

ActiveOpoly



Start: 24th of November, 2019.

End: 30th of November, 2019.

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Introduction

ActiveOpoly is a 7 day (+2 traveling days) training course which is going to be held in Šibenik, Croatia with 29 people coming from 8 countries these being Croatia, Finland, Italy, Spain, Poland, Malta, Romania and Estonia.

This training course will be carried out between the 24th and 30th of November 2019 in Šibenik, Croatia.

We did a research among some of the youth workers of the partner organizations and we found out that a number of youth workers feel that they need new tools that they can make use of so as to make their youth work more interesting, more inclusive and more interactive. From there we came up with the idea of equipping our youth workers with knowledge on how they can make use of board games as a tool in their youth work to promote active citizenship.

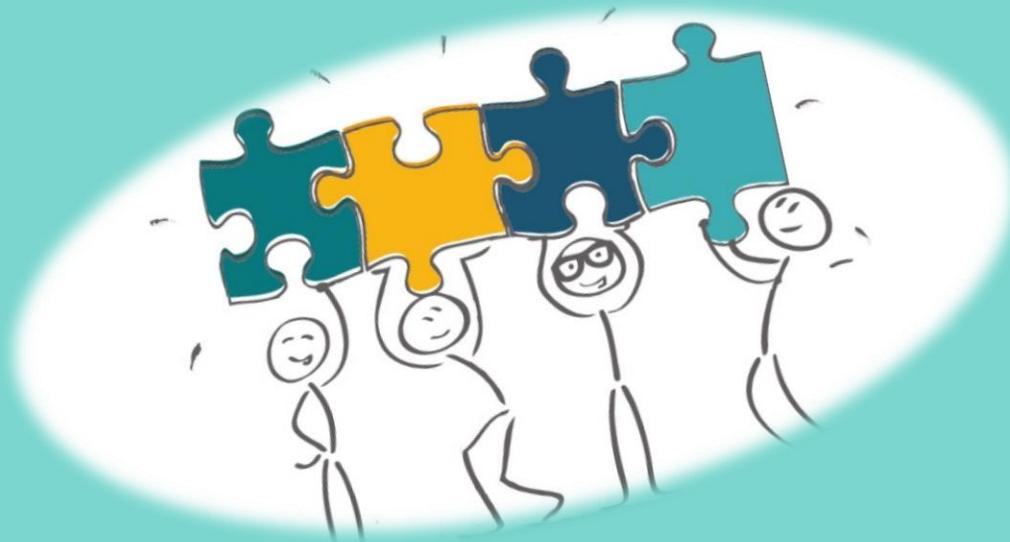
Thus the main aim of this project is to equip participants with knowledge on how to create new tools that they can make use of in their youth work, the focus will be on making use of board games as a tool. However, the knowledge gained can be used for creating different tools for different topics.

All the activities involved will include non-formal methods of learning. The programme is divided in a way that one session leads to another, thus creating a flow that keeps the participants learning and also keeps them motivated and always ready for the next step.

The training will be divided into three main parts:

1. In the first part, the participants will go deeper into the subject of active citizenship and how to motivate young people to be active citizens.
2. In the second part, the participants will create their own board games in groups and test them out with local young people from the city of Šibenik.
3. In the final part, participants will make videos on how to play the board games and upload all material to create the game online on a website that will be created for the purpose of this project.

The project will have a flow that will lead from one session to another and each session will build on to the next, with the climax being the creation of the board game itself.



OUR OBJECTIVES

The objectives of this project are:

- to encourage active participation of young people in socio-political democratic life on local, national and European level
- to raise awareness about the learner-centered approach in developing non-formal educational activities for young people on the topic of citizenship education and European citizenship while developing, practicing and evaluating tools which aim at enhancing young people's feeling of ownership and belonging with regards Europe
- to provide opportunities for youth workers to develop multiplying initiatives to be implemented in their respective countries
- to share experiences and good practices of active citizenship
- to increase motivation for taking part in future education or training after the mobility period abroad.



About the city

Šibenik, a gem in the Croatian Adriatic, is situated along the mouth of Krka on the most picturesque part of the eastern Adriatic coast. As the oldest Croatian autochthonous town it was first mentioned in 1066 during the reign of the Croatian King Kresimir IV.

The rich cultural and historical heritage of the city is visible in the impressive Cathedral of sv. Jakov [St. Jacob], built by the famous architect Juraj Dalmatinac and is under UNESCO protection. Numerous churches, monasteries, palaces and four fortresses 'frame' the city, and also testify to the perseverance, renunciation and faith of generations of people of Šibenik. Šibenik is a city of culture, the host to the only International Children's Festival as well as traditional events such as Dalmatian chanson Evenings.

Near the town there are two national parks - Krka and Kornati whose fascinating landscapes take visitors breath away.

The Falcon Centre, only eight kilometers away from Šibenik, in a beautiful dense pine forest is a unique place where visitors can meet and learn about the life of falcons, and Etnoland Dalmati near the Krka National Park offers visitors the chance to learn through real life experience about the Dalmatian hinterland's past.



Practicalities

We will be accommodated in "Mihovil rooms" in the City of Šibenik. More information can be found on <http://www.rooms-sibenik.com/?lang=hr>. The venue is easily accessible from the highway and only 2km away from the bus station.



*The currency in Croatia is Croatian Kuna (HRK). Exchange offices can be found at the bus or train stations, border crosses, at the airports or in the city.

This training course is co-financed by ERASMUS+ programme. Food and accommodation are covered by the project and the travel is covered by the lump sum provided by the distance calculator.

Bellow you can find the **MAXIMUM** amount per person which will be covered by the project. Keep in mind that you have to use optimal way of transport and only the real costs will be reimbursed.



Italy	180 €
Finland	275 €
Spain	275 €
Poland	275 €
Malta	275 €
Romania	275 €
Estonia	275 €

Please note that the way of your transport has to be discussed with the host organization before spending any money!

If you want to spend more time in Šibenik, it is possible, but you would have to cover the costs by yourselves. You are allowed to stay for an extra 3 days over and above the dates of the training. These could be either before or after the training. Kindly inform us about your pro-longed stay.

Registration

Please, fill the registration form on:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfGk47F28tLbgPg_qgAw_gYZf0fOR8VFpFASkNgBzrwouDAyA/viewform

Reimbursement

Travel costs reimbursements will be carried out after the submission of all the documents. The reimbursement will be provided via bank transfer, after filling the form which will be provided to you during the project activities.

Participants will be asked to supply us with bank information so as to have the necessary details to make the money transfer.



What to prepare before arriving?

Before coming to this training course, we want you to prepare some things:

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1. prepare the information about your organisation in a creative way
 2. bring some food and drinks from home to share during the intercultural evening
 3. bring Typical Board Games/ideas of games from your home country

If you need further information please contact us on info@num.hr.

