrodue young activities centers and encourage for participation, to provide cultural diversty, to improve skills and experiences, the elimination of prejudices and xenophobia, to increase cultural works

Project Venue;

Trabzon is a city on the Black Sea coast of northeastern Turkey and the capital of Trabzon Province. Trabzon, located on the historical Silk Road, became a melting pot of religions, languages and culture for centuries and a trade gateway to Persia in the southeast and the Caucasus to the northeast. Trabzon is very big touristic city in the summer not that much crowded in the winter time. Trabzon is Turkey's most nice and tourist area. There are many historical places, and we will introduce to the participants. :) <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Trabzon> Some photograpns from Trabzon;

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Participation to the project;

Each partner organization will send 5 participants (4 participants and 1 group leader). **Selection of participants will be partners responsibility!** Participants age: 15-30 age / no age limit for leaders.

Accommodation;

The accommodation place was not finalized yet. So, you will receive another info pack later. probably accommodation place; <http://www.sumelaparkhotel.com> Sumela Park Hotel has got 4 star and in the center of Trabzon city.

Youthpass Certificates

All participants receive Youthpass certificates. Youthpass is a part of the European Commission's strategy to foster the recognition of non-formal learning. It is available for projects funded by Erasmus+: Youth in Action (2014-2020) As a tool to document and recognise learning outcomes, it puts policy into practice and practice into policy:

- While creating their Youthpass Certificate together with a support person, the participants of the projects have the possibility to describe what they have done in their project and which competences they have acquired. Thus, Youthpass supports the reflection upon the personal non-formal learning process and outcomes.
- Being a Europe-wide validation instrument for non-formal learning in the youth field, Youthpass contributes to strengthening the social recognition of youth work.
- Describing the added value of the project, Youthpass supports active European citizenship of young people and of youth workers. - Youthpass also aims at supporting the employability of young people and of youth workers by documenting the acquisition of key competences on a certificate.



NOTE:

- The Project will be carried out in TURKEY / TRABZON.
- We will provide you during the activities internet, too.
- Please if you have notebook (laptop), Tablet PC...etc please bring it for use on project.(Optional)
- We will meet you from the bus station. Please do not have any hesitation on this matter.
- As you know, there will be a intercultural night. We advise you take with you something special to your country and city, such as traditional clothes, foods or drinks.
- Please activate your phone for calls abroad.
- You can find exchange office in all airport. Please take turkish money for transportation etc. Average 1 euro = 3,5 Turkish lira
- As you know and depending on the decision taken by European Commission all the expenses for foods and accommodation will be paid by us.

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- Allow the participants to travel together. please, buy plane tickets on the same flight. **(It is strongly recommended).**
- Please remember to bring your personal belongings. (towels, slippers, clothes etc)
- All of the participants must bring their boarding cards, bus tickets, train tickets and such like papers completely and orderly to make easy the payback. All original tickets and boardingpasses (train, plane, bus etc.) must be to bring .
- Project working language will be English, for communications please prefer the people competent in English
- This is our facebook group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/176197346186903> please add all the participants. thus we can meet before the Project.

Trabzon Intercultural Youth Network

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Regards from Trabzon / TURKEY.