



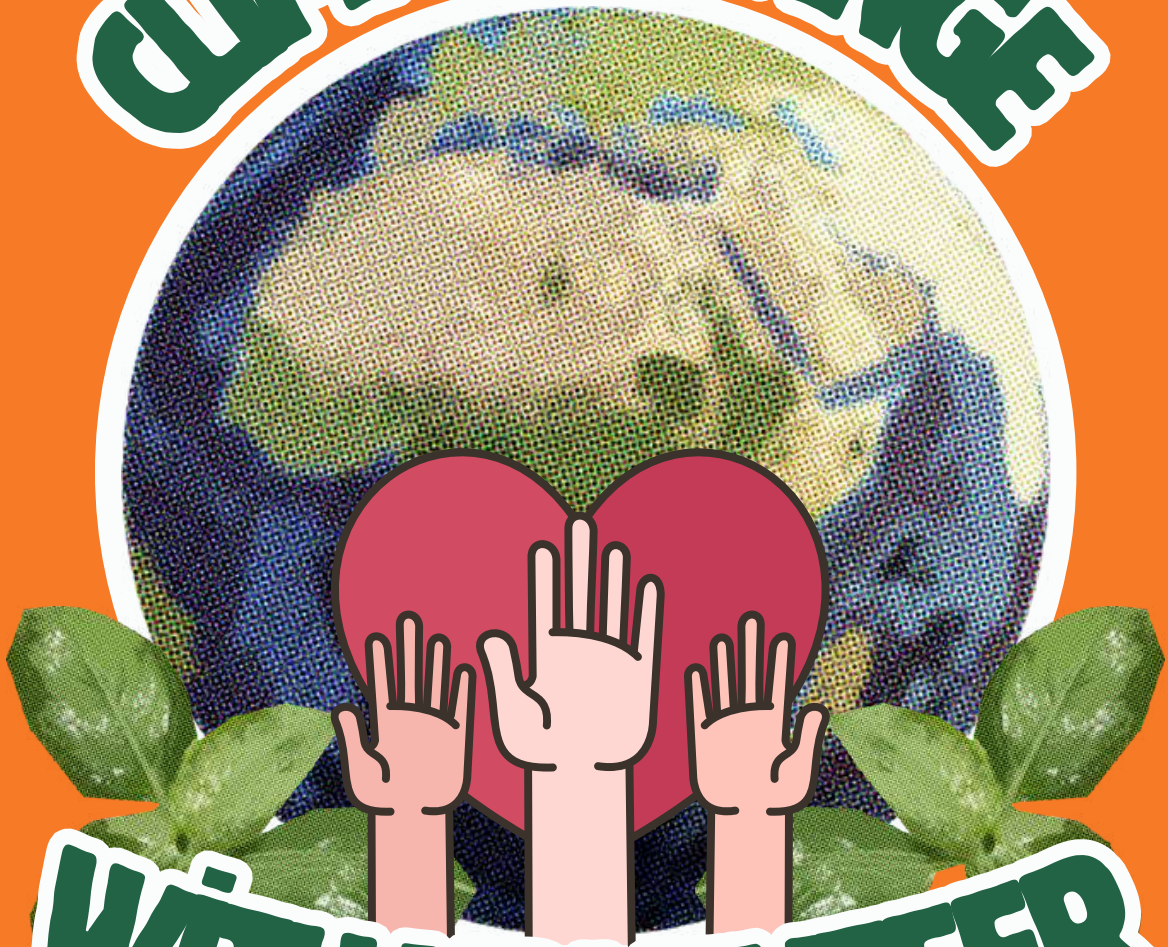
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# FIGHT AGAINST TO CLIMATE CHANGE



# WITH VOLUNTEER

YOUTH  
WORKERS  
MOBILITY

1-6 SEPTEMBER  
2025  
ESKİŞEHİR,  
TURKEY



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# ABOUT THE PROJECT

The training course will take place from **1-6 September 2025** in **Eskisehir, Turkey** by bringing together 24 **participants** from the **Turkiye, Portugal, Lithuania, Austria, Romania, Slovenia**.

In this project, which will be a preliminary step for non-governmental organisations to act together with volunteer youth in natural disasters caused by climate change, to increase their crisis management skills and to start a volunteering movement against climate change, we will spend a project process full of brainstorming, workshops and activities with youth workers.



## OBJECTIVES

1

Raising awareness of youth workers about the impact of climate change on disadvantaged individuals.

2

Developing ideas on how to involve young volunteers in coping with the impacts of climate change.

3

Preparing young volunteers and youth workers for disasters and risk situations.

4

Strengthening the capacity of civil society organisations against the impacts of climate change.

5

To equip young volunteers and youth workers with humanitarian and organisational skills in response to disasters.

# WORKSHOPS & ACTIVITIES

Various activities based on non-formal education methodology will be carried out during the programme. During the project, workshops will be organised where participants will gain skills such as the effects of natural disasters caused by climate change, acting together with volunteer youth in crisis situations they create, and gaining crisis management skills.



Specifically, the aforementioned NFE methods will be applied in the program, namely getting to know each other and team building activities, city game, theory-oriented sessions, brainstorming, world cafe, role plays, forum theatre, simulation game, small group discussions, Open Space Technology, study visit and reflection activities.

In order to get a general understanding of the topic, the participants will work in small groups and try to find the types, reasons, and impacts of climate change. A simulation game will be followed for understanding the role of volunteers in our societies and how to fight against to climate change impact.



Sharing experiences and best practices will be done with the method of Open Space Technology where participants will share the tools and methods they use while working with young people with volunteering backgrounds. Based on the knowledge and shared tools, the participants will elaborate a Recommendation paper and ToolKit with the purpose to disseminate it among other youth workers and assist them in their youth work with young volunteer.



**All we seek is CREATIVE BOOST! Do you want to learn about how youth workers work with volunteer? All participants will share their knowledge and ideas, which will make it for the final output: Recommendation paper and ToolKit!**

# GENERAL INFORMATION



A total of 12 **youth workers** and 12 **fewer opportunities people** from 6 **countries** will participate in this project



One criteria in determining the participants will be a **gender balance**, and partners will be supported in achieving this balance.



## Criteria:

- Over 18 years of age
- Those authorised by the organisation to make decisions in the context of the establishment of sustainable partnerships.
- Speaking English
- Encouraging the participation of participants with fewer opportunities

## PARTICIPANTS PROFILE

**# of participants:** The project is designed as Youth Workers' Mobility and is aimed at people who work or are planning to work in the field of climate change impact and natural disasters.

24 participants will be involved, 2 youth workers and 2 participants with fewer opportunities from each country.

Age of the youth worker participants: 23-40.

Participants with fewer opportunities: 18 years and older

Gender: Gender balance will be a criterion for the selection of participants and partners will be supported to achieve this balance. At least 1 female participant will be requested from each organisation and female participant candidates will be prioritised.

**Participants background:** All of our participants, whom we plan to be included in our project within the scope of the project, are expected to be youth workers who work in the field of climate change impact and natural disasters or represent organizations that plan to work.

**Participants with fewer opportunities:** It is a project of the Erasmus+ programme in which participants with fewer opportunities can be involved. We value the participation of participants with fewer opportunities who have a previous volunteering history

## HOW TO APPLY?







For applying, you need to fill the following form:

<https://forms.gle/k82CMBBabJ9AHHMf7>



# Timeframe of the project

## PARTNERS + TRAVEL BUDGET

ORGANIZATION	COUNTRY	TRAVEL BUDGET PER PERSON
Odunpazarı Social Assistance And Solidarity Foundation <i>Coordinator</i>		0 EURO
ASOCIATIA DEMETRIUS		309 EURO
ZNANSTVENO-RAZISKOVALNO ZDRUZENJE ZA UMETNOST, KULTURNE IN IZOBRAZEVALNE PROGRAME IN TEHNOLOGIJO EPEKA, SOCIALNO PODJETJE		395 EURO
Associação Ramifica		1 188,00 EURO
Centrines Europos tribuna		309 EURO
SEE Oesterreich		309 EURO

The travel expenses will be reimbursed according to the travel limits defined by the Erasmus+ Programme (Distance Calculator). Accommodation, travel, and food will be covered by the program. Most importantly, travel reimbursements will be done during the mobility, of the all documents are provided! after the submission of all the original travel documents. Reimbursements will be done by cash so as to assure having the travel documents like boarding passes, bus, and train tickets. Keep all of them: original and photo! Please remember that tax and business class flight tickets will not be reimbursed, what the travel cost includes Economic class flight tickets -Train tickets -Bus tickets **Detailed instructions for reimbursement will be explained during the activity. All tickets must be confirmed by the coordinator, especially your return tickets, if not booked before the project; they must be purchased in consultation with the coordinator. In case of ignoring this rule, the organizer reserves the right not to grant a refund of travel expenses.** The tickets are ought to be sent to mail: [project.osydv@gmail.com](mailto:project.osydv@gmail.com)

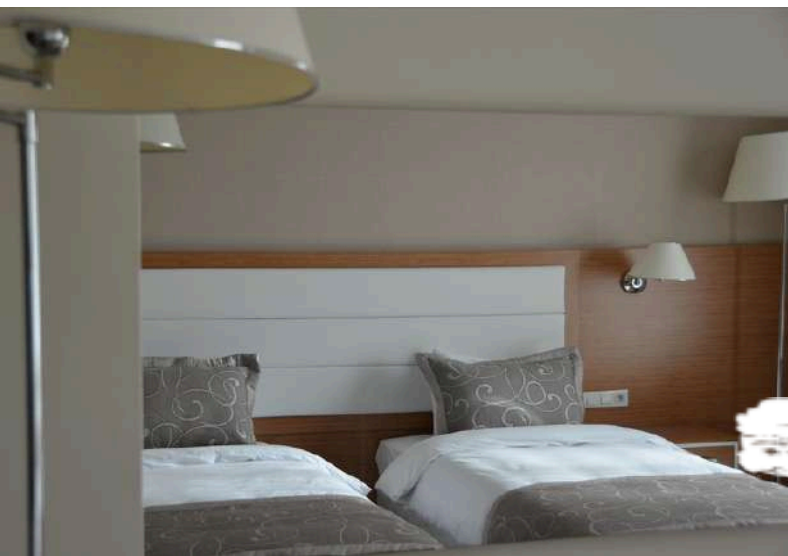
# ACCOMMODATION

Participants will be gathered at **\*Esogü Hotel\***. The accommodation type is a hotel. Participants will share a bedroom with individual beds and a private bathroom. The rooms are for 3/4 people.

There are hairdryers and towels in each room. The room will be mixed from different countries. Other services provided on-site are free Wifi. You can check the official website of the accommodation for more information click here: <https://otel.ogu.edu.tr/>

The accommodation and food (breakfast, lunch, and dinner), and 2 coffee breaks are %100 covered by Erasmus+ Programme, between **september 1-6 2025**. Additionally, on arrival day there will be only dinner, and on departure day there will be only breakfast. It is possible If any participant wants to stay longer in Turkey. Don't forget your travel days +2 days. All costs related to the extra days (for food, accommodation, trips, local transportation, or other types of costs that were not made for the project) must be covered by the participant himself/herself.

**\*Please note that it is still subject to change, arrangements are ongoing. In any case, it will be a similar option with in a similar standard.**





# THE VENUE PLACE: Eskişehir

Eskişehir is a city in northwestern **Turkey** and it is located on the banks of the Porsuk River. It is mainly divided into two districts: **Odunpazarı** and **Tepebaşı**, a combination of history and ancient places with new constructions. The city is well known for being full of cafés, bars, and parks for all tastes and times of the day. It is also known as being an intercultural city and it hosts students from all around the country and the world...



It's the most important university city in Turkey

The city is full of places for young people to enjoy: parks, pubs... It stays always alive!

Its channels remind to the ones in Venice, here you can also go on a Gondola!

The city is famous for its music and dance festivals in the streets

Eskişehir is well known for being the most functional city in terms of facilities and the fastest in Turkey.





## TRAVEL DETAILS

Only travel costs that have been approved by organizers prior to booking will be reimbursed. Hence, do not buy any tickets without consulting your sending organization first. **We will help you to find the most suitable and easiest option for you all.**

Flight tickets should be always accompanied by the **boarding passes** when requesting travel reimbursement. For eco-friendliness, please try to buy all your tickets online whenever possible, and **keep all the original invoices**. If it's on paper, keep the original and scan it in case of loss.

Eskisehir counts with its own working airport: you can check if there is any connection between your country and another one flying directly to the city.

Other Airport alternatives are Istanbul (IST & SAW) and Ankara.

We will explain the ways to get from there to the venue to selected participants, but there are direct bus from these airports to the venue.



## HEALTH RECOMMENDATIONS

It is mandatory to have **health insurance** valid in Turkey during the period of stay, for any emergency, accident, or civil responsibility.- The health insurance cost is not subject to refund, but there are many options in every country, you can consult with your medical center (sometimes also house insurance includes travel ones)

**Bring always your own medicines** as our team cannot prescribe any medical treatment, only supplies from the **first aid kit**.



**RECOMMENDED**

## TO HAVE IN MIND

It is a training course, not a trip or touristic event. Participants are required to sign **Liability and Learning Agreement** documents. These documents will also be sent to those whose participation is confirmed. **Workshops will be shared and all countries take responsibility** during the project.

Everybody should bring some **materials for the intercultural night** representing your culture/country and work for the presentation together with the team as well.

We will like to promote **respect for the environment and its resources**: bring your cup, try to turn off lights when not using them, avoid the use of paper in the workshop if possible, etc.

Pack the digital devices useful for the development of the activities: laptop, iPad, phone, camera... They are a good tool to develop art and informal learning!

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION FOR TURKEY

+90 is the national number prefix

The currency is the **Turkish Lira** (1 Euro is around 40 TRY)

112 is the emergency number

IN TURKEY...

### WEATHER

Temperature in Eskisehir is cold, in the nights is a little bit colder. Weather conditions in the city oscillate during the day. But we are always ready for surprises, you should be ready too.

Hello- **Merhaba**

How are you?- **Nasılsın?**

Thank you- **Teşekkürler**

Where?- **Nerede?**

How much?- **Ne kadar?**

Here/there- **Burda/orda**

This- **Bu**

Yes- **Evet**

No- **Hayır**

BASIC WORDS IN TURKISH



# OTHER CONDITIONS

- ▶ Part c pants cannot come later or go before the activity days. The travel days allowed are 2 days before or 2 days after the project date. We would like to see
- ▶ optimistic and active participants in the activities! Participants should take the
- ▶ own responsibility for attending the activities on time and being respectful to
- ▶ the rest of their mates.
  
- ▶ Adaptability is very important, you are coming to a different country and meeting people from other cultures: food, conditions, or behaviors may be different but enjoyed and respected.
  
- ▶ Dissemination actions and sharing about the experience are requested to participants and very appreciated for accomplishing some of the aims of the program.

## WHAT TO BRING?

- Clothes suitable for the weather
- Your digital devices (phone, camera, tablet...)
- Personal hygiene supplies (shampoo, toothbrush, etc.)
- Medicines according to your health and needs
- Materials for the intercultural night: food, any kind of traditional clothes or national speciality..
- Your cup for avoiding plastic waste



# ACTIVITY TABLE

We will share the whatsapp group to see the agenda...

Still not sure? Come and be part of it...



Our intercultural environment and international friendships



Together learning and self-growth



Turkish cultural, gastronomic, artistic experience



Funny events such as intercultural nights, parties and gathering

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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**SEE YOU SOON OVER HERE! :)**