

ABOUT US

The *Trip Trop Team* is an informal group of young people living in Puglia (in the South-East of Italy) concerned about youth issues in their region and keen on improving their intercultural European dimension. Read more about the history of the group in our official SALTO profile.



PROJECT SUMMARY

In this specific historical period, many young people still have serious difficulty in relating to the labour market and youth unemployment is an issue that urgently needs to be tackled. This project aims to inform and empower young people, by offering them new perspectives and tools through the means of non-formal education, in order to increase their sense of initiative thus facilitating their integration into working life and improving the quality of work. Our objectives are the following:

- To increase self-knowledge and self-confidence in order to allow an effective personal and professional development.
- To develop key competences in young people to increase their level of employability and their chances to find a job.
- To stimulate the sense of initiative, creativity and entrepreneurial skills in young participants.
- To promote and develop innovative ideas and share best practices between young people from different European countries.
- To develop and enhance the intercultural dimension and European young participants.
- To increase the personal Soft Skills luggage and the ability to thinking outside the box to acquire competences that are useful throughout the whole lifetime.

The main activity will consist in a Youth Exchange in which 30 young people from 5 different countries will meet and work together towards the goals of the project.

PARTICIPANTS' PROFILE

We need a gender balanced group of 5 participants aged 20-25, plus 1 group leader (18+) in your organisation. We also aim to include people with fewer opportunities, specifically those ones with Geographical and Social obstacles: ideally, in each national group there should be at least 1-2 young people facing these kind of difficulties (but you can also have more).



The most important thing is that all of the participants are interested in the project topic and highly motivated to be actively involved into all the activities, including the dissemination of results.

PARTICIPANTS' SELECTION

Every partner organisation will be in charge of selecting its own candidates. As the hosting group, we might provide help in the selection process, if needed.

You can use your own methods to choose your participants, as long as you make sure to take into account the participants' profile we asked for.

VENUES & PLANNED DATES

(Please consider that our planned dates are still flexible, to a small extent)



- → Youth Exchange in the end of September 2017
 - ➢ 5 participant + 1 leader from 5 countries
 - Planned Dates: 21-30 Sept 2017
 - > **Duration**: 10 days (incl. travel days)
 - Venue: <u>Apulia</u> or <u>Basilicata</u>
- → APV in the end of June 2017
 - ➤ 1 Group Leader from each Partner
 - Planned Dates: 28-29 June 2017
 - Duration: 2 days (excl. travel days)
 - Venue: <u>Altamura</u> (BA), <u>Apulia</u>, Italy



PARTNERSHIP

If you are interested in co-operating with us for the success of this project, please fill in the Partner Identification Form at the following link: <u>https://goo.gl/forms/zbyOKeILAP77YnN42</u>. The deadline for submitting your application is set for 23th December 2016.

CONTACT DETAILS



Dear partners,

My name is Michele Nuzzolese and I am the coordinator of this project. In case you have any question, do not hesitate to contact me at <u>triptropteam@gmail.com</u>.

Kind Regards, Michele.