

**Call for Partners - 1.1 Youth Exchange
“Tools for Resilience”**

Duration: From the 21st of February to the 2nd of March 2014

APV: dates to be defined (January)

Place: Saint Caprais de Bordeaux

Partnership: Between 2 and 4 international partners and 1 local partner

Target Group: Young people from 18 to 25 from the European Union

Objectives:

- Sensitize participants to sustainable consumption
- Think of concrete solutions to the environmental issues via the 3 R methods (Reduce, Recycle and Reuse)

Specific Objectives:

- Promote the European citizenship amongst the youth
- Develop solidarity and tolerance
- Facilitate the intercultural and intergenerational dialogue
- Develop the autonomy of young people
- Create a local dynamic

Activities:

- Manual workshop to
 - Restore tools
 - Construct objects in recycled wood
 - Create compost
 - Make home cleaning products with natural products
 - Restore bicycles
- Testimonies of elderly people from a retirement home on the war period and the way they faced restrictions
- Debates and interventions on local trade and fair trade
- Visits of places engaged in local and fair trade

Expected outcomes:

- Participants go back home with concrete tools to change their way of consuming via the preparation of a log book, of manual techniques and informal learning
- Participants have found their place in the group and evolved in managing their daily life
- Participants have exchanged inside the group and with local population

Methodology:

We use the methods of non formal education: workshops, division of participants in small, big and mixed groups, manual work, sharing of experience and know-how, debates, participative evaluations... Participants are actively engaged in all the cycle of the project, from the preparation to the final realization. They constitute a group in every country to prepare the exchange, are active during the project and go home with concrete tools to spread the final outcomes.

Financial conditions:

100% food and lodgement covered by the project
70% travel costs anticipated by participants and then refunded
For the sending organization:
480, 00€ preparation cost for each promoter