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Training Course

# Green Up Development - TC3



28th of July - 7th of August

Sremski Karlovci, Serbia

Co-organised by:

## DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT

The program is a multi-day event focusing on raising awareness about crucial environmental topics such as pollution, climate change, recycling, and sustainable development. During this 9-day training, you will learn the basics of audio-visual production and digital storytelling. You'll gain hands-on experience and create impactful content that can inspire your peers and drive positive change in your community.

### What You'll Gain:

- **Technical Skills:** Learn the basics of video production, including scripting, storyboarding, filming, and editing in Premiere Pro.
- **Storytelling:** Discover how to craft compelling narratives that resonate with audiences.
- **Environmental Advocacy:** Use your new skills to highlight environmental issues and promote sustainable practices.
- **Collaboration and Teamwork:** Work with like-minded peers from different countries, sharing ideas and creating together.
- **Networking Opportunities:** Connect with a network of young environmental advocates and industry professionals.
- **Project Funding:** Gain the opportunity to receive funding for your own local environmental project.

The project will gather 18 young people, three participants from each country, joined by the Res Polis staff and an experienced trainer.

### Sending organisations:

ACTIVE Austria (Austria)

Active Youth Institute (Lithuania)

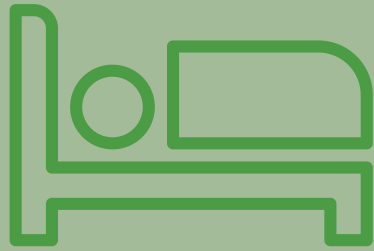
BORAKIA Rural (Croatia)

SFERA International (N. Macedonia)

Sustainable Development Association (Türkiye)

# AGENDA

DAY 1	AM	<b>ARRIVAL DAY</b>
	PM	<i>Dinner*</i>
DAY 2	AM	<b>Introduction &amp; Team Building</b>
	PM	<b>Youth Pass // Video as a dominant medium (intro)</b>
DAY 3	AM	<b>Brainstorming the ideas</b>
	PM	<b>Storyboard</b>
DAY 4	AM	<b>Production theory</b>
	PM	<b>Movie Production (hands-on)</b>
DAY 5	AM	<b>Movie production (pt. 2)</b>
	PM	<b>Movie production (cont'd)</b>
DAY 6	AM	<b>Movie Production (wrapping up)</b>
	PM	<b>Editing</b>
DAY 7	AM	<b>Editing in Premiere Pro and workflow organisation</b>
	PM	<b>Study Visit in the city</b>
DAY 8	AM	<b>Editing raw-cut // Transitions</b>
	PM	<b>Video Effects // Colour</b>
DAY 9	AM	<b>Smoothing out the Project</b>
	PM	<b>Editing the Final Cut</b>
DAY 10	AM	<b>(Some more) editing...</b>
	PM	<b>Movie projection // Farewell evening</b>
DAY 11	AM	<b>DEPARTURES</b>
	PM	



## VENUE AND ACCOMMODATION

ECO CENTRE RADULOVAČKI  
Mitropolita Stratimirovića 5,  
Sremski Karlovci 21205



The three meals will be provided during the TC with additional two coffee breaks. Don't forget to leave your food preferences once contacted by our partners or in the application form.



Sremski Karlovci, a charming town nestled on the banks of the Danube River, offers the perfect backdrop for any green project and will immensely enhance your experience. Known for its rich history, stunning architecture, and vibrant cultural scene, Sremski Karlovci is an “unhidden” gem in Serbia that will inspire creativity and reflection. The surrounding Fruška Gora National Park provides ample opportunities for hiking, bird-watching, and immersing yourself in nature. The serene landscapes and the tranquil river views offer a peaceful retreat, perfect for creative inspiration. This picturesque town boasts a unique blend of Baroque and Neoclassical architecture, with landmarks such as the Patriarchal Palace, the Church of St. Nicholas, and the Four Lions Fountain. Each corner of Sremski Karlovci tells a story of its eventful past, making it an ideal setting for learning the art of digital storytelling. During your time in Sremski Karlovci, you'll experience a warm and welcoming community. The town's friendly residents are eager to share their traditions and stories, providing a rich cultural exchange.





Novi Sad, a city brimming with captivating attractions, promises participants a rewarding experience beyond the program's activities. The iconic Petrovaradin Fortress, with its stunning views of the Danube River, serves as a historical landmark and cultural hub, hosting various events and festivals. The city's vibrant pedestrian zones, lined with cafes, shops, and galleries, invite leisurely exploration and interactions with the local community. Participants can delve into Novi Sad's cultural scene by visiting the Serbian National Theatre or exploring museums like the Museum of Vojvodina. A leisurely stroll along the charming Dunavska Street reveals the charming architecture and local flavours. Additionally, the city's progressive approach to sustainable urban development aligns perfectly with the program's aims, fostering an atmosphere conducive to learning about green skills, ecological awareness, and the benefits of cycling.



## HOW TO GET TO THE VENUE

If you travel to Serbia by plane:

You'll arrive at the Nikola Tesla International Airport (BEG).

From the airport, you can reach the city either by taking local transportation (bus 72 or bus 600) or a taxi. The bus tickets cost 50 RSD + SMS tax (which sometimes doesn't work for foreign numbers). As for the taxi, you'll need to take a voucher at the airport taxi service, near the exit (otherwise, unofficial taxis might try to take a lot more than the regular price so pay attention – instead of paying a fortune).

Both buses have the same starting point just outside the airport, on the left, when you exit Terminal 2. The 72 bus will go directly to “Zeleni Venac” near the Bus Station, so you can take off there and walk 5 minutes to the Belgrade Bus Station, where you can find the intercity bus to Novi Sad (there's one every 30 minutes). This is for those who would like to see the capital if you arrive quite early.

Alternatively, you can take a 600 bus, which will take you directly to Belgrade Center Railway Station “Prokop”. From there, you can either take a new intercity train, “Soko”, or ‘Falcon’ in English and be in Novi Sad in some 30 minutes if you would like to see the city first. Or you can take a ‘regio’ train and exit at the Sremski Karlovci train station directly, which is two stops before Novi Sad. It's a ten-minute walk (link) to the venue.

If you've reached Novi Sad first, follow the further guidelines.

If you arrive directly to Novi Sad by bus or have just arrived from Belgrade by intercity train/bus:

The best way to reach the venue is to take local bus 61 or 62, which leaves from the Bus Station terminal (right next to the train station). It's a 30-minute bumpy ride, but much greener and cheaper. Step off in Sremski Karlovci at the bus stop near the petrol station, which is only 300 m from the venue. You can follow the directions via the Maps link [here](#). The ticket costs 180 RSD, and only cash is accepted.

Alternatively, you could take a taxi and share the costs if that suits you better. There are specific taxi operators that we can recommend if you reach out to us in a timely manner.



CONTACT US

If you need any clarification or have any questions whatsoever, do not hesitate to contact Mihajlo, our Project Coordinator, via [mihajlo.matkovic@respolis.org](mailto:mihajlo.matkovic@respolis.org) or +381 60 56 73 760.



## USEFUL TIPS AND IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- You will stay in 'twin' rooms with a shared bathroom;
- One large towel, bed sheets and linen will be provided;
- Hair dryer will be available at the venue;
- Keep and bring all paper tickets and invoices (that you do not have in electronic form);
- Bring comfy clothes prepared for sizzling weather, and make sure to have sunscreen with you;
- Make sure you have health and travel insurance;
- Keep an ID card/passport with you at all times in the city;
- Bring a reusable water bottle so we can reduce plastic usage;

**IMPORTANT:** Zero misbehaviour will be tolerated, such as alcohol or substance abuse or absence from the programme as its direct effects or any other reason not legitimate and communicated to the host in advance.

Some useful links:

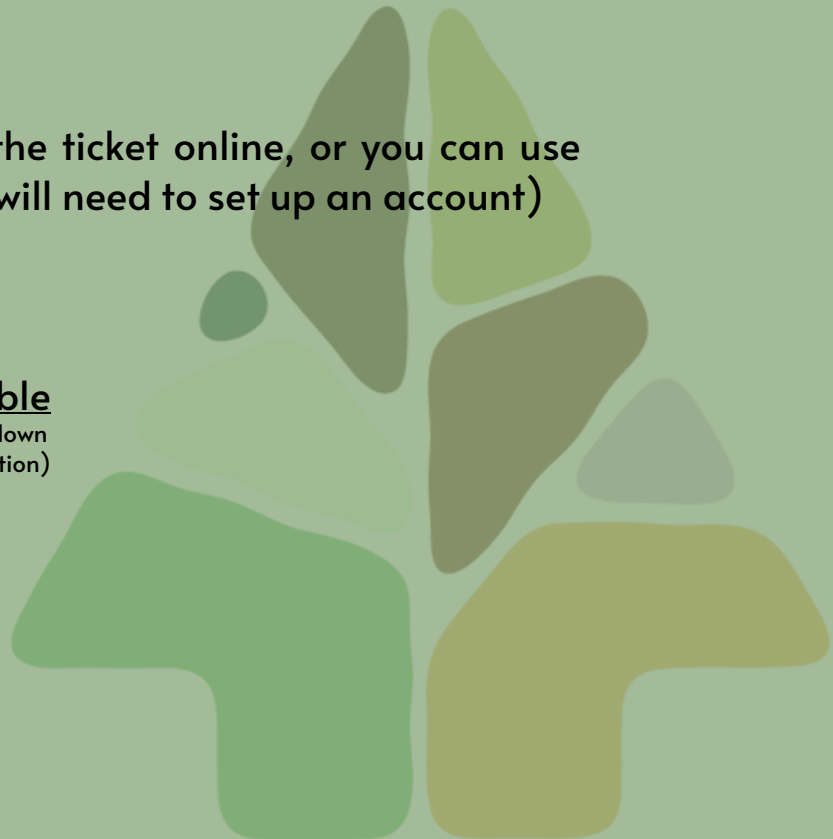
[Belgrade Bus Station](#)

[Serbia Train](#) (you can purchase the ticket online, or you can use their app, and in both cases, you will need to set up an account)

[Novi Sad Bus Station](#)

[Novi Sad Public Transport Timetable](#)

(the date will be set automatically, and from the drop-down menu, choose both 61 and 62 if this is your preferred option)

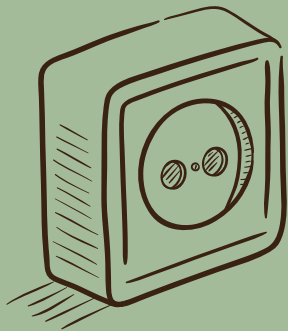


## Currency:

The domestic currency is the **Serbian dinar (RSD)**. The exchange rate for 1 € is approximately 117,00 RSD.

You can exchange foreign currency in exchange offices and banks in the city and at the airport/bus station. Be aware that it might be difficult to exchange coins here, so bring paper bills instead. Credit cards are also an option, but you'd have to ask in advance, just in case, as some shops in smaller places might be less modernised.

There is no significant difference in the exchange rates, except at the airport, hotels or gasoline stations, but it is not as noticeable for normal amounts of money.



## Electricity:

220 V, 50 Hz

2 pin plugs are used throughout the country.

## Emergency numbers:

Police – 192

Fire department – 193

Ambulance – 194



## Sim card information:

Price ranging from 300 RSD to 700 RSD for 5GB - 15GB of data depending on the provider, available at any kiosk shop.

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