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Digital Learning

*Fundão, Portugal 10-13
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Fundão, 25 of September of 2022,

Dear Participants of Youth for European Solidarity Project,
Welcome to Fundão.

My name is Miguel Gavinhos, Vice-mayor of Municipality of Fundão and I am very pleased to welcome you to the international meeting which will be held in Fundão, under YES Project “Youth for European Solidarity!” (Project No. 615552-CITIZ-1-2019-2-IT-CITIZ-NT), from 10th October to 13th.

Our meeting will be focused on the learning and skills developments within the field of solidarity and social innovation to enhance the competence of digital learning from children, youngsters local citizens and refugees and migrants integration, with the goal to inspire the ESAs and encourage their active participation through creation of common learning spaces.

We have organized special visits to some of our good practices in our municipality, like the migrants center, the fablab and the incubator and to our coding school.

Please be welcome to Fundão

Miguel Gavinhos
Vice Mayor



Short Project Description

"YES! - Youth for European Solidarity" is a 2-year network, designed for creating spaces for discussion on the meaning of Solidarity in times of crisis in Europe, on the effectiveness of existing European policies and programs supporting solidarity projects and on the Future of Solidarity in Europe, with the identification of innovative tools that could guarantee a strengthening of the European integration process. The 15 partners from 13 different nations (IT,PL,BG,LT,UK,RS,RKS,HE,SP,PT,FR,DE,SE) will involve about 500 direct and 55,000 indirect participants, thanks to the organization of international events during the Europe Day, World Environment Day, Digital Learning Day, EU Cooperation Day, World Fair Trade Day. The objective of raising citizens' awareness of active citizenship for solidarity will be achieved through a structured workplan that includes:

- 4 international events, focused on 5 citizenships (European, Economic, Ecological, Digital and Global), when 26 young people (2 per country) will be trained for becoming "ESAs: European Solidarity Animators" and ensuring sustainability and a long-term impact at community level;
- 2 local events, one for the initial promotion and for the selection of future ESAs and the other as a space for discussion on Solidarity and experimentation of the existing tools of participation in European democratic life, to be organized by the ESAs in their rural and suburban communities (Community Campaigns);
- The production of two tangible deliverables: 1/"ESAs Toolkit", with the methodology of the 5 Citizenships in support of Solidarity initiatives in Europe, to be distributed to other possible stakeholders, thus ensuring replicability; 2/Final Recommendation Paper "5 Citizenship,1 Solidarity", with a collection of all the ideas, suggestions, proposals born during the Community Campaigns and delivered to the relevant decision- makers and policy makers at every level, with the help of Eurodesk offices, existing within the partnership.

	DAY 1 - 10th of October	
Time	Topic	Place
21h30	Arrival of the Participants at the Hotel "SAMASA"	SAMASA Hotel - Fundão
22:00	Welcoming Dinner	Fundão City Center
	DAY 2 - 11th of October	
09:55	Departure from the Hotel Samasa	
10:00	Official reception to the group by the Vice Mayor of the Municipality and some presentations about our Coding learning academy.	Fundão digital municipality policy. Youth computing academy presentation
11:30	Cultural Visit in the main street of Fundão and visit to the local Municipality Museum	Fundão city center
12:45	Lunch at the city center	Local canteen at the business center
14:30	The educational digital learning strategy	TBC
16:00	The Eurodesk role for the digital learning on the local Youth and Solidarity sector.	Sala de Imprensa Working room
18:00	Open discussion on digital learning and volunteering with local organizations	Matriz / Mental Project
20:00	Dinner at the city center	Fundão City Center
	DAY 3 - 12th of October	
09:55	Departure from the Hotel Samasa	
10:15	Visit to the local Incubator and FABLAB Aldeias do Xisto.	Inês Carmo
11:45	Coffee Break	
12:30	Lunch in the Business Center	Local canteen at the business center
14:30	Departure to the Migrations Center visiting the place good practices on inclusion through digital learning of the migrants and refugees.	Filipa Batista and João Moreira
16h30	Return to Fundão and free time	Fundão City Center
20:00	Networking Dinner and Farewell Party with some music 😊	Dinner in a local Organization place in Fundão called "Gardunha Viva"

	DAY 4 - 13th of June	
08h30	Departure	Transfer in private bus to Lisbon airport

ACCOMMODATION

All the participants will stay at hotel SAMASA just in the city center, **100 meters** from train and bus stations and **120 meters** from the municipality and the meeting room where we will have some activities. All participants will stay in **double rooms** according to the availability of the hotel.

CONFERENCE ROOM

The main conference room that we are going to use will be the in front of the Municipality building of Fundão, called “Sala do Casino Fundanense”.

All places that we will visit, except the migrants center, are all not more than 5 minutes walking from the city center where we will work and stay.

Somes useful links:

Hotel website: <http://www.hotelsamasafundao.com/pt>

Weather forecast: <https://www.ipma.pt/pt/index.html>

Municipality website: <https://www.cm-fundao.pt/>

Train (Lisbon to Fundão): <https://www.cp.pt/sites/passageiros/pt/consultar-horarios/horarios-resultado>

Tourism office: <https://turismodocentro.pt/concelho/fundao/>

TRANSPORTATION

FROM LISBON AIRPORT

The nearest airport to is Lisbon International Airport, from where **we will pick you up and organize transfer to and from the hotel according all at the same time.**

See you all soon for big days all together 😊

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