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Youth Exchange Project

Summary of the project:

This project will bring 35 young people from 6 different countries to reveal the latest up-to-date EU initiatives for technological advancement. The participants will share information, teach each other and improve various competences related to technology.

The project will start by a technological **black-out**, a challenge called 'Back to roots' where participants will practice old school social games for 24 hours without the use of any technological gadgets. The challenge will provide participants with an overview of life without the use of modern technology and create the link towards understanding the importance of technology in our modern society.

The next phase of the project will focus on revealing the initiatives under 'The digital single market EU strategy' through various non-formal workshops prepared by participants themselves. Throughout the workshops, the participants will acquire useful information, discuss, brainstorm and reflect on the possibilities offered by each of these priorities. The group will be presented with the curve of technological development within the last 100 years, digital skills and jobs, e-health and telemedicine, online trust and security and the general data protection regulation, eCall and smart cars.

The participatory workshops will include non-formal methods chosen by each country team during the preparation phase. Each country team will prepare a non-formal based workshop where one of the above mentioned initiatives will be explored in depth. The participants will record short advertisement videos to promote the priority explored within their workshop.

5 participants (18-25)
1 group leader (any age)

Participating countries:
Luxembourg, Macedonia, Slovakia,
Romania, Estonia, Spain

Venue:
Chalet d'Géisserei
5 Rue Munchen-Tesch
2173 Luxembourg city

Accommodation:

Chalet d'Géisserei is a scouts center located in Luxembourg city.

Surroundings:

The accommodation is located in a quiet part of the city, surrounded by a river, trees and greenery, 100 meters away from one of the biggest parks in Luxembourg city. There is a gas station with a small shop 500 meters away from the chalet.

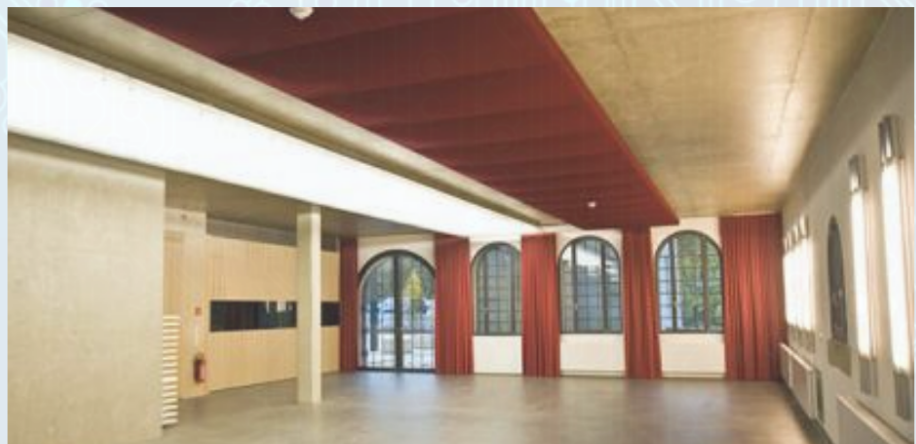
How to get to the accommodation?

Take the bus number 10 or 11 in front of Luxembourg city **central train station** and get off at **Eich Echer Plaz** bus stop. There are buses commuting every 5 min. The chalet is 5 min walk from the place where you get off the bus.

Facilities:

- Activity/dining room
- Professional kitchen
- Bathrooms/showers on every floor (separated by gender)
- Rooms 2x8 bed, 1x6 bed, 1x4 bed, 2x2 bed

The accommodation is suitable for people with special needs.



Food:

The food will be prepared and served for you in the accommodation venue. Your help in the kitchen and with the dishes will be highly appreciated.

We will provide simple '**with/without meat** (vegetarian)' dishes. If you have any specific dietary needs/allergies, please let us know in advance.

No alcoholic drinks will be allowed in the accommodation venue, apart from the **intercultural dinner**.



Participants profile:

We are seeking motivated young people willing to share the volunteering spirit. We are searching for **5 young participants (18-25)** from each country plus **1 group leader (of any age)**. It is important to maintain gender balance in the group.

Please inform us in advance if you have participant(s) with handicap or disabilities within your group in order to prioritize them during the selection process. Erasmus+ is a program that supports young people with disadvantages which is the reason why we strongly encourage their inclusion.

English will be the working language of this project, which is why we find it important that each participant has at least basic knowledge of the language.

Good mood, happy faces and positive energy are more than welcomed.

You will need:

- **Sleeping bag or blanket**
- Towels and hygiene essentials
- Warm clothes
- Camera, laptop and anything that will make your life and work easier

- Ideas, ice-breakers and traditional dances for your national evening
- Posters, leaflets, cards, videos and typical music of your country
- Materials, stickers and brochures of your organization (if any)

- Good mood and energy to be active!

Reimbursement:

We will reimburse **100%** of your **actual** travel costs for the way to Luxembourg and back. The reimbursement will be made in cash on the last day of the project. However, there is a limit that we cannot exceed. For more information, please consult your sending NGO.

In order to make the reimbursement, we will need all the tickets (**originals**) including the ones for the way back. It is very important that you keep **ALL** your travel documents (itineraries, boarding passes, bus/train tickets).

Travel costs will be reimbursed **only** if you take part in **ALL** the activities foreseen for the project.

We will help you find the best option for your journey to the project.

Please consult us before buying your tickets!

There is an obligatory participation fee of 40 euros per participant

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It is necessary that you have a travel insurance for the whole duration of the project.