



Peacemaker Global Week 2018

***Youth in Action for
Global Advocacy and
Poverty Eradication***

**Erasmus+ Mobility of Youth
Workers**

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General information:

**Place: Sjøglimt Leirsted, Marker Municipality,
Norway**

Date: 1st-7th August 2018

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Practical information

Norway has some pretty fast changing weather with temperatures almost never exceeding 30 degrees Celsius, and an average of about 15-20. The weather in our venue area will be relatively warm, but participants should bring clothes for chilly and rainy weather just in case. Of course, bathing suits should also be on the list, since August is a relatively pleasant month. On the list there should also be some hiking shoes for when we will take some walks around in the forest.

The cultural evening is the chance to present your country to the other participants, so bring some special goods from your country, food and drinks that are more representative for your country and that you would like to share. Discuss with your group how you will surprise the others by presenting your country in a creative way.

The currency in Norway is the Norwegian crown (NOK). The rate is 1 Euro = 9.5 NOK. Please pay attention to where you change your money – some of these services have commission or bad rates – ask us before you change. The good news is that Norway is a country where you can pay with your credit card anywhere you go, and this is how it is recommended to do your shopping. However, take note that Norway is a very expensive country.

Activities

The main activities of the project will be variety of session focusing on Advocacy, Subject to Citizen, Creating Global Movement, Sustainable Development Goals and Civic Engagement. In addition, there will also be a number of more practical sessions throughout the program:

- Welcoming session, introduction and getting to know each other: After welcoming words, presentation of participants and brief explanation around the programme, the group will be briefed of the logic behind the activities and the final objectives. Participants will also play various games and be given certain tasks to get acquainted with each other.
- Reflections: Every evening participant will gather in given groups, to discuss the sessions. The groups will also share stories and life experiences that give "names and faces" to general issues facing young people.

- Cultural evenings: Sharing of the culture to the different countries, for instance with dance, food and clothes, as well as the context of these countries relating advocacy, youth work and poverty.
- Campaign: We will develop a new campaign together. The last day will we be joined by some leaders from YMCA-YWCA in Norway, and we will travel to Oslo to have the joint campaign in the city. This will be a practical task, and will be a summary of all we have learned during the week.

Accommodation

Sjøglimt Leirsted is in Marker municipality, northwest of Ørje (close to the Swedish Border). Within an amazing scenery, Sjøglimt Leirsted also boasts of a great facility that offer its clients sporting opportunities such as soccer and table tennis to hiking trails and wall climbing activities.

Link: <https://www.normisjon.no/post/38855/sjoglimt-leirsted>

We will hire two busses to pick up all the participants in Oslo. The bus will leave from Oslo central station in the evening. Please let us know when you will arrive, so that we can plan for the time you should be picked.

There are buses and trains going from the airport to Oslo City center after every 10 minutes.

Finance

Each country can send two participants due to limited budget. In case an organization would like to bring more participants, they are required to send us a formal request by **5th of June 2018**. We shall then communicate whether we are able to cover the extra cost, or it is upon you as the sending organization.

The cost of the air ticket is approximately 250 Euros each. However, we do know that the tickets are more expensive for some of the partner countries. Please let us know if your tickets exceed 250 Euro. The tickets MUST be sent Y Global before **5th of June**.

Reimbursement of travel costs of the participants is ALWAYS based on receiving all the eligible travel documents (tickets, invoices, boarding passes etc.) in original (or in electronic original where available).

PLEASE NOTE: We send the money to the partner organization's bank account ONLY.



SEE YOU SOON!