CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS
FROM
GERMANY, PORTUGAL, MOLDOVA AND ARMENIA

TRAINING COURSE FOR YOUTH LEADERS AND VOLUNTEER ACTIVISTS
DILIJAN, ARMENIA, SEPTEMBER 20-28, 2018

About the project:

The project “VolumeUp - Building Capacity for Promoting Active Youth Participation through Voluntary Work” is aimed to build capacity of organizations working in the field of volunteer work and youth engagement for the duration of 22 months. The idea for this project is to build capacity for the member of consortium - SCI organizations, by creating a platform for cooperation, bringing together SCI member and partner organizations, developing staff competencies in the fields active youth participation, promotion of peace and conflict transformation through voluntary work.

Training course on Visual thinking – delivery of specific tools on visual thinking and creating the pool of illustrators that will be working on local level activities to multiply the results of the activity and to produce the promotional materials for activities and events of SCI.

The project is funded by the Erasmus+ program of EU.

The project’s mission is at building capacity of the organizations working in the field of volunteering and youth engagement.

The aims of the project:

● To raise awareness of the young people in the participating countries on voluntary work as a way of active participation and promoting peace.
● To build a stronger capacity for involved SCI organizations to promote voluntary work.
Objectives of the project:

- Changing the perception of voluntary work among the youth of participating countries
- Developing the organizations’ competencies on voluntary management
- Developing diverse tools for promotion voluntary work in respective countries
- Promoting active youth participation through voluntary work
- Promoting peace and conflict transformation through voluntary work
- Providing a platform for exchange of experience within SCI organization
- Reinforcing organizational development by sharing the best experience
- Engaging various stakeholders to develop the common policy for promotion of voluntary work.

Project partners:

“ArmActive –Youth Center” NGO (Armenia), SCI Germany, Avi Moldova, MedEsTu - Association

“Fostering Voluntary Work through Visualization” Training Course will take place in Dilijan, Armenia, Sep. 20-28.

The aims of the seminar:

- To equip volunteer activists with the knowledge and tools on visual thinking to promote SCI as a way of active participation and promoting peace.

The objectives of the seminar are:

- Giving participants clear understanding on visual tools, so that after the TC they will share their experience in the local level.
- Developing participants’ skills on visual thinking.
- Promoting active youth participation and voluntary work through visual tools.
- Creating posters and videos to raise awareness of youth on the above-mentioned topics.
- Providing a platform for exchange of experience within SCI organizations.
**For who?**

- Youth workers, youth leaders, volunteers, who are interested in visual tools
- People involved in SCI organizations
- People who are actively engaged in the volunteer work
- Individuals who have experience in the field of volunteer work
- Highly motivated individuals

**Please note:**

Motivation is the most important requirement. Knowledge on drawing is not necessary.

**Finances:**

Travel is reimbursed according to the Erasmus + travel reimbursement limits. Board and Lodging is fully covered. Placement fee: 40 EUR
Participation fee: 20 EUR to be paid on spot. Travel reimbursement 100% (max. 360 EUR)

[Application form here!]

We are looking forward to receiving your application :)}