



**HASAN KALYONCU UNIVERSITY**  
presents

# **Fostering Entrepreneurship Among Youth Workers: Enhancing Skills and Opportunities**

ERASMUS+ KA151 – Youth Accreditation Activity

(Mobility of Youth Workers)

25 NOV – 3 DEC 2024 - Gaziantep, TÜRKİYE





## WHY PARTICIPATE?

Entrepreneurship is essential for empowering young people who are facing with unemployment.

This training course will offer practical tools, strategies, and resources to help participants support youth in overcoming challenges and achieving sustainable livelihoods.



# Aim of the Training Course

**This training course will aim to:**

To equip youth workers with the knowledge, skills, and tools necessary to effectively foster entrepreneurial thinking.

**To enhance understanding of entrepreneurial mindset**

**To develop practical entrepreneurial skills**

**To foster a culture of entrepreneurship**

**To provide guidance on entrepreneurial resources**

**To inspire and motivate**



# Objectives of the Training Course

## **1.Skill Development:**

Equip youth workers with essential entrepreneurial skills, including business planning, financial management, marketing strategies, and leadership, through comprehensive training modules and workshops.

## **2.Networking Opportunities:**

Create a platform for youth workers to connect with experienced entrepreneurs, industry professionals, and peers, fostering collaboration, knowledge sharing, and mentorship opportunities.

## **3.Cultural Exchange:**

Facilitate cross-cultural experiences that allow youth workers to learn from diverse entrepreneurial practices across different countries, enhancing their understanding of global market trends and innovative approaches.

## **4.Empowerment through Education:**

Develop tailored educational resources and materials that promote entrepreneurial thinking and creativity among youth workers, encouraging them to implement these concepts in their local communities.

## **5.Project Implementation:**

Encourage participants to design and implement a mini-project that addresses local community challenges through entrepreneurial solutions, promoting hands-on experience and practical application of learned skills.

## **6.Sustainability and Impact Assessment:**

Establish a framework for evaluating the long-term impact of the training and mobility activities on participants' professional development and their capacity to foster entrepreneurship in their communities.

## **7.Promotion of Inclusivity:**

Ensure the project reaches youth workers from diverse backgrounds, particularly those from marginalized communities, to promote social inclusion and equal opportunities in entrepreneurship.

## **8.Follow-Up Support:**

Provide ongoing support and resources post-project to help youth workers sustain their entrepreneurial initiatives and continue developing their skills and networks.



## Partners, Participants and Travel Limit

- **ERASMUS PLUS PROGRAM AND NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES**
- **Max 4 PARTICIPANT FROM EACH ORGANIZATION**

In addition to the designated youth workers from partner organizations, individual applications will also be evaluated. We encourage youth workers to apply independently, promoting wider participation and engagement in the project.

- **Max 2 ORGANIZATION FROM EACH COUNTRY**

Partner organizations must be of the type eligible under **KA153** of the Erasmus Plus program, ensuring compliance with the program's requirements.

- **TOTAL 35 PARTICIPANTS**





## Partners, Participants and Travel Limit

Distance	Budget
10 - 99	23
100 - 499	180
500 - 1999	275
2000 - 2999	360
3000 - 3999	530
4000 - 7999	820
8000+	1500

Participants' travel budget is calculated from their city of residence to Gaziantep. Please use the [distance calculator](#) to calculate your travel distance. Don't forget to select Gaziantep as your destination.





# Cultural Nights

Don't forget to bring some traditional music for the intercultural evenings.  
We will have one cultural night per country where you can expose your customs, traditional dances and culture.

Please !!!

We hope, that your culture means you something more than national food and drinks.

Also bring the flag of your country. It would be nice if you bring also some small souvenirs with you (costs are not covered).

*Traditional Clothes*



*Souvenirs*



*Chocolates&Snacks*





## Financial Aspects: Restrictions and Conditions



There is **NO** participation fee.



All international tickets must be approved by the hosting organization (HKU) before buying it

Buying ticket without approval will not be reimbursed



No taxi, no private car, no private shuttle, any personal means of transportation will NOT be reimbursed!

You can only use public transportation.



Participants must bring all financial documents such as invoices, electronic tickets and boarding passes etc. of all relevant travel costs to be reimbursed.





## Participants Profile

- We are looking for enthusiastic youth workers, educators, and trainers who want to empower young people through entrepreneurship.
- We welcome individuals from all backgrounds, including newcomers to youth work. Whether you have years of experience or are just starting out, your unique perspective is valuable.
- Candidates should have basic communication skills and a genuine interest in learning about entrepreneurship and youth development.
- We encourage applicants who are committed to inclusivity and want to support diverse youth populations, especially those from underrepresented communities.
- To participate, you must be a citizen of an Erasmus Plus program country or a neighboring partner country. Individual youth workers and newcomers are strongly encouraged to apply.



# Participant Selection Criteria

## **1.Age:**

1. Participants must be 18 years or older.

## **2.Professional Background:**

1. Open to youth workers, educators, trainers, social workers, business professionals, specialists who work on youth entrepreneurship, academicians or anyone actively involved in working with young people.

## **3.Interest in Entrepreneurship:**

1. Applicants should demonstrate a strong interest in entrepreneurship, supporting young entrepreneurs, or mentoring others in their growth.

## **4.Experience Level:**

1. All experience levels are welcome, from newcomers to experienced entrepreneurs and business professionals.

## **5.Diversity:**

1. We encourage applications from individuals with diverse cultural, educational, and professional backgrounds to promote inclusivity and enrich the learning environment.

## **6.Commitment to Inclusivity:**

1. Participants must be open to working with people from different backgrounds and committed to fostering an inclusive and supportive environment.

## **7.Digital Literacy:**

1. Basic familiarity with digital tools is encouraged, as the project will involve using technology for mentoring and collaboration.

## **8.Geographic Eligibility:**

1. Participants must be citizens of an Erasmus Plus program country or a neighboring partner country.



## For Approved Participants Only

The following section is **only for participants who have received the official approval email**. If you have not received an approval email, please wait for further communication from the project team before proceeding.

If you have received this email, please be aware that you are required to complete all the requested steps mentioned in the email **within 7 days**. Failure to do so may result in the cancellation of your participation.



# International Travel to GAZIANTEP

Please follow instructions

**DO NOT BUY  
ANY TICKETS  
WITHOUT  
APPROVAL!**



**Make a travel  
plan**



**Collect all invoices and send  
them to  
ebahadir.bekdas@hku.edu.tr**  
**with the subject line**

«December Training Travel Document  
for [participant name and country].



**Fill the travel  
form**



**DEADLINE:**  
**Participants should  
bought travel tickets till  
10 November 2024**



**Get approval from  
hosting  
organization!  
(HKU)**



**Remember:**  
**You can stay up  
to 5 days  
extra in Turkey!**



## Visa to Türkiye



Turkey is not in the EU .  
So, please bring along your passport (if you need a passport to travel Turkey).



Regardless of residence permit or route there is a need for visas for some countries' citizens.



However, the visa can be obtained online <https://www.evisa.gov.tr/en/>



As there is no exceptional cost budget available in the project, participants should cover visa expenses for themselves.



Please be sure you have valid travel documents, in case of any cancellation any expenses will not be reimbursed.



For more information:  
<http://www.mfa.gov.tr/visa-information-for-foreigners.en.mfa>





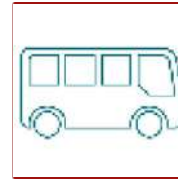
## Travel to the venue (25 Nov. 2024)



Everyone has to be in Gaziantep on 25 November 2024



We will provide service from city centre to hotel do not take any other transport



The service schedule will be prepared upon your arrival



HAVAS (Airport Shuttle) is available 7/24 from airport to city centre



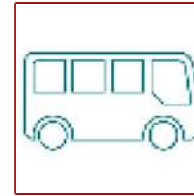
## Travel back to the airport (3 Dec. 2024)



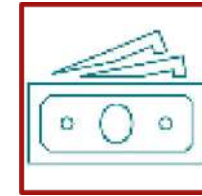
Departure date is 3rd of December. Earlier departures will not be allowed.



The servis to city centre will be prepared upon your departure.



The airport shuttle bus will leave from city centre.



Those who will stay longer will be responsible from own transportation to airport.



## Venue

We will stay in the Royal Gaziantep Hotel

**Click here to see the location**

<https://maps.app.goo.gl/afNyrDDh9fw4snwy9>







Please contact us to provide information about your diet (vegan, vejetarian, etc.) and allergies. We will make the necessary preparations for you.







# Reimbursement Procedures

-  Find cheapest travel option to Gaziantep
-  Get approval from Hosting Organization from Turkey
-  Buy your tickets before **10 November 2024**
-  Send your invoice and electronic tickets to hosting organization
-  Provide all documents in original on spot during the training
-  Get your reimbursement in cash on spot



## PROPER DOCUMENTATIONS

In order for payments to be processed quickly, accurately, and without any issues, the suitability of your travel documents is crucial. Reviewing documents that do not meet the following criteria may take time, resulting in delays in payments and the need for bank transfers. Any transfer fees associated with bank transfers will be borne by the **participant**.

The document should contain the following information:

1. Passenger's Name (As it is written in passport)
2. Route Invoice or ticket date
3. Ticket details
4. Amount (preferably in Euros)



## PROPER DOCUMENTATIONS

The following documents **will not be accepted:**

1. Bank or credit card statements
2. Monthly, weekly, or daily public transportation tickets
3. Taxi receipts
4. Documents related to travel outside the accepted route
5. Documents related to travel not approved by the organizing institution
6. Irregular, torn, worn-out, or illegible documents



## PROPER DOCUMENTATIONS

Travel-related documents will be collected on November 26. Participant should prepare the following documents:

1. Passport
2. Boarding pass
3. Tickets
4. Entry stamp to the country (for those using a travel document other than a passport)

Please ensure that your travel documents meet the specified criteria to avoid any delays in payment processing.





## PROPER DOCUMENTATIONS

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If the participant requests payment for the return journey tickets to be made **after the activities at the venue (e.g airport transfer fee for return)**, the full payment for the travel expenses will be made to the participant via bank transfer ONLY AFTER the necessary documents have been submitted to the organizing institution in the appropriate manner. Any expenses related to this transfer will be borne by the participant.



## Join now

<https://www.tavo.europa.eu/training-courses/fostering-entrepreneurship/>



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