

**ERASMUS + PROGRAMME**  
**KA-153 – MOBILITY OF YOUTH WORKERS**  
**“DIGIBOX 3.0”**

**Hosted by: Malta UNESCO Youth Association (MUYA)**

A training course which aims to promote the use of digital tools and new media channels to increase operational capacity and effectiveness of youth organisations in the digital era.

**Description:**

"DIGIBOX 3.0" is a training course which will be organised by the Malta UNESCO Youth Association at Marsaxlokk Youth Activity Centre, Malta from the 24<sup>th</sup> of April to the 1<sup>st</sup> of May 2024 (7 working days 24/04 to 30/04 and 1 travel day) following the guidelines for 2022 of Key Action 1 -Mobility of youth workers, Erasmus+ programme of the European Commission.

Supported by trainers and support staff, this project will include 31 participants from 10 countries (Malta, Estonia, Austria, Slovenia, Kosovo, Latvia, Spain, Portugal, Germany and Sweden).

The ideal participant for the training course is envisioned as a full member of the partner organization. Additionally, she/he should have at least intermediate level of English, be in the age above 18 and hold a residency in the country participating in the project. Participants who are involved with their NGO Public Relations / Media / Marketing duties will be preferred.

**Main Objectives:**

- to discuss the current use of digital tools by organizations and analyze their potential to grow;
- to critically look at the threats and opportunities of online media as a discussion forum;
- raising awareness of how digital tools and new media can aid youth work and help to create greater impact of present-day youth activities;
- to develop competences of participants to become effective and versatile users of available digital tools;
- to create space for effective transfer of know-how in regards to media literacy and digitalization across Europe;
- to exchange tools, methods, ideas in the use of modern technologies across youth organizations in Europe;
- to foster European cooperation in the youth field and support the development of new innovative solutions for new generations of digitalized youth organizations;
- to update & spread a user-friendly collection of digital tools and promote it amongst youth organizations across Europe;

**Venue:**

Marsaxlokk Youth Activity Centre, St Francis Street, Marsaxlokk MXK, 1432, Malta

**IMPORTANT Note: Towels and Bed Linen will NOT be provided.** Participants will be distributed in twin or triple rooms.

**Food:**

Breakfast will be provided by host organisation.

Lunch and Dinner will be provided by an on-site cook. **Dietary needs will be respected if mentioned prior to the training course, in the participant application forms.**

#### Target group:

- Youth workers aged 18-30, leader can be 30+.
- Ideally, participants should be in a position of daily upkeeping the social media platforms for their NGOs.

#### Dates:

24<sup>th</sup> April – 1<sup>st</sup> of May 2024 (including arrival and departure dates).

Arrival day: 24<sup>th</sup> April, **LATEST 18:00**. Please contact me before purchasing your flights and wait for confirmation. A dinner will be served at 19:00, and a “Get to know each other” informal session will take place at 19:30. I would appreciate everyone being ready at the accommodation by that time.

Departure day: 1<sup>st</sup> of May, **Between 8:00 and 12:00**.

#### Working Language:

English – It is imperative that all participants have good knowledge of English.

#### Costs:

Food, Lodging and educational costs are 100% covered by the Program.

**Participation Fee from each participant: 25 Euro** (will be deducted from re-imbursement)

Travel Costs: 100% covered by the Program up to the limit indicated in the table for every participant from each country. Note: All receipts must be provided, including boarding passes for reimbursement to be submitted.

Country of Origin	Distance Band	Number of Participants + Trainers	Travel Grant per Participant
Malta	0-99km	3 + 3	€ 23
Austria	500 – 199km	0 + 1	€ 275
Estonia	2000 – 2999 km	2 + 1	€ 360
Germany	500 – 199km	3	€ 275
Latvia	2000-2999 km	3	€ 360
Kosovo	500-1999 km	3	€ 275
Portugal	2000 – 2999 km	3	€ 360
Slovenia	500-1999 km	3	€ 275
Spain	2000-2999 km	3	€ 360
Sweden	2000-2999 km	3	€ 360

Participants can travel by: plane (economy class), bus, train (second class), city public transport. **(Therefore, not TAXIS)**. Contact Bernard at [bernard@muya.info](mailto:bernard@muya.info) if you require more assistance.

All costs will be refunded in EURO after the Training Course, provided that:

- All requested receipts are given in advance, including but not limited to Boarding Passes and flight/train/bus tickets.
- The participant participates fully during the training course. Any participant who skips sessions voluntarily will have the reimbursement deducted.

Finally, please make copies (or even better, scan or take photographs) of your tickets and invoices and email these to [bernard@muya.info](mailto:bernard@muya.info) with the subject title “TRAVEL INFO – Name Surname, Country”

before you come to the project to know your arrival/departures time. Please keep copies or screenshots of mobile boarding passes, **especially RyanAir Apps since these disappear after the flight.**

### Weather:

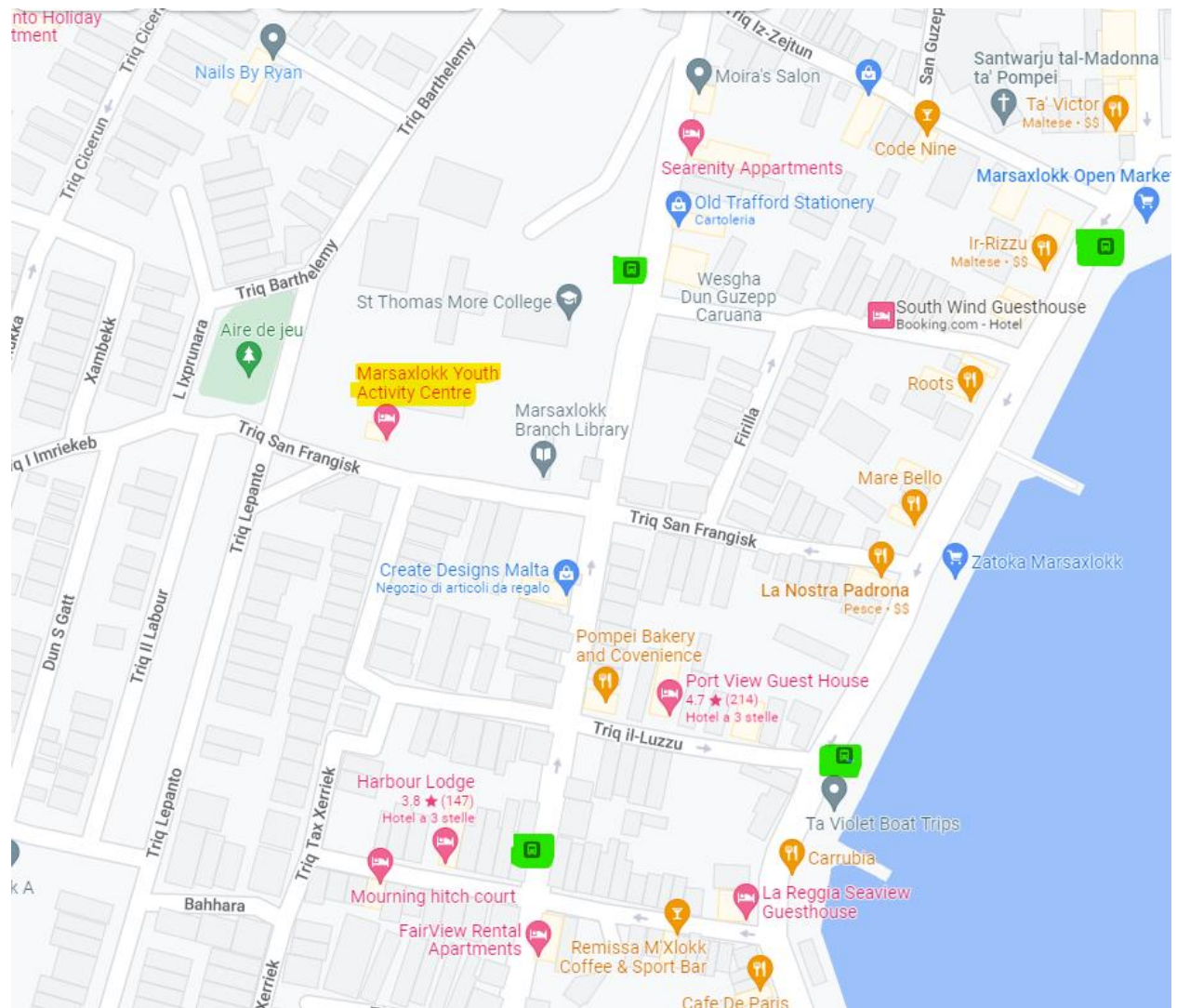
Malta is a hot country as you know. In April, it is normal to have 20C+ during the day and 15C+ during the night. Therefore, I would suggest light clothes with warmer layers. Closer to the date we will let you know better what to expect as end of April is weather turnover period.

### Partner Organisations:

Legal name	Country
MITTETULUNDUSUHING SHOKKIN GROUP	Estonia
CENTER FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING PRIZREN	Kosovo
ASSOCIACAO INTERCULTURAL PARA TODOS	Portugal
coobra - cooperativa braccianti	Austria
EXPRESS YOURSELF	Latvia
Klub Studentov Kranj	Slovenia
VILLA gGmbH	Germany
Ticket2Europe	Spain
Förenad Jämlikhet	Sweden

### How to get to venue:

Closest bus stop is “Xerriex” then either of “Arznell”, “Marsaxlokk” and “Sajjieda” are also great options with less than 5 minutes walk. Directly from the Airport there is bus Number “119” which takes you directly to “Xerriex”.



You can make use of the Journey planner of our transport system to get to the venue:

<https://www.publictransport.com.mt/en/trip-planner>

### Number of Participants:

Each Partner organisation shall recruit participants as per the table above. Each country must have a leader / main point of reference.

### What to bring?

- Clothes
- **TOWEL AND BED LINEN (2 sheets and pillow case)**
- **LAPTOP – All participants must have a laptop to work on during the TC.**
- Sunscreen
- Toiletries (showering gel, shampoo, conditioner, etc.)
- Bathing Suit (depending on weather)
- Beach towel (depending on weather)
- Sun glasses
- **Intercultural Evening material: Traditional culinary items (food, drinks), materials, items etc.**  
All cultures & flags are welcome, doesn't have to be country specific. There will be time/resource given to prepare some fast foods if needed.
- Sandals for Beach
- Comfortable shoes
- **Insect Repellent** (Mosquitos due to high temperature and humidity in Malta)

### Trainers:

Pavel Vassiljev (Estonia)

Marcus Vrečer (Austria)

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## Training Course: Digibox 3.0 (23.04-30.04), Malta

Time/Date	Day 0 Coming 24.04	Day 1 Building Base 25.04	Day 2 Discovering 26.04	Day 3 Sharing 27.04	Day 4 Relaxing 28.04	Day 5 Testing 29.04	Day 6 Planning 30.04	Day 7 Crying 01.05
08:30-09:45	Training Kick-off	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
Session 1 09:45-11:30		Official Start	Daystarter	Daystarter	Daystarter	Daystarter	Daystarter	Last Words
11:30-12:00		Training Intro	Opportunity or Threat?	Media Space I	Offline taken Online	ActionBound results	Follow-Up Projects & Groups	Departure s
Session 2 12:00-13:30		Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	
13:30-15:30		Team-Building	Opportunity or Threat?	Media Space I	Offline taken Online	Media Project	Group Prez & Dissemination Plans	
Session 3 15:30-17:00		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	
17:00-17:30		New Media & Youth Trends	Media Around Us	Media Lab	Local Discovery	Media Project	Final Evaluation	
Session 4 17:30-18:30		Coffee break	Coffee break		Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	
18:30-19:00		MiL in Youth Work	Digital Security Game		Local Discovery	Progress Presentations	Farewell Evening	
19:00-20:00		Reflection time	Reflection time	Reflection time	Reflection time	Reflection time		
Evening 20:30	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner		
	Meet & Greet	Intercultural Talks	Open Evening	Free Evening	Maltese Evening	Free Evening		