

Young European Federalists - Training

Skopje, Macedonia | 16-23 September 2013

Organised by JEF Europe and JEF Macedonia the **“Training for trainers for political youth work”** will take place in Skopje from 16-23 September, 2013

On Issues regarding EU integration and promotion of European citizenship, political youth work is the needed link between the policy and practice of youth work.

About the training

“Training trainers for Political youth work” is directly fostering the development of a sense of ownership of the European Union among the young people. By introducing a new generation of political youth work trainers on the topic of Europe the training directly raises European awareness. The theme of the training is to provide a space for sharing and developing new concepts of political youth work as the basic precondition for youth participation and European citizenship processes. It addresses youth workers and leaders working in a different cultural and social environment facing the same challenge. The political youth work aims at building capacity youth organizations and youth leaders to work on the dimension of Europe with young people, through which they can encourage debate and confrontation of young people on the topics of Europe, citizenship, mobility, participation and enlargement. It is opening doors to youth policy, by enabling young people to present their ideas and actively work on translating them into policies

How will we work?

The training team will be developing the educational approach based on the objectives of the project while the programme of the activity will be implemented using the methods of non-formal education and the training method is based on learning by experience. Participants are invited to identify their needs for themselves at that moment in the learning process, what they want to learn and how they want to develop them. It is focused on the experience of the individual and it is connected to the specific needs and the level of learning of the participant at that moment.

To apply follow the link [here!](#) – **Deadline: 18th of August**

The training is for 36 participants coming from: Macedonia, Belgium, Serbia, Kosovo, Albania, Croatia, Montenegro, Sweden, and Turkey. (4 from each country)

Participation fee (which includes 7 nights in hotel with meals from 16 September dinner to 23 September lunch): €50 for JEF-members and €70 for non-members which will have to be paid via bank transfer within one week after the confirmation of selection (this also applies for participants outside of the SEPA area).

Please **don't book your tickets or pay your participation fee before you receive a confirmation e-mail of your selection)*

Travel reimbursement: 70% of travel costs up to a maximum of: (see index below)

For more information feel free to contact us at info@jef.eu

Travel reimbursement

Maximum reimbursement per country	
Macedonia	15 €
Belgium	300 €
Serbia	50 €
Kosovo	20 €
Albania	50 €
Croatia	90 €
Montenegro	60 €
Sweden	300 €
Turkey	250 €

Agenda

16/9/2013	17/9/2013	18/9/2013	19/9/2013	20/9/2013	21/9/2013	22/9/2013	23/9/2013
	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
Arrival of participants	What is political youth work?	Citizenship: Theories and practices	Political youth work based on diversity of learning styles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Political youth work for feedback purposes - Assessing policy objectives 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Quality assurance in youth work in Europe - Self-assessment vs. external expertise 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - European portfolio of youth workers - What is a trainer? Recognition of non-formal education 	Evaluation of the course
Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Introduction to the training course - Expectations contributions - Team building 	Political youth work practice	Participation tool fair	Intercultural political youth work	Political youth work contributing for policy development	Organized visit to Skopje	Networking and support-establishing peers	Departure of participants
Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	