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- Info Kit for Participants -



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Welcome to #EUYCBucharest!

Dear participants,

We are very happy to welcome you in Bucharest for the European Union Youth Conference on 25-28th of March 2019.

We invite you to read this document that will support you in preparing for the Conference and its follow-up.

Together with this document you also received the schedule of the conference and information about the EU Youth Dialogue 7th cycle (2019-2020) under the Trio Presidency of Romania, Finland and Croatia.

Schedule and related aspects

The schedule provides for several workshops for which you are invited to inform us on your preferences by Sunday, 24 March 2019. You should make your choices online here: <https://euyc.typeform.com/to/yH94Ax>

Tuesday, 26 March, 14:30-18:00

We will hold two rounds of workshops on Future of work, Youth Goals and the EU Youth Strategy. You can read more about [Youth Goals here](#) and about the [EU Youth Strategy here](#).

Youth Goals are interconnected and intertwined: to fully achieve one, measures in the areas covered by the others are required.

In these workshops we will:

- explore the connection between Youth Goal no. 7 - Quality Employment for All - and another Youth Goal;
- share practices (policies, projects, etc.) from your realities in the area of the chosen Youth Goal that also contribute to the achievement of Youth Goal #7;
- discuss and propose measures needed at a European level in the area of the chosen Youth Goal that will contribute to the realization of Youth Goal #7.

Please reflect on the choice to make, balancing between your interests in working on the specific goal and your expertise on this goal.

Wednesday, 27 March, 16:30-18:30

On 26 March, between 16:30-18:30, we will hold workshops aiming to create a space for learning from practices in the EU Youth Dialogue (structured dialogue) and/or from similar



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processes that could further be adapted to the EU Youth Dialogue at local, national and European level. The workshops cover both methods of working with young people (i.e. world cafe), ways to ensure outreach (coalition building), ways to work with decision makers (i.e. co-management).

You can read more about these workshops in the received schedule and on the website.

EU Youth Dialogue 7th cycle (2019-2020)

Together with this document you have received a description of the foreseen plans for the EU Youth dialogue cycle. Please read through and be prepared to take part in the programme on a consultation on the guiding questions for the dialogue.

Information for 'new-comers' to the EU Youth Conferences and EU Youth Dialogue

A briefing session will take place for new comers on Monday, 25 March 2019, 18:00-19:00.

Side-events

There will be two side events on 25th of March. You can enjoy the following sessions:

- **16:00 - 18:00 - *Imagine Europe - Your vision of Europe in 2050!*** is an idea contest inviting everyone (all ages & nationalities) to present their vision of Europe in 2050 in a short written and video-recorded pitch. On 25th of March, the participants will present their ideas and you will have the opportunity to vote on the best pitches. More information about the contest, you can find here: <http://www.imagineeurope.eu/about>
- **20:30 - 22:00 - *The Romanian Youth Capital***. Legacy of Cluj-Napoca 2015 European Youth Capital, it is our most ambitious national youth programme. Based on its results and the strategies and good practices that lead to them, the organisers seek to spark a meaningful discussion on how youth organisations, public authorities and businesses can create contexts through which they work together to improve societies, with young people taking the lead. Discussions will continue informally over a networking event.

Please highlight your participation intent here: <https://euyc.typeform.com/to/yH94Ax>.

Social media and the conference

We invite you to follow us on social media. You can find us here:

- Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/euyouthconf/>
- Twitter: <https://twitter.com/euyouthconf>
- Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/youthconf/>





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Across the conference, we encourage you to interact with us as much as possible. Also, we propose you some #hashtags to spread the word across Europe: #EUYCBucharest, #YouthConf #FutureOfWork, #YouthParticipation, #EUJD, #YouthDialogue. The hashtag of the Romanian Presidency at the European Council is #RO2019EU.

Relevant content will be posted on social media during the conference. The organisers expect input from participants coming from social media. The closing ceremony will be broadcasted by the Romanian Television (TVR) and streamed on Facebook.

We also encourage you to access our website, www.youtconf.eu or www.youthconf.ro, in order to find out more about EUYC Bucharest, Youth Goals or Future of Work.

Practical information

Travel

The Romanian Presidency of the Council of the European union will fully cover the costs of international transport.

Transfer

There will be two welcome teams at 'Henri Coandă' International Airport. One of them will be at the Baggage reclaim area, and the second one will be at the exit. The transportation to the hotel will be by minibus, which are programmed accordingly to your flight schedule. Further information can be found out at the welcome teams.

Venue of the conference

The Conference will take place at the National Library of Romania (Bulevardul Unirii 22, București 030833).

Security at conference site will be ensured by the Romanian Protection Service (SPP).

Near the National Library of Romania (Bulevardul Unirii 22, București 030833), there is a mall, Unirea Shopping Center, where can you find restaurants, other shopping facilities and pharmacies. From the Library, you can go to the Bucharest's Old Town in about 20 minutes walking time.

Accommodation for participants

Youth delegates, for which full costs are ensured, will be accommodated at Rin Grand Hotel, (Șoseaua Vitan-Bârzești 7D, Bucharest 042121).



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Meals

All lunches are provided at the National Library of Romania. All dinners are provided at restaurants in Bucharest:

- 25th of March - Rin Grand Hotel (Șoseaua Vitan-Bârzești 7D, Bucharest, 042121)
- 26th of March - Restaurant Pescăruș (Pescăruș Aleey, King Michael I of Romania Park, former Herăstrău Park, Bucharest)
- 27th of March - Sheraton Hotel (Calea Dorobanților, Bucharest, 010551)

Transfer between hotel and conference sites will be ensured with buses by the organisers.

Badges

The badges were generated automatically through the accreditation platform. If there are any problems, please contact us ASAP at ropres.youth@mts.ro.

Accreditation

The accreditation was made through the liaison person. Still, if you did not receive enough details, please contact us ASAP at ropres.youth@mts.ro.

Wi-Fi

There will be free wi-fi connection at all sites. Please follow up the instructions at each location to connect to the Internet. If there are any problems, please contact the organisers.

Electricity

220-volt AC. Plugs and sockets conform to the European norm. It is advisable, however, to bring an adapter with you, if the case.

Public transportation

Public transportation in Bucharest consists of buses, trams, trolleybuses (STB) and subway (Metrorex).

You can get a pass for one-day for all urban STB routes by texting A to 7464 (fare: 1.6 Euro + VAT).

To get to the National Library of Romania from the Rin Grand Hotel and back, you can use Bus Line 124 which runs every 2 hours. Still, keep in mind that transportation between facilities is guaranteed.



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You can consult the routes and the arrival times here: http://stbsa.ro/eng/v_trasee.php.
Alternative ways can be found through Google Maps.

Other information

- The Romanian national currency is Romanian Leu. (1 Euro \approx 4.75 Lei)
- The European emergency call number, 112, is also available in Romania.
- The timezone in Romania is EET - UTC+2.
- Most young Romanians speak English, so in the case you are on the street and you need help, it is very possible someone could help you.



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