

# GET YOUR OWN PICTURE

## Erasmus+ Youth Exchange

### Detmold-Germany

**18 - 28 August 2023**

“Get Your Own Picture” is an intercultural youth exchange program that is an intensive workshop that gives its participants the opportunity to create their own short films.

Participants from Estonia, Germany, Lithuania, Poland and Turkey.

In the “Get Your Own Picture” project each participant writes, shoots and edits their own films with others within 10 days. At the end of the 10 days, the films are celebrated in a screening open to an audience.

All participants who complete the workshop receive a Youth Pass.

The basic idea of the YE is to connect and motivate young people with an international background to work together within a clear and structured platform towards a defined goal: Go create your own short films together with regard to the topic Active Citizenship.

The main aim is to give them an understanding of films as a medium for expression of opinion and participation. They will deal with the question of differences and similarities between the cultures and will go into detail with the youth's interests. The young people will become aware of their shared historical roots and can experience interculturalism.

With the different cultural & religious views, the participants will experience that there are still a lot of similarities among themselves. Another aim of the project is to cultivate the further professional development of young people through exchanges, involving communities in European cities and start building a youth expert base in the communities. In addition, the project aims to raise awareness for the power of audiovisual language among the young people, the potential to emphasise their own voice as individuals and take part in building a better future.

The workshop is aimed at youth between 22-30 years.  
Applicants should complete and submit the application form.

<https://forms.gle/nXADp1nxjupcV6ya9>

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask: [info@kultur-art.com](mailto:info@kultur-art.com)

## TRAVEL AND FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

For this Erasmus+ youth exchange EACH participants will organize its own trip in autonomy and independently.

### TRAVEL BUDGET

Estonia	up to 360,- €per participant
Turkey	up to 360,- €per participant
Lithuania	up to 275,- € per participant
Poland	up to 275,- € per participant

Also Accommodations reservation, Food, Transports will be organised and managed by individual participants / groups.

### ORGANISATIONAL BUDGET (Accommodation and food cost during the hole project)

Each participant 450,- €

Please be aware in process of booking the accommodation and that our reimbursement budget for this project for each participant is in total (MAX.) 450,- €.

**Will reimburse the total costs after the project.**

We will reimburse the costs by bank transfer after the delivery of the supporting documentation. All expenses up to the limits of Erasmus+.

### INSURANCE

All participants must be insured against the risks linked to their participation in the activities. The following areas must be covered:

Accidents and serious illness (including permanent or temporary incapacity); death (including repatriation in case of activities carried out abroad); wherever relevant, medical assistance, including after care.

You are strongly advised to take out comprehensive travel & medical insurance before travelling.

## PROJECT TIMELINE

### Preparations

(Be ready to devote at least 4-6 h for preparations)

- Using digital tools for active communication and start getting to know each other; sharing information about the personal and professional background
- The responsibility of the participants will not only be the booking of their flights, the participants will also find and book accommodation on their own.
- Discussing potential content ideas, needs and interests in the Facebook and WhatsApp groups so that we can arrange them to the project program
- Checking out the opportunities and values of Erasmus+
- Familiarising with the concept as well as the objectives of the Youth Exchange program
- Preparing for the production/performance of the short film
- Conducting a cultural night where you are expected to contribute to the presentation of the country that you come from. Start organising what you need for the national dishes, music and dances, etc..

## Youth Exchange

Non-formal education methodology

Experiencing intercultural learning

This kind of activities will be part of the program:

Trust and team building exercises, including sharing experiences, reactions, gaining theoretical input, workshops about Erasmus+ Youthpass, active citizenship, intercultural evening, movie evening, free-time, learning to work with audiovisual technology- shoot and cut videos, take photos, screening of the result videos on the last day of Youth Exchange.

- Getting to know each other
- Analysing the experience
- Putting the experience in action
- Producing your own short films
- National evenings
- Exploring opportunities
- Presentation of the short films
- Discussing initial ideas for follow-up activities
- Final evaluation, feedback
- Creative workshops: Experiencing a series of basic and in-depth sessions about composing, working with DAWs, camera, film editing, sound design and much more.

## Follow-up activities

- Continuing using non-formal learning elements
- Sharing results from the project and implemented follow-up activities

## PROFILE OF PARTICIPANTS

- Interested in exploring new tools and developing their competencies
- 22-30 YEARS old
- Ready to actively participate in the whole project (preparation, YE, follow-up)
- Open to challenge themselves and learn a new approach and tools related to new media
- Ready to organize at least one follow-up activity using the experience from this YE (individually or with other people) within 2 months after the YE
- Ready to implement one activity for publicity to share results from the YE (some article, social media post, etc.) to promote common European values.

As a contribution to the project, we will be expecting participants from all countries to provide snacks from their country to one of the coffee breaks in order to carry out cultural exchange.

Make sure you have a valid (not expired) **ID card (if it's enough) or a valid Passport.**

- **Keep all your boarding passes, invoices and traveling tickets** otherwise we will not be able to make any reimbursements.
- If you have, film equipment (Camera, Sound recorder, Tripod etc.) and your own personal stuff.
- Only public transportation will be reimbursed, ie. taxi at your own expense.
- Once you have chosen a flight connection, please consult with us!
- Please note that only when we give you green light for the connection and price, you are allowed to buy tickets.
- Travel cost reimbursement will be done after the training to the account of the participants. In order to do so, all tickets should be kept, and also planned follow up activities must be implemented and documented.

## WHO ARE THE INSTRUCTOR?

The Coordinator Organisation Kultur & Art Initiative e.V. was established in 2002 and is an intercultural and intergenerational nonprofit association with members from different nations, age groups and with different careers who have work experience in youth, non-formal education and media education for many years. Kultur & Art Initiative e.V. works also in the fields of youth policy and youth work development.

Kultur & Art Initiative e.V. organisation is from Germany that has a lot of experience with managing youth projects and experienced members, which realise unforgettable projects in cooperation with project partners around the world.

More Information:

<https://gyop.de>

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