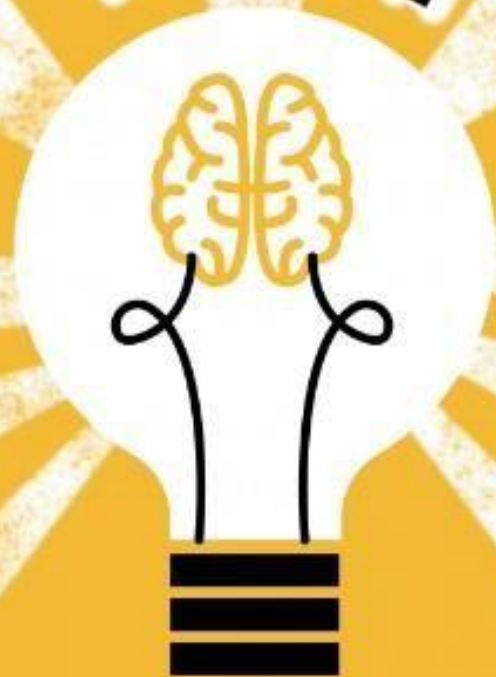


CET PLATFORM CROATIA PRESENTS

# YOUTH



# ENTREPRENEURSHIP ACADEMY

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DJAKOVO, CROATIA

PARTICIPANTING COUNTRIES: Italy, Greece, Spain, Portugal,  
Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Albania, Ukraine, Croatia



## INFOPACK OF THE PROJECT

### About the project:

Participants on this project will be youth workers and leaders from partner organizations who are involved in activities organized by partner organizations on their local and national level but who are not enough educated or who are not educated on topic of entrepreneurship and process of development of business idea from theory to practice but who have high motivation to learn about it, to share their previous experience and to gain skills, knowledge and attitude which will make them able to independently or in cooperation with partner organization organize and implement workshops on topic of entrepreneurship for young people in their community. As we all as a partners agreed, training will be organized during the autumn when NGOs are already working on their program for next year in order to give the chance to our most active youth workers to participate in this training and gain key competences related with entrepreneurship in order to be able to use gained competences and to plan activities on this topic in their year plan for the next year in order to ensure sustainability of this project but also to ensure follow up activities of this project which will be also part of dissemination activities.

### The objectives of this project are:

- raise employment of young people on national and international level which is also related with Europe 2020. Strategy
- reduce the number of people, especially young people who are experiencing social exclusion and have fewer opportunities
- put attention on individual empowerment of youth workers and subsequently on young people in their local communities in order to empower them to take initiatives needed for development of entrepreneurship (ET 2020.)
- equalization of opportunities for young people in all involved countries regardless on level of development of the country or on the fewer opportunities with which are young people very often faced in involved countries
- promotion and support of international and intercultural learning
- promotion of non formal learning and improvement of non formal learning methods but also of learning by doing process
- modernisation of non formal learning through usage of different tools and methods
- creating new international opportunities for young people, especially with Erasmus+ programme

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### Activities of the project:

Project contain 1 main activity and minimum 18 local activities of partner organizations. Main activity of this project is training course "Youth Entrepreneurship Academy" which will take place in Djakovo, Croatia from 05. - 14. November 2019. and which will gather 31 participants in total. Partner organizations from Croatia, Greece, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Albania and Ukraine will send each 3 participants (preferably 2 male + 1 female or 1 male + 2 female) and hosting organization in cooperation with partner organizations will give effort to ensure gender balance if it will be possible regarding on motivation of participants. Also, there will be 2 trainers and 2 support staff members who will be responsible for implementation of main activity. In total we will have 31 participants from 9 different countries. During the main activity participants will participate in discussions, presentations, debates, meetings, simulations and non-formal games. During the whole main activity, we will use non formal education methods through which participants will be more relaxed and will spend their time learning by doing.



### Impact of this project:

The concrete impact will be on participants involved in this project who will gain concrete theoretical and practical knowledge about development of entrepreneurship idea and steps through which we need to pass in order to think about all details and make our business plan. Also, by working on their idea, participants will see how to use the methods used on this training in practice and on what they should put attention when they will use gained knowledge, skills and attitudes in organizing and implementing activities in their organizations in their local communities. After this training participants will be ready to organize and implement local activities related with entrepreneurship for young people in their communities. Also, from experience of others, representatives from employment office, Crane and private entrepreneur they will get their experience and they will be able to share it with their peers which will give to them additional value and possibility to share real stories about enterprise and world of entrepreneurship.

When it is word about participating organizations, they will directly benefit from their youth workers who will participate in this project because that will give them educated human resources who are ready and able to organize more activities and reach higher number of young people from their community who will be involved in local activities. Also, there will be big impact on 4 organizations who are working with us for the first time on the project like this because it will be one of their first experience and we are sure that after the main activity they will be motivated to organize more international activities and to participate in more projects but also by providing support and help in their local activities in dissemination phase they will see concrete example of transferring everything what participants gained on international activities through local NGOs to young people in their local community.

When it comes to other target groups, our secondary target group are young people from small cities from which are our partner organizations, impact on them will be also significant because after this project they will finally have the place and activity through which they can learn more about entrepreneurship, business ideas, marketing plan, financial plan and it will be new way of education for them and new source of information.



**Key issues which we want to deal with on this project are:**

- high level of unemployment, especially of young people and especially of those with fewer opportunities
- lack of entrepreneurship education and old education curricula in involved countries
- gap between education opportunities in rural and urban areas
- lack of educated youth workers who will work on entrepreneurship topic in their NGOs
- lack of access to information, especially for young people with fewer opportunities
- lack of knowledge and skills for running initiatives between young people
- lack of cooperation between public and real sector



## PROFILE OF PARTICIPANTS:



- Able to communicate in English language
- Youth workers, leaders and young people who want to be actively involved in youth work
- Motivated young people who want to experience working in international and intercultural environment, looking for the job and personal and professional development, ready to organize local activities in dissemination part of the project
- Able to participate in all stages of the project not only in the main activity (preparation phase, main activity, dissemination phase)
- Interested in entrepreneurship, development of business idea, funding opportunities for startup and ready to transfer gained knowledge, skills and attitude to their peers after the main activity

## METHODOLOGY

- Energizers and social games
- Discussions, analysis, debates and presentations
- Simulations and role plays (job interview, business idea)
- Meetings with representatives of authorities and other NGOs
- Evaluation of self assessment
- Daily reflection on individual and group level
- Meditation
- Planning of future cooperation

## PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS



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Each country will send 3 participants (1 male + 2 female or 1 female + 2 male) in order to ensure gender balance.

**For this training course there is no participation fee defined by organizers and all costs are covered by Erasmus+ programme.**

### VENUE AND ACCOMMODATION

Project will be hosted in Djakovo, Croatia as we like to call it Heart of Slavonia. Djakovo / Đakovo is a town in the region of Slavonia, Croatia. Djakovo is located 37 km to the southwest of Osijek and 60km west from Vukovar, also 240 km southeast of Zagreb, capital of Croatia.





Participants will be hosted in Hotel Blaža, in 2 and 3-bed rooms equipped with the working desk, internet connection, tv and bathroom in each of the rooms. Also, the working room and the restaurant are on the same address as the hotel, in the same building. Address of the hotel is Ante Starcevic 158, 31400 Djakovo, Croatia.



### HOW TO GET TO THE DJAKOVO?

- You can get to Djakovo by plane or bus via Zagreb (Airport Pleso) or via Belgrade (Airport Nikola Tesla). Schedule and prices for flights you can find here: <http://www.skyscanner.net/>
- If you plan to travel through Budapest airport, please before checking the flight check also the buses from Budapest to Djakovo and back. The timetable for buses you can find here: <https://bit.ly/30MNdVI>
- From Zagreb airport to bus station Zagreb you can use Croatia Airlines shuttle bus for which timetable you can find here: <http://www.zagreb-airport.hr/en/passengers/to-from-the-airport/by-airport-shuttle/89>
- From Zagreb to Djakovo you need to take a bus, timetable and prices for bus you can find here: <http://voznired.akz.hr/>

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○ From Belgrade airport to Lasta bus station you need to take a bus Line 72 to Zeleni Venac. Timetable you can find here:

[https://beg.aero/eng/parking\\_access/transport/public\\_transportation](https://beg.aero/eng/parking_access/transport/public_transportation)

○ From Belgrade bus station you should take a bus to Osijek, Croatia. Timetable for this bus you can check here:

[http://www.bas.rs/basweb\\_eng/RedVoznje.aspx?lng=en](http://www.bas.rs/basweb_eng/RedVoznje.aspx?lng=en)

From Osijek to Đakovo you need to take also a bus, timetable for that bus you can find here: <https://www.arriva.com.hr/en-us/home>

○ **NOTE: If you have any proposal for travelling please before you buy tickets don't forget to check those options with organizers.**

**Be sure that you are buying return tickets!!!**

#### **TRAVEL AND REIMBURSEMENT INFORMATION**

The organisers will reimburse of your travel costs from your home city to Djakovo, Croatia. Reimbursement will be done on the bank account of partner organization from your country who will forward you the reimbursement once when organizers collect all your original tickets, boarding passes and reports from dissemination activities.

**Note: Please DO NOT BUY any tickets before approval of the organisers!!!!**

**Note:** Please note if you bought your ticket in your local currency which might be different than EUR. We will calculate your travel costs according to the exchange rates from official European Commission web-site:

[www.ec.europa.eu/budget/inforeuro/index.cfm?Language=en](http://www.ec.europa.eu/budget/inforeuro/index.cfm?Language=en)



**Note:** If you plan to travel outside the official project dates you need approval by CET Platform, first. Please contact us at [croatia@cetplatform.org](mailto:croatia@cetplatform.org)

Travel costs limit per participant is for participants from Greece, Italy and Ukraine 275,00€, for participants from Spain and Portugal 360,00€, for participants from Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Kosovo\* UN Resolution 180,00€ per participant.

Reimbursement of travel costs will only be done upon full attendance in the training programme and presentation of the original tickets with boarding passes and receipt/invoices. Also, all participants need to submit Individual report request which they will get from European Commission on their emails after activity. Reimbursement will be done in EURO, regardless of the currency indicated on your ticket and receipt/invoice on bank account of partner organization.

## **NOTE: DO NOT BUY TICKETS BEFORE YOU INFORM US ABOUT THE DETAILS AND THE PRICE**

Once we get that information we will immediately confirm you to buy tickets. Taxi is not eligible mean of transport, however there are a few exceptions. Please contact us if taxi is the only mean of transport that you can use on some part of your travel.

## OTHER USEFUL INFO

- There will be two Intercultural evenings. Participants are expected to create interesting, interactive and creative intercultural evening with goal to fight prejudices and stereotypes about their country/ community/ culture.
- As one of the goal is to provoke and support creativity of participants, during intercultural evenings we will not use projector, Youtube videos, PowerPoint presentations etc.
- Bring food, drinks, tourist brochures, post cards, souvenirs and whatever you think it will help you for presenting your country in best way. According to HACCP standard and law regulation, we are not able to use kitchen for preparation of intercultural evening.
- The local currency is kuna (HRK). 1 EUR = 7.5 HRK
- Payment in EUR is possible somewhere, but it is illegal. Exchange office can be found everywhere, but please do not change large amounts of money in exchange offices at the airport and train/bus station, because exchange rate can be low. More information about Croatia you can find on this link: <http://croatia.hr/>.

## ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS AND INFORMATION:

**If you need any additional information about the project, travelling to Djakovo, venue of the project, travel costs and any other info related with this project, don't hesitate to contact us on [croatia@cetplatform.org](mailto:croatia@cetplatform.org)**