

APV for Youth exchange:

# You(th), Me(dia) & trUSt

6 - 9 July 2018, Chisinau Moldova



Dear partners,

We are very happy to welcome you to the APV for our "You(th), Me(dia) & trUSt in Moldova. As communicated before, this APV & youth exchange were part of a 3 stages project (with 1 APV & youth exchange in Moldova, projects in the different home countries & a APV & youth exchange in Belgium). Because of a small budget and a big number of projects applying our national agency only approved this first part of the youth project.

They did strongly advise us to reapply for the other part of the project. We expect to receive the results in the week after the APV. In case they approve the project we would like to work with participants who can participate in both the Youth exchange in Moldova & Belgium, this to get the maximum results from the project.

The aim of this project is to make young people aware of different kinds of media manipulation. When young people become aware of media manipulation the changes that they recognize the manipulation will be bigger. In this way we hope to minimize the manipulation among young people.

As this is a complex process which includes other skills, the learning outcomes will also involve the capacity to reflect on concepts such as: analytical skills, argumentation skill, making decisions, double checking information, critical thinking and also attitude to the other perspectives and tolerance.

Because the participants of the project activities be will coming from different European countries the participants will also get the chance to develop their skills in intercultural communication, get to know other cultures, habits and lifestyles. By developing all this skills, participants will become more selfconfident in their daily activities.

### Travel Timing:

Arrival Time: Friday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2018, Chisinau, Moldova.

Departure Time: Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July, 2018 Chisinau, Moldova

### Visa:

None of the participants need visa to enter Moldova. Participants will need to have only valid **international passports**.

! Please, check the **validity** of the passports before the departure – they need to be valid at least **for six months**.

### Venue:

Participants will be hosted in a hostel in Chisinau. We will communicate the exact location and how to get there in the coming weeks.

### Meeting room:

The meeting will be held in ADVIT office (str. Academician Ion Grosul 2, Office 2, Chisinau, Moldova). On 7th of Juli (Saturday) at 9:30 we will meet at entrance of the Hostel and together will go to ADVIT office. Please be in time.

### Food:

We will be having breakfasts in the Hostel, lunches in the seminar room and dinner outside in the local café/restaurants of Chisinau.

As we expect a rather diverse group, we will make sure both vegetarians and those who prefer meat to something else have what they like 😊 however, just to make sure, PLEASE, if there is anyone among you with a SPECIAL DIET (no eggs, no wheat products, or anything not so common) LET US KNOW IMMEDIATELY at [codec.europe@gmail.com](mailto:codec.europe@gmail.com)

**draft agenda of APV**

|                | <b>Friday<br/>06.07</b> | <b>Saturday<br/>07.07</b>  | <b>Sunday<br/>08.07</b>   | <b>Monday<br/>09.07</b> |
|----------------|-------------------------|--|---|-------------------------|
| <b>AM</b>      | Arrival<br>Day          | *Welcome. * Expectations of the participants *Presentation of the participating organizations.<br>*Presentation of the project and planned outcomes. | Visiting the youth exchange proposed venue.   | Departure<br>Day        |
| <b>PM</b>      |                         | City Quest   | *Information about groups of young people: who they are, their background, interests and expectations, what they can contribute; *Cultural diversity within the team and the groups (e.g. habits, food, times, spiritual needs);*Main activities of the exchange programme; *Youth pass |                         |
| <b>Evening</b> |                         | Free time  | Visiting local NGO  |                         |

**Weather:**

In July, it is quite warm in Moldova. We recommend you to bring with you clothes that you consider as the most comfortable for you for temperature +25-30<sup>0</sup>. However, do not forget to take one warm outdoor jacket in case if the weather gets colder☺

**Money:**

The Moldovan Currency is called MOLDOVAN LEI

If you want to see the specimens of banknotes and coins access the web site: <http://www.bnm.org/>



Approximate exchange rate is:

1 USD = 16, 00 MDL

1 EUR = 20, 00 MDL

You can change Euros or other foreign currency into MDL at the airport or at the train/bus stations. Do not change too much, as there the exchange rate is usually not good.

### Checklist – what you need to bring with you:

- PROOF OF ALL THE TRAVEL EXPENSES you wish to reclaim: Travel reimbursement will be done in cash (Euro) during APV meeting upon presentation of the following documents:
  1. Return ticket
  2. Invoice/bill/ticket with the price on it.
  3. Boarding passes in case of the travel by plane.
  
- o Reimbursement will be based on the maxim travel allowances approved for this project mentioned in the table below. Reimbursement will be done based on the actual sum mentioned on the ticket – in case price was less than the approved maxim actual cost will be reimbursed. – in case price was more than the approved maximum, ONLY maximum amount will be reimbursed.

| Name of promoter  | Country            | Maximum budgeted p.p.* |
|---|--------------------|------------------------|
| CODEC wzv   | Belgium            | 275                    |
| Youth mix   | Armenia            | 275                    |
| Curba de cultura  | Romania            | 275                    |
| SFERA Movement  | Russian Federation | 275                    |
| Geoclube – Associação Juvenil de Ciência, Natureza e Aventura | Portugal           | 530                    |
| ESTYES  | Estonia            | 275                    |
| ASSOCIACIÓ CULTURAL TABALÀ                                    | Spain              | 530                    |
| Creative youth centre   | Ukraine            | 275                    |

\* Maximum amount for the international travel in this table is based on the maxim distance for the countries, actual reimbursement will be based on the distance band calculator.

- o Other Expenses: All other expenses during the activity, such as board, lodging will be borne by the organizers. Board & Lodging will be paid only from the 6 – 9 July 2018. However, all participants' personal costs (like telephone calls, gifts and souvenirs, free exists, etc.) and/or any other cost *not linked to program's events* will be responsibility of the participants and will be settled directly by them on spot;

**Insurance:** participants are requested to arrange their own travel insurance.

- o **“Standard seminar equipment”:** An ALARM CLOCK, any DICTIONARIES you might require, MUSIC CDs AND TAPES, INSTRUMENTS that you may need, COMFORTABLE CLOTHES etc;
  
- o Please bring **all necessary identity documents** (social and medical insurance, I.D. etc.) in the case of need;

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