



KA 151 YOU LEAD FOR CHANGE – GREEN LEADERSHIP FOR INCLUSIVE EUROPE

1st - 7th July 2026

Erasmus+ Youth Exchange
KA151-YOU | 2026



Details

1. Project title: Different but Equal – Youth for Inclusive Europe
2. Project type: Erasmus+ Youth Exchange (KA151-YOU)
3. Dates: 1st June - 8th June (1st June is arrival day and 8th June is departure day)
4. Venue: Katowice, Poland
5. Number of participants: 40 participants: (34 young people + 6 group leaders)
5. Age of participants: 15–20 years old
6. Working language: English





Participant countries

The youth exchange will involve participants from European Union Member States and Erasmus+ Programme Associated Countries.


The project will be implemented in cooperation with partner organisations from different parts of Europe to ensure:

- geographical diversity,
- cultural and social diversity,
- inclusive participation of young people with fewer opportunities.

Each participating country will be represented by:

- young people aged 15–20,
- one group leader supporting the group throughout the activity.

The international composition of the group will create a safe intercultural learning environment and support mutual understanding, dialogue and cooperation among young people.





About the project

Young people across Europe are growing up in a reality shaped by climate anxiety, social polarisation, exclusion, misinformation and decreasing trust in democratic institutions. At the same time, many young **people feel that their voices are not heard** and that they have limited influence on the decisions affecting their local communities and future. These challenges particularly affect young people with fewer opportunities, who often experience barriers to participation in civic and international activities.

The youth exchange “Lead for Change – Green Leadership for Inclusive Europe” was created as a response to these challenges. The project **aims to empower young people to become active, responsible and inclusive leaders capable of creating positive social and environmental change in their communities.** The exchange combines the themes of youth leadership, democratic participation, sustainability, social inclusion and European values through non-formal education methods and intercultural learning.

The project brings together young people from different cultural and social backgrounds to create a safe international learning environment where participants can exchange experiences, reflect on common European challenges and develop practical competences for active citizenship. The project is strongly connected with the priorities of the Erasmus+ Programme, especially inclusion and diversity, participation in democratic life, environmental sustainability and common European values.





About the project

Throughout the mobility participants explore what responsible **leadership means in modern Europe**. They reflect on stereotypes connected with leadership, analyse mechanisms of exclusion and discrimination, and learn how young people can actively participate in democratic processes and local decision-making. Through workshops, simulations, debates and project-based learning, participants develop communication skills, teamwork competences, empathy and critical thinking.

A strong **ecological component** is integrated into the programme. Participants analyse the relationship between consumerism, lifestyle choices and the climate crisis, while also exploring practical examples of sustainable living and green activism. The project promotes the idea of “green leadership” — leadership based on responsibility, solidarity and awareness of environmental challenges.

An important part of the project is the creation of youth-led social campaigns focused on topics such as inclusion, sustainability, youth participation and responsible citizenship. Working in international teams, participants design and produce digital campaigns and awareness-raising materials that can later be used in their local communities and by partner organisations.





About the project

The project is based on **non-formal education and learning by doing**. Activities include simulations, role plays, debates, outdoor education, reflection circles, teamwork, storytelling and creative media production. Participants are actively involved in the learning process and supported in reflecting on their personal development through the Youthpass process and daily reflection activities.

The exchange also aims to strengthen long-term international cooperation between partner organisations and encourage young people to remain active after the project. Participants are encouraged to initiate local actions, engage in volunteering and continue participating in European youth programmes.

“Lead for Change – Green Leadership for Inclusive Europe” promotes the idea that leadership is not about authority or power, but about responsibility, cooperation and the ability to create positive change together with others.





Who are we?

An NGO organisation established in 2020 with an idea of a holistic approach to meet the needs of modern society, both on local and global level.



Our field of expertise has grown from in-depth look on Silesian citizens' problems, that occur on local level, but those issues concern not only them, but all Europeans.



We are a constantly developing team of active, young people that want to have impact on how the modern world is sharpened.



We work with a whole spectrum of age groups: youngsters, young adults and seniors with holistic approach to procivic education.



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Venue - Katowice

Katowice - a city with powiat rights in Poland, the seat of the authorities of the Silesian Voivodeship, the main center of the Upper Silesian Industrial District, the largest city in the Upper Silesian conurbation in terms of population, the seat of the Upper Silesian-Zagłębie Metropolis, the largest city in Upper Silesia.



Hotel

Hotel Załęże, Gliwicka 106, 40-857 Katowice



How to get there?

Katowice Airport → APbus → KatowiceDworzec (railway station) → trams 7,13,20 (6 stops - Załęże Janasa)

Kraków Airport (Kraków Lotnisko) → SKA1 train (6 stops, every half an hour, after 6 pm every hour) → Kraków Główny (Main railway station)
Kraków Główny → train → Katowice Dworzec (railway station) → trams 7,13,20 (6 stops - Załęże Janasa)



Useful links

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Reimbursement

1. Only tickets approved before the activity by the hosting organization will be reimbursed!
2. Remember to keep all your receipts and tickets!
3. You have to participate in all the sessions of the training to get the reimbursement!

How does it work?

Before the training you will have to purchase your tickets to travel to Poland. During the activity, we will collect all the receipts and tickets, sign the reimbursement contract and send you the transfer back within around 2 weeks after the activity.





Travel Limits

Austria up to €275	Luxembourg up to €275
Belgium up to €275	Malta up to €360
Bulgaria up to €275	Netherlands up to €275
Croatia up to €275	Portugal up to €360
Cyprus up to €360	Romania up to €275
Czech Republic up to €180	Slovakia up to €180
Denmark up to €275	Slovenia up to €275
Estonia up to €275	Spain up to €360
Finland up to €275	Sweden up to €275
France up to €275	Iceland up to €360
Germany up to €180	Liechtenstein up to €275
Greece up to €360	North Macedonia up to €275
Hungary up to €180	Norway up to €275
Ireland up to €360	Serbia up to €275
Italy up to €275	Türkiye up to €309
Latvia up to €275	
Lithuania up to €180	





Schedule

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	
	SCHEDULE									
	1st July	2nd July	2nd July	4th July	5th July	6th July	7th July	8th July		
8.00	ARRIVAL DAY	BREAKFAST till 9.30 a.m.	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	BREAKFAST	
8.30										
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11.00										
11.30		Session 1: Welcome to the Leadership Journey	Session 3: Who Am I in Europe?	Session 5: Youth Participation Lab	Session 7: Climate Leadership Challenge	Session 9: Social Campaign Lab	Session 11: Campaign Festival	Session 13: What Comes Next?		
12.00										
12.30										
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14.00		LUNCH 2.30 p.m.	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	ARRIVAL DAY	
14.30										
15.00										
15.30										
16.00										
16.30	Session 2: What Does Leadership Mean Today?	Session 4: Inclusive Leadership	Session 6: Moot Court – Hate Speech & Democracy	Session 8: Sustainable Cities & Eco Action	Session 10: Creating the Campaigns	Session 12: Youthpass & Reflection				
17.00										
17.30										
18.00										
18.30	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER			
19.00										
19.30	FREE TIME	EVALUATION/FREE TIME	EVALUATION/FREE TIME	EVALUATION/FREE TIME	INTERCULTURAL EVENING	INTEGRATION				
20.00										





What do you get from participating?

Skills

- Leadership competences
- Communication skills
- Teamwork in an international environment
- Public speaking and presentation skills
- Critical thinking and problem-solving
- Digital and media skills

Personal Development

- More self-confidence
- Greater independence
- Better understanding of yourself and others
- Increased motivation to take action
- Stronger sense of responsibility

Social & Intercultural Experience

- New international friendships
- Better intercultural understanding
- Openness to diversity
- Experience in working with people from different backgrounds





What do you get from participating?

Civic & Environmental Awareness

- Knowledge about youth participation and democracy
- Understanding of European values
- Greater awareness of sustainability and climate challenges
- Inspiration to create local initiatives

Opportunities

- Erasmus+ and Eurodesk opportunities
- Youthpass certificate
- Future international projects
- Networking with youth organisations across Europe



Most Important:
Your voice matters.
You can create change.



What to bring?

The list of equipment regarding the weather will be shared on the WhatsApp group (the last slide) a few days before the exchange.

Besides that you should bring:

1. your student's card or an equivalent (if you are qualified for discounts)
2. a device with a good camera or any electronic device that allows you film making
3. your travel tickets or any receipts for travel making,
4. good humour and openness,
5. if important: your personal medicine you are taking on daily bases.



About cultural evening

The cultural evening will be organised as one big event. What you should bring?

1. Snacks and drinks popular in your country that will not get damaged during travel,
2. Prepare a short presentation (10 minutes) about your customs and culture (in national groups). If you want to wear some traditional clothing, that is okay, remember to bring it!
3. Ideas of integration games and activities (dances, songs).

Contact Us!



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