



## **Training Course**

# "T.A.C.T. – Teenagers: Active Citizens of Tomorrow"

Berlin, 3-10 April 2015

### **Description:**

Over past several years the increased demand for teenage camps has made us look into this topic in a more careful way of what are the differences between teenage and regular workcamps. In order to assess the increased demand for teenage camps - which was coming from inside and outside the country - IJGD has started a Teenage Working Group, which was in charge of developing educational programme for the leaders and youth workers interested in running teenage programmes and workcamps. In order to make the work of Teenage Working Group more efficient as well as to share the outcomes of their work, we decided to apply for a training for leader of teenage camps, which should bring 20 experienced workcamp leaders from 5 countries to exchange their ideas and good practices their sending organizations have had in the past. The main aim of the training is to collect enough material to create a quidebook for leaders and youth workers interested in running teenage camps.

**Aim:** T.A.C.T. is a training course, which aims to support personal development of young people interested in working with teenagers and to encourage them to support young people who are just discovering the world of volunteering. Another aim is to develop a guidebook for the future leaders and youth worker who will be working with teenagers, which will contain recommendations and list important factors and differences work with teenagers requires.

#### **Objectives of this training are:**

- 1) to learn about legal and organizational requirements when it comes to work with teenagers;
- 2) to improve leadership skills;
- 3) to reflect on concept of culture and identity and improve

intercultural competences;

- 4) to learn how to run a project with teenagers;
- 5) to learn how to guide decision making process among the teenagers and learn how to give them the space to make their own decisions;
- 6) to improve teambuilding skills;
- 7) To learn new tools and practices of involvement of young people into intercultural learning through international voluntary programmes;
- 8) to improve communication skills and learn different ways of communicating
- 9) to discuss possible follow-ups and identify new potential projects in the field of teenage youth work.

#### Target group:

- volunteers and workamp leaders motivated in developing their skills further in direction of teenage education through volunteering,
- Preferred age of participants: 20+

#### **Date and venue:**

The training will take place in Berlin.

It will be 6 full working days, plus 2 travel days.

Arrival date: April 3rd Departure date: April 10th

#### **Finantial aspects**

- Accommodation and lodging are 100% covered by the Erasmus +(participants and trainers will live and cook together during the period of the training course)
- Travel expenses are partially covered by Erasmus + (the amount depends of the route to the venue of the training, from Italy will be covered at maximum 275€)

#### How to apply?

Send back by email to **scambi@lunaria.org** the filled application form. The deadline is **9**<sup>th</sup> **March 2015.**