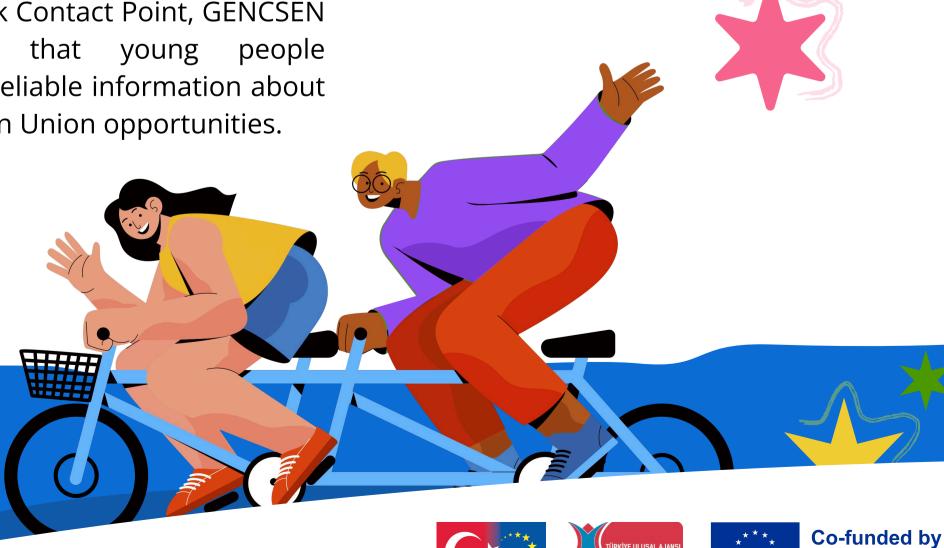


GENÇSEN is a non-profit organization that finds its muse from young people. Believing that the spark of the future lies in the hands of youth, GENCSEN was founded in Ankara in 2015 and was carried to this day through the great dedication of its community. We also made sure to include refugee and asylum-seeking youth among us. GENCSEN prioritizes these five areas, involving young people in each step taken:

- 1. Volunteering: As an accredited organization under the European Solidarity Corps (ESC), GENCSEN facilitates a variety of volunteering projects.
- 3. Youth **Exchanges: GENCSEN** international organizes youth exchanges and training courses that change lives.
- **Information:** 5. Youth As Eurodesk Contact Point, GENCSEN ensures that young receive reliable information about European Union opportunities.

- 2. Social Cohesion: GENCSEN also gives emphasis to social cohesion, particularly in supporting the integration of refugees and immigrants.
- 4. Youth Policy: Our association contributes to national youth living standards and possible opportunities.

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DESCRIPTION

"Digitally Enriched Quality Partnership in Youth Work" is an innovative Erasmus+ training course designed for youth workers who are deeply committed to making the most of digital tools and strategies to enhance the quality and impact of their partnerships within the realm of non-formal learning. This project aims to bridge the gap between traditional youth work practices and the rapidly evolving digital landscape so that youth organizations can catch the pace as well-equipped as possible to make meaningful collaborations and develop effective youth projects in the digital age.

Digitally Enriched Quality Partnership in **Youth Work Training Course** focuses on comprehensive literacy in various digital competencies relevant to partnership building. Participants will engage in a collaborative process to develop practical digital tools and frameworks for effective international cooperation. This includes exploring online collaboration platforms, digital communication strategies, virtual mobility concepts, and data-driven approaches to project management and evaluation.

Youth workers will be actively involved in developing practical digital methodologies and resources that can be directly applied in their youth work contexts as well as facilitating the transfer of newly acquired knowledge into tangible resources for improved partnership management and project implementation.

This project is specifically targeted at individuals actively engaged in youth work and non-formal learning settings who are eager to expand their methodological knowledge, contribute to the creation of innovative digital tools for partnership, and promote European values through their practice by broadening their horizons and building stronger, more digitally aware collaborations across borders.









ESCRIPTION

WHAT YOU WILL GAIN



"Digitally Enriched Quality Partnership in Youth Work" offers a transformative experience that extends far beyond the duration of the training itself. In this project: You will deepen your literacy in critical digital competencies and contemporary topics essential for modern youth work partnerships, specifically gaining enhanced understanding and practical application in digital communication, online collaboration tools, and virtual project management. This comprehensive approach ensures you are well-equipped to navigate the evolving landscape of digital youth work collaborations. A key outcome of your participation will be your active involvement in a collaborative process to develop digital tools and frameworks. You won't just learn about digital strategies; you will contribute to creating practical, ready-to-use resources that directly address real-world needs in building high-quality youth work partnerships. The opportunity of co-creating digital instruments will significantly enhance your capacity in managing international projects and facilitating non-formal learning in a digitally enriched environment, enabling you to design more impactful and engaging activities and partnerships for the young people you work with.















Arrival & Departure



All participants are expected to arrive at the project site on September 9,2025 and depart from the project site on **September 17, 2025.**

Environmental Responsibility and **Green Travel Costs:** All participants are expected to elect the more eco-friendly mode of travel whenever it is available to preserve our environment and to help reduce the environmental impact of the project. Green Travel Costs apply only if more than half of the distance travelled is covered using an eco-friendly mode of transportation. (e.g., train, bus, carpooling)

Flexible Travel Dates

Airplane travel may be scheduled for up to 2 days before or 2 days after the official project dates, if needed.

Ticket Purchase

Do not buy any tickets without confirmation from your sending organisation. Tickets purchased without confirmation cannot be reimbursed.

Ticket Class

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Retention of Travel Documents

Make sure to retain all tickets and boarding passes (online or paper) as proof of travel. Physical tickets must be submitted to the coordinating organisation during the project or mailed within 15 days of its completion. If these documents are not provided, reimbursement cannot be processed.

Any attempt to falsify or forge invoices, boarding passes, or ticket prices will result in automatic disqualification from reimbursement. Fraudulent behavior will be reported to the sending organisation and any relevant authorities.

Reimbursement Eligibility

To quality for travel expense reimbursement, participants must be present from the arrival date until the departure date

Reimbursement Deadlines

Reimbursement will not be made after the specified deadline. Failure to submit required documentation by the deadline will result in the forfeiture of the right to reimbursement.

Online Form Completion:

Participants are expected to fill the form (provided after the project?) and attach all documents after the completion of your trip.









TRANSPORTATION.

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Option 1: From Milas-Bodrum Airport



- Milas-Bodrum Airport → (Havaş shuttle) → Milas Bus Station
- Milas Bus Station → (Private coach company) → Didim Bus Station
- Didim Bus Station → (Taxi or minibus) → Ankara University Didim ÖRSEM

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Option 2: From İzmir Adnan Menderes Airport

- İzmir Adnan Menderes Airport → (Havaş shuttle) → Didim Bus Terminal
 - → Ankara University Didim ÖRSEM

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Place: Ankara Üniversitesi Didim Sosyal Tesisleri

Place: Altınkum, 256. Sk. No:3, 09270 Didim/Aydın

Website: https://sosyaltesisler.ankara.
edu.tr/didim-orsem//

The **location** offers a variety of possibilities thrilling ranging from daily sports activities, entertainment to relaxation opportunities. These **include** animation shows, dance performances, music sessions, water sports training, beach volley and fun tournaments. The facility features swimming pools for adults and children, complete with waterslides, and a direct access to the beach and sea.









ACCOMMODATION



You will be **accommodated** in triple-occupancy rooms with private bathrooms. Rooms offer air-conditioning, a mini-fridge and a television. Female and male participants will be housed in **separate rooms** to ensure privacy and comfort.

Dining includes breakfast and dinner, served in a open-buffet setting. Lunch will be served in the form of appetizers.











ACCOMMODATION















THE WORLD LOVES DIDIM

The "World Loves Didim" cultural festival is a vibrant international event held annually in Didim, a coastal town in Türkiye. Organized under the leadership of Didim District Governorship, Didim Municipality, and Didim City Council with the support of professional chambers, civil society organizations and the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management, the festival celebrates cultural diversity, peace and intercultural harmony.













The festival brings **together** residents from many countries who live in and around Didim, who contribute to the event with their flags, traditional clothes, cuisine, music, arts and crafts.

The one - day festivalm, which takes place on X of September, also includes live performances of **traditional dances of Türkiye** and other countries as well, art workshops for children, cultural exhibitions, and concerts.

We will also be participating in this wonderful event during the project. With its **welcoming atmosphere** and wide range of cultural activities, the festival reflects the spirit of unity and mutual respect.









Intercultural Evening Preparation Food, snacks, and drinks from your country Music (playlist or the instrument) Flags Traditional clothing or accessories Traditional games or items Daily Essentials Your presentation material (PowerPoint, Canva, etc.) Personal hygiene items (shampoo, toothbrush, toothpaste, soap, etc.) Skincare products Medications Sunglasses and sunscreen Clothing Comfortable outfits for daily activities Lightweight jacket or sweater for cooler evenings Sleepwear **Co-funded by** the European Union





Documents

- Passport or ID
- Personal travel health insurance
- Travel tickets



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Useful items

- Chargers
- Camera
- Adapters for electronic devices
- Books or games
- Snacks to share during activities

Additional Notes:

- Engage actively in cultural sharing and group activities
- Keep personal belongings organized and secure
- Make sure you have everything you need
- Embrace differences with respect.











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