



LUNARIA is a non-profit social promotion association, created in 1992. It is autonomous from religious and political affiliations and promotes peace, social and economic justice, equality, the safeguarding of citizenship rights, democracy and bottom-up participation, social inclusion and intercultural dialogue. International mobility and volunteering, youth policies, migrations and fight against racism, analysis of economic, social and public spending, sustainable development and the fight against inequalities are the core of its political and social engagement.

The working areas

OUR MISSION IS NETWORKING

1 INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY AND VOLUNTEERING
Activities: promotion and organization of international volunteering camps, in Italy and abroad, for minors, youth and adults; mid and long-term volunteering experiences; European Voluntary Service; enhancement of the volunteers' skills; hosting of Italian and French Civil Service young volunteers.

2 YOUTH ANIMATION AND ACTIVE CITIZENSHIP
Activities: promotion and organization of exchanges and training courses, non-formal educational activities at the local, national and international levels, involving persons of all ages.

3 MIGRATIONS AND FIGHT AGAINST RACISM
Activities: information, training, research, reporting, advocacy and campaigning to multiply antiracist practices and change public migration and asylum policies.

4 SBILANCIAMOCI! CAMPAIGN
Activities: coordination of a network of 48 civil society associations which are members of the campaign; advocacy; training, information and research to support alternative economic models based on justice, rights, peace and environmental sustainability; publication of yearly reports on Italian public spending; training seminars to read through local and national public budgets.

GOVERNANCE

Statutory positions are held on a voluntary basis, with no fee

PRESIDENCY COMMITTEE

President ♀
 Vice-president ♂
 3 Members elected by the Members' Assembly ♀♀♂
 1 Permanent invitee ♀

MEMBERS' ASSEMBLY

653 Members
 Guarantors' Committee:
 3 Members elected by the Assembly ♀♂♂

CO-WORKERS

13 staff (4 with project contracts and 9 with open-ended ones). ♀♀♀♀♀♀♀♂♂♂♂

In the attempt to improve its co-workers' life and work times and the overall organizational well-being, in 2017 Lunaria has continued the experimentation, launched in 2016, of new internal working regulations.

6 Italian Civil Service volunteers ♀♀♂♂♂♂
 6 French Civil Service volunteers ♀♀♀♀♀♀
 3 trainees with the Lazio Regional Government's "Torno Subito" (Will Be Right Back) Program ♀♀♂

WE COOPERATE WITH

- Social promotion associations and companies
- NGOs
- Social centers and movements
- Public universities and private research institutions
- National and international civil society networks
- National and international campaigns
- Media and information websites
- Trade unions
- Local and regional authorities

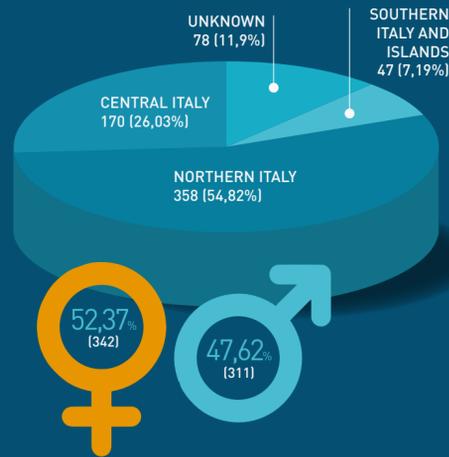
WHO FUNDS US

- Members
- Individual citizens
- Foundations
- Local and regional authorities
- National institutions
- European institutions

OUR SOCIAL IMPACT

- 65,175 direct beneficiaries of our activities
- 6 publications
- 8 awareness-raising and advocacy campaigns
- 2 hearings at the Italian House of Parliament
- 20 public events organized
- 3 training courses organized
- 3,000 articles published
- 151 media coverages (newspapers, magazines, press agencies, TV and radio broadcastings)
- 221 Internet websites which have quoted our work

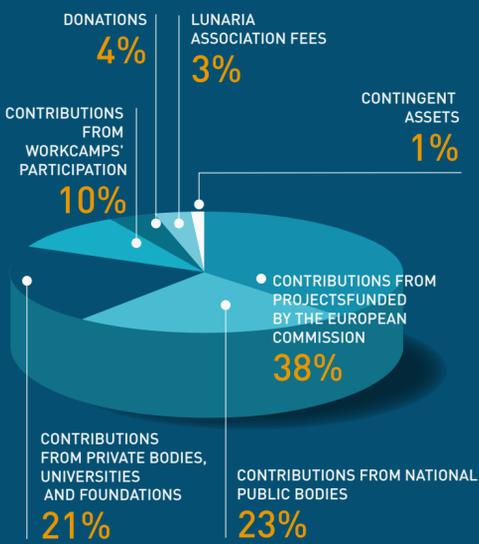
MEMBERS BY GEOGRAPHICAL ORIGIN



MEMBERS BY GENDER

OUR BUDGET

Revenues: € 677,742



HOW WE COMMUNICATE

We adopt a cross-media approach to raise awareness, share ideas, experiences and success stories, using varied tools and languages to reach Members, activists, partners, media and public decision-makers.



OUR WEBSITES

www.lunaria.org	272,403	UNIQUE VISITORS IN ONE YEAR
www.cronachediordinariorazzismo.org	245,636	UNIQUE VISITORS IN ONE YEAR
www.sbilanciamoci.org	160,341	UNIQUE VISITORS IN ONE YEAR
www.sbilanciamoci.info	118,755	UNIQUE VISITORS IN ONE YEAR
controfinanziaria/sbilanciamoci.org	20,106	UNIQUE VISITORS IN ONE YEAR



2017 Social Responsibility Report



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1 International mobility and volunteering

Since 1992 Lunaria promotes international volunteering camps: more than 24,000 Italian and foreign volunteers have participated so far. We network with local and international organizations, with the involvement of volunteers with different nationalities on projects based on the values of dialogue, living together and peace. We promote short-term collective volunteering (2-3 weeks) and medium and long-term individual mobility schemes (1-12 months). Since 2013 we also organize workcamps addressed to minor volunteers, responding to a growing interest by underage youngsters, their families and schools in this kind of educational experience.

WHAT WE HAVE DONE IN 2017

WORKCAMP

Volunteering workcamps are experiences of international solidarity and cooperation allowing socially useful activities: from the restoring and reconstruction of public social spaces to the support to disabled persons, cleaning up of woods and beaches, animation with children, and many other socially useful activities.

In 2017 we have:

- organized the departure of 529 Italian volunteers to 42 different countries
- hosted in Italy 297 foreign volunteers from 31 countries
- organized 30 volunteering workcamps in Italy
- involved in our workcamps 202 underage volunteers
- promoted 1,750 workcamps organized by partner volunteering NGOs
- organized 4 workcamps in Italy for underage volunteers

INDIVIDUAL MOBILITY

Lunaria promotes the participation of young people to medium and long-term volunteering projects and to the European Voluntary Service.

Medium and long-term volunteering projects

take place all over the world, are open to youth who are at least 21 years old and have had previous experiences as volunteers.

European Voluntary Service is open to all young people resident in Europe and who are between 18 and 30 years of age.

In addition to a strong motivation, good adaptability and curiosity to learn in a foreign country, no specific requirements are requested.

In 2017 we have:

- involved 10 volunteers

EUROPEAN PROJECTS

Every year we organize monitoring, research and training activities to increase and improve our international volunteering and active citizenship initiatives.

In 2017 we have:

- promoted sport for all, thanks to the "NOMADS" project, involving young athletes and international volunteers in a training course and tens of workshops in 6 different countries.



- valued the skills of 80+ persons, developing through the "Active 80+" project training materials for care-givers and senior volunteers: 250 persons have been involved in 5 countries, and three kinds of handbooks produced.

JOINT CAMPAIGNS

Access for All Campaign

To support economically, socially and culturally disadvantaged volunteers

- www.alliance-network.eu/our-campaigns/accessing-campaign
- 200 volunteers with fewer opportunities have been involved

1 table 4 all

For gender equality, against inequalities, and for a Europe for all

- <http://www.alliance-network.eu/our-campaigns/1table4all/>

OUR NETWORK

- we cooperate with over 90 civil society NGOs worldwide, through the network of the Alliance of European Voluntary Service Organisations, of which we are part since 1993
- in Italy we work with hundreds of local governments, local development bodies, third sector, cultural and environmental associations, youth and youth information centers, as well as with individual citizens who support our activities.

2 Youth animation and active citizenship

Through youth exchanges and training courses, we promote local, European and international non-formal education activities. Our working methodology is based on peer education and learning by doing.

Youth exchanges, with the twofold aim of learning to recognize and manage prejudices and stereotypes and to develop respect for diversities, involve young people of different nationalities. Training courses favor the exchange of working methods among social operators, peer educators and volunteers active in the educational field.

WHAT WE HAVE DONE IN 2017

8 PROJECTS ON:

- migrations and anti-racism
- gender issues
- social inclusion, mainly targeted on disabilities

GEM

One training course and one youth exchange to experiment new working methods and tools (such as cartoon and photography), to analyze, within a gender framework, xenophobic hate-speech.

- 30 participants
- Participating countries: Germany, Romania, Poland, Spain, Finland, Greece, Hungary, France, Denmark, Italy

THE BUTTERFLY EFFECT

One training course, three job-shadowing and one youth exchange to teach tools and methodologies aiming at raising young people's awareness against racism and xenophobia targeting migrants and refugees.

- 34 participants
- 4 job-shadowing volunteers
- Participating countries: Italy, Romania, Slovakia, Turkey

THE POT OF GOLD

One training course and one youth exchange during which expressive arts have been employed to combat hate speech and sexist discrimination.

- 63 participants

- Participating countries: France, Greece, Italy, Spain

PEOPLE FIRST

A training course to develop communication tools and working methodologies useful to raise the awareness of local communities on human rights, with an emphasis on citizenship rights and the rights of migrants and refugees.

- 27 participants
- Participating countries: Netherlands, France, Romania, Malta, Portugal, Greece, Slovakia, Germany, Italy

THE SOUND OF LIGHT

One training course, one short-term European Voluntary Service and one youth exchange supporting the social participation of hearing impaired persons.

- 65 participants

MOBILITY SCOUTS

Adults' training and active citizenship schemes to foster public spaces and service accessible also to senior citizens, and to overcome logistic and architectural barriers limiting later-life active participation in public life. With the cooperation of the AGE Platform Europe.

- 350 participants

- Participating countries: Austria, Germany, Lithuania, Netherlands, Italy

EURhOmeCARE

Research, good practice exchanges, training and advocacy for the rights of older citizens to improve the home care offer provided for them and the possibility of a more active later-life citizenship. The project is presently in its initial phases: the number of participants will be included in next year's Social Responsibility Report.

- Participating countries: Austria, Germany, Italy, Turkey

STAGED!

Two international training courses in South East Asia and one in Italy on the issues of female empowerment and gender equality, and three international workcamps in South East Asia.

- 821 participants
- Participating countries: France, Romania, Myanmar, Vietnam, Indonesia, Italy

RESULTS

- 9 training courses
- 6 youth exchanges
- 5 volunteers' workcamps
- 1,094 participating youth and youth workers
- 6 toolkits
- 3 job-shadowing

3 Migrations and fight against racism

Since 1996 we fight against racism, discrimination and xenophobia and to support foreign citizens and migrants' rights. We promote research, training, analysis and advocacy to influence and re-orient public policies on migrations and asylum-seeking, and to multiply anti-racist practices. In 2017 we have mobilized against the so-called "Minniti-Orlando Decrees", for more just national and EU policies, for a humane hosting system and a fair information about migrations. The website www.cronachediordinariorazzismo.org is dedicated to our information activities, as well as to our political and cultural animation initiatives.

WHAT WE HAVE DONE IN 2017

FOURTH WHITE BOOK ON RACISM IN ITALY

In Cronache di ordinario razzismo. Quarto Libro bianco sul razzismo in Italia (Chronicles of Ordinary Racism. Fourth White Book on Racism in Italy) we have reported on daily racism in the Italian society, media and public discourse, starting from 1,453 documented cases of racist discrimination and violence included in our online database from 01 January 2015 to 31 May 2017.

- 4,644 download of the Book until 31 December 2017
- 8 public presentations throughout Italy, with around 450 participants

STRENGTHENING LUNARIA ACTIVITIES COUNTERING DISCRIMINATION AND RACISM

Thanks to this two-year project, supported by the OSF Foundation, we have continued to carry out our daily monitoring and research on the evolution of racism in Italy, to organize training courses, and to promote advocacy activities targeted at safeguarding citizenship rights.

- Dossier Accoglienza. La propaganda e le proteste del rifiuto (Hosting, Propaganda and Denial Protests) - 3,270 download until 31 December 2017
- Dossier Cittadinanza. Ancora ospiti, ma sono cittadini (Citizenship. Still Guests, but They Are Citizens) - 2,141 download until 31 December 2017
- Dossier Discorsi e reati razzisti,

condotte discriminatorie (Racist Discourses and Crimes, Discriminating Behaviors), on the most recent judiciary sentences - 1,270 download until 31 December 2017

- 2 training courses in Florence and Taranto

PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSION ON INTOLERANCE, XENOPHOBIA, RACISM AND HATE PHENOMENA

As a civil society NGO, we have participated to the Italian Parliamentary Commission established by Laura Boldrini, President of the Chamber of Deputies, with the aim of analyzing the development of intolerance and hate in their different forms, and to elaborate proposals to prevent and counter them. On 20 July 2017 the Commission's Final Report has been released.

- 6 working sessions

RE-YOU-EU

Rome, Barcelona and Thessaloniki: together to prevent and combat racism at the local, national and European level, and to develop a structured dialogue between young people and institutions. Which are the methods and tools to counter racism? How to strengthen institutional commitments? These are some of the many questions at the center of the project's activities, i.e. one national workshop, one youth consultation, one international meeting and one online awareness campaign.

- One workshop of youth activists held in Rome
- 30 participants
- Countries involved: Spain, Greece, Italy

JOINT CAMPAIGNS

L'Italia sono anch'io (I Too Am Italy) To reform the citizenship law: www.litaliasonoanchio.it

- 7 sit-ins
- 2 meetings at the Italian Senate
- 1 press conference

Rete Romaccoglie (The Rome-hosts Network)

For a humane hosting system

- 3 network's meetings
- 2 sit-ins in Rome against the so-called "Minniti Decree"
- 1 public meeting

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION

www.cronachediordinariorazzismo.org
#information, #analysis, #research, #database on racism

- 245,636 unique visitors in one year
- 381 articles published
- 31 newsletter circulated
- 6,187 racism cases collected in our database

OUR IMPACT

83 media coverages (TV, radio, daily newspapers)
98 websites which have reported about our work

4 Sbilanciamoci! Campaign

Since 1999 we coordinate the Sbilanciamoci! (Let's Get Unbalanced!) Campaign, a coalition of 48 civil society organizations. Through research, reporting and advocacy, as well as political and cultural animation, we are engaged in the making of a new development model based on rights, environmental sustainability, solidarity and peace. In 2017, building on the Sbilanciamo le città. Capire e cambiare i bilanci locali (Let's Unbalance Cities. To Understand and to Change Municipalities' Budgets) workshops, we have developed a training format leading the promotion of the first edition of Sbilanciamo i conti pubblici (Let's Unbalance Public Accounts), focusing on the Italian State budget.

WHAT WE HAVE DONE IN 2017

SBILANCIAMOCI! YEARLY REPORT

In 2017 the 19th edition of the Sbilanciamoci! yearly Report Come usare la spesa pubblica per i diritti, la pace e l'ambiente (How to Use Public Spending for Rights, Peace, and the Environment) has been published. Thanks to a collective work, we have analyzed the State Budget Proposal presented by the Government to the Parliament, and we have developed an alternative Budget proposal: 42.2 billion euro against inequalities and in favor of social justice. To summarize: we explain how the State spends our money, and how it could invest it better.

- 48 associations joining the Campaign
- 111 alternative, concrete and right away viable Budget proposals
- 9,682 downloads of the Report
- 1 dedicated online platform: controfinanziaria.sbilanciamoci.org
- 1 interactive infographic
- 2 hearings at the joint Budget Commissions of the House of Parliament and the Senate

LET'S UNBALANCE PUBLIC ACCOUNTS!

Two intense training days to learn how to read the Italian State Budget, with its procedures and its financial and fiscal constraints, and the actual space for alternative choices and measures.

- 14 speakers

- 30 participants
- 16 training hours

SBILANCIAMOCI.INFO

Starting from the activity of the Sbilanciamoci! Campaign, a new website has been created in 2008, www.sbilanciamoci.info: an information tool on economic and social alternatives, promoted by a group of economists, activists, researchers, journalists, students, and trade unionists.

- 500 authors
- 60 newsletters circulated
- 13,000 newsletter recipients

OPEN BUDGET SURVEY

Since 2010 we carry out the Italian State Budget process monitoring in the Open Budget Survey, i.e. the most important world independent Report on State Budgets' transparency and openness.

- 1 World Report: <https://www.internationalbudget.org/open-budget-survey/>
- 115 countries involved

JOINT CAMPAIGNS

Stop Ttip Italia
Information, awareness-raising and advocacy on the Members of the Italian Parliament against the ratification of the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP), and of the Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement

(CETA) with Canada
<https://stop-ttip-italia.net/>

Un'altra difesa è possibile (Another Defense is Possible)

A national Campaigning involving 450 NGOs aimed at the creation of a Civil, non-armed and nonviolent Defense Government Department www.difescivilenonviolenta.org/

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION

- www.sbilanciamoci.org, Campaign's website with information about its activities and its member organizations: 160,341 unique visitors in one year
- controfinanziaria.sbilanciamoci.org, web-platform dedicated to the Sbilanciamoci!'s yearly Report Come usare la spesa pubblica per i diritti, la pace e l'ambiente (How to Use Public Spending for Rights, Peace, and the Environment): 20,106 unique visitors in one year
- www.sbilanciamoci.info, webzine of economic, political and social information and in-depth analysis: 118,775 unique visitors in one year

OUR IMPACT

48 media coverages (newspapers, magazines, press agencies, TV and radio broadcastings)
89 websites which have quoted Sbilanciamoci! and its initiatives

