

"Realities and Horizons"

ERASMUS+ KA1 Mobility of Youth Workers TC 22th -29th January 2018

Isparta/Turkey

GENERAL INFO SHEET

Summary of the Project

Social gender equality is a fundamental principle of democracy and is one of the prerequisites of sustainable development. It is a reality that the path of strengthening society dynamics pass through to ensure more equal rights for men and women. At the European level, although there have been many improvements on women's social and economic rights, it is clear that gender equality is still not at desired level. Settled opinions and cultural understandings about opposite sexes in society are the important obstacles in front of achieving gender equality.

This Erasmus+ KA1 Mobility for Youth Workers project will gather 34 youth workers from programme countries. The 7 days of activity will be implemented in Isparta/Turkey. Participants of the project will be the youth workers active in youth field and having the economic, social and geographical disadvantages will be the main criterias for the participants' selection. In the project the participants will be able to identify the extent of the gender inequality in society and also experience a deeper level of understanding through cross cultural exchange. They will discuss about how to satisfy gender equality in EU, focusing on the opportunities for young people and sharing best practices. We will analyze the situation of each participants' country and will present some local best practices in order to share and establish new project ideas. During workshops; participants will develop a greater awareness of the gender roles and the existing cultural understandings about men and women. In group works; they will experience working as teams and during the dramas and simulations; they will have opportunity to see the events from the opposite sex's point of view. This project will enable participants to demonstrate their countries' culture and conditions of gender by using the presentations and exhibitions. Furthermore it will make contributions for young people to be open minded, to respect each other and opposite sex, to discover different cultural and social realities, to provide mutual learning and to strengthen the identity of European Citizenship

Participating Countries

Please, note that these are the maximum prices. You are not paid more.

We would like to inform you that our project has started officially. It means you can decide on the participants and they can book their flight tickets.

Country	Maximum travel cost 100% for 1 person (economy class plane, train, bus included!!) starting from your house till the venue in Isparta
Lithuania	275 x5 participants
Croatia	275 x5 participants
Italy	275 x5 participants
Macedonia	275 x5 participants
Romania	275 x5 participants

IMPORTANT POINTS

- 1. The tickets have to be from economical class.
- 2. Please keep your travel invoices, tickets and boarding passes. We need them in order to pay travel expenses. Flight travel without ticket and boarding passes and other travels without tickets cannot be reimbursed.
- 3. Accommodation and food expenses will be totally covered by the project.
- 4. Please find participants and organize them until 07th of December 2017. We need participant forms until this date.
- 5. You can come to Turkey max.4 days before the activity starting date and leave max. 4 days after the activity finishing day. Please book your tickets accordingly.
- 6. Participants must be over 18 years old but There is no upper age limit
- 7. We are planning to organise one day excursion to Antalya, during the activity. The excursion costs 25 Euro for each participant. Participants are free to attend or not to the trip. Cost of excursion will be cut from travel expenses of participants.

Venue of the Activity

Isparta – Eğirdir / Turkey

Activity Date

Arrival: 22th of January 2018 **Departure: 29**th of January 2018

Accommodation

Nafiz Yurekli Anadolu Otelcilik Ve Turizm Meslek Lisesi

Adress

Homework

In the activity we have planned to have your contributions too. This project is about the unemployment problem.

1) So we want to learn the situation about realities ,statistics, problems in your country about the gender issue. Such as Gender Roles in Media, Women in Business, Education, Politics, Violence Aginst Women etc.

<u>Please prepare a presentation (powerpoint or poster) about that subject in your country.</u> It is maximum 10 minutes for each country.

- 2) For the cultural night you can bring short movies about your country.
- 3) If you have any brillant, funny and effective ways, instruments or activities to make contribution to our activity, you will be welcome to show these.

WHAT TO BRING?

- sport shoes (for small outdoor activities to refresh our brains)
- leisure clothing
- personal care items [toothbrush, shower items, ...]
- typical food and/or drinks from your country or region
- materials to present your organization to the other participants [posters, flyers, etc.]
- ID and passport
- some cash for drinks & personal expenses
- some music for the evenings
- lots of inspiration
- no need to bring bath towel it will be supplied by the hotel

During the program, there will also be an **intercultural moment**. If you have some traditional dances or music you can bring it with you to make this intercultural evening unforgettable.

HOW TO REACH ISPARTA

To reach to Venue place, you have 3 alternative airports.

1) Isparta Sülevman Demirel Airport

*It is a domestic airport and there are flights from only Istanbul Atatürk Airport. If you find a flight on your travelling day you can directly come to Isparta airport. To search flights from Istanbul to Isparta airport please check the link below:

https://p.turkishairlines.com/en-tr/

*After you arrive at the airport take a shuttle to City Centre (drop off at the Bus Station to take another bus to Eğirdir.

2) Istanbul Airport (Ataturk Airport) (Sabiha Gokcen airport mostly domestic airport)

- *There are two airports in Istanbul if you choose coming from Istanbul to Isparta by bus we recommend you to take Ataturk Airport because it is very easy to reach at bus terminal.
- *If you land on Atatürk Airport and you want to come Antalya by plane, You have to take a plane from Ataturk airport. You can find domestic flight from Ataturk airport. Dont choose Sabiha Gokcen Airport. Because it is very far away from Sabiha Gokcen airport to Ataturk Airport.)
- *To come from Atatürk airport to bus terminal there is an Underground Train(Metro) at the down stairs of the airport. Take on the train (0.5 Euro) and take off at the Esenler Bus Terminal. Bus price from Istanbul to Isparta is about 25 Euro. It takes about 8 hours.

3)Antalva airport(AYT)

- *Antalya to Isparta is about 110 kms.
- *From Antalya airport you take a service bus to Bus Terminal(about 5 or 6 Euro) Then at Bus Terminal you take a bus to preferably Eğirdir/. If you can not find a bus to Eğirdir you can buy your ticket to Isparta city center. (About 7,5 Euro). It takes about 2,5 hours.

If you have any question with the travel arrangements please do not hesitate to contact R. Cem GÖK Mobile: 00905056512471 cgok2005@yahoo.com

Weather in Isparta

You can check the actual weather in Isparta and the forecast on; http://www.weathercity.com/tr/ip/isparta/

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