

Partner organisation

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Profile

Type of organization	NGO
Is the partner organization a public body?	
Is the partner organization a non-profit?	Non governmental organization

Accreditation

Has the organization received any type of accreditation before submitting this application?

Accreditation type	Accreditation reference
Supporting/Receiving Quality Label	2021-1-PL01-ESC50-096668

Background and experience

Please briefly present the partner organization.

“Future in Our Hands ” Youth non-governmental organization’s general idea is to carry out socially useful activity. The members of the organization are mostly youth (students, high school pupils, etc...) and specialist of working with youth and children, united around the idea of promoting education and European awareness among the youth and generally among the society, supporting people, helping people with fewer opportunities in their social integration, making youth participation in public life more active and strengthening the principles of civil society and democracy. The main objectives of the organization are:

- Implement a number of studies and joint training to assist local authorities on matters of public interest;
- To develop solidarity and promote tolerance among the public
- To encourage public participation and strengthening links between local groups, schools, businesses and municipal authorities.
- To stimulate participation of young people for involvement in activities related to personal and social development activities for social adaptation of marginalized youth communities.
- To carry out active work for sustainable social development and democratic principles to promote civil society.
- To work for action and measures to restore and improve the quality of the environment.
- To improve the welfare of disabled people – their acceptance and finding a place in a family in a circle of peers, colleagues, friends and the middle part of the community in which they live.
- Ensure including accepting and encouraging environment for children and youth with disabilities.
- To counteract negative social phenomena, spreading in a youth environment, such as: crime, aggression, addiction, prostitution, xenophobia and others.

What are the activities and experience of the organization in the areas relevant for this application?

Future in Our Hands is a young organization activities are mostly based on non-formal methods. We organize different kind of seminars, trainings, exchanges, summer camps, etc..full of games and energizers... We use this non formal method while our activities, which makes the learning process easier and much more interesting to the youth.

We work in different topics, involving different youth with different backgrounds, as we do believe that we need developed youth for our future development. Here is why we have different specialists working in different target group youth.

Cultural Projects.

We do our best to participate in increasing the diversity of approaches to developing public awareness of the value of heritage for society. Here is why we select cultural projects which will help up to promote this awareness among youth. We do believe that cultural awareness is a key to keeping the identity of the country and it is a key aspect for us to train to teach youth to learn about their own culture and to find ways of promoting it among others. We do our best to provide them with an opportunity to explore and to share.

Entrepreneurship projects

We find entrepreneurial education an important case for our society, here is why we organize business and marketing clubs for our youth, where we provide an opportunity to youngsters to learn the business cases from inside, which will help them in career guidance. We have found the issue that there is a problem in Armenia, parents decide what they children should choose as their profession. At the end they choose something they don't like or are not capable. Besides of the clubs we organize, we find it important to organize international projects and hosted several YE's and TC's, which helped the participants to share their business ideas and find tools how to give a start to their ideas. We have several success stories in the frames of our NGO's, where we developed successful entrepreneur and now they run their own business both in Armenia and abroad.

Environmental projects

We faced the issue, that nowadays environmental issues are a big challenge and lots of people are not really aware about what kind of catastrophe can this low awareness bring. So we find it important to inform youth and our local communities about environmental issues and how to change their behavior to support to stop the upcoming catastrophe. In the frames of environmental issues, we organize both local workshops and we had several international ones, where we shared our skills and learnt from the international groups.

Healthy lifestyle

Sport and healthy living is inseparable part of our projects. We want our youth to develop their mental wellbeing and live a healthy life. Here is why from time to time we organize both international and local exchanges, to promote this lifestyle and make it an important part of our youth's daily life.

We have organized several sport championships for the local clubs, sport days, day playing stations for kids, with different sport spots.

Healthy eating habits development projects, etc.

Digital education

Health media literacy has been associated with exploring media's impact on making positive choices related to nutrition, exercise, body image, violence and substance abuse prevention. Digital literacy is associated with the ability to use computers, social media, and the Internet and we do our best to help our youth to get these literacies through local and international projects.

Inclusion

The goal of being part of these projects is to increase awareness among our youth and local communities to become sensitive to people with disabilities and to those with fewer opportunities. Disability is natural, and a person's capabilities, values, beliefs, and perspectives about life, are not aligned with a diagnosis or label placed upon them. We are involved in such projects to share our skills and to learn from the others how to develop and promote these skills and how to develop tolerance towards people with disabilities and with fewer opportunities. How to develop these human characters not to discriminate, not to judge and accept people the way they are regardless of their race, sexual orientation, religion, etc.

The amount of the projects realized by our organization can not be places in one file. So we suggest to check our webpage's success stories section. <https://fioh-ngo.com/category/success-stories/international-projects/>

As far as we are working in different aspect, in order to give our youth bigger opportunities. We found this project also part of our needs to achieve the goals of the organization. We want to make the youth active ambassadors for their local community. And this very project can be the very one, that our youngsters can be involved and learn.

What are the skills and expertise of key staff/persons involved in this application?

- General organizational skills
- Planning, scheduling skills
- Meeting Deadlines and Time Management
- Coordinating resources
- project writing/hosting skills

All the activities that are planned to be realized by the NGO "Future in Our Hands" could not be achieved without a team of specialists, members of the organization-students, teachers, social workers, physiologies, educators, computer specialists, graphic designers, parents, public. All together: that is Public, Society, is the main team of the NGO "Future in Our Hands". But the main mobility organization activities will be realized by Tigranuhi Aleksanyan, Irina Makaryan, Albert Aleksanyan, Ani Voskanyan, Ani Grigoryan.

Albert Aleksanyan is the president of the NGO. Albert has studied at Moscow Electronical Institute, in the faculty of Radio Engineering. From 1996 he is working at Getamej primary school. He has 21 years experience in working with children at school, in event organization, holiday, weekend stay organization, administrative tasks of the school. He has also an experience of taking part in Youth in Action programs such as: PBA's and youth exchanges as a leader. Being part of hiking club Hiksos for 30 years. Albert Aleksanyan is involved in organizing local hiking educational trips and camps for youngsters.

Ani Voskanyan is the youth worker of the NGO. he has graduated from European Educational Regional Academy (ERIICTA). In the faculty of International relations. She large experience in working with youth , helping them in their social integration, in the participation of different projects, she has been a short term EVS volunteer in Turkey, Bodrum and long term EVS in the Netherlands. Where she was involved in organizing events for youth and writing Erasmus+ projects. Also she has taken part in different international and local trainings in Poland, Spain, Georgia, Armenia, etc so the multicultural background of hers helps her in her successful activities.

Tigranuhi Aleksanyan is co-Founder of the NGO , as well as coordinator of International projects. She has Graduated Yerevan State Linguistic University after V. Brusov, faculty of Linguistics and Intercultural Communication, specialization English-International Tourism. She has done a short and another long term EVS in Bulgaria and Czech Republic. She has wide

international experience, both as a participant and as a facilitator. She has facilitated a project in Czech Republic when being an EVS volunteer, then a few projects in Armenia. She has also experience in project management, project writing, realizing and analyzing. Recently was involved in an International project “Step Forward” in Greece, as a trainer.

Ani Grigoryan –ESC coordinator. She has graduated from Yerevan State Linguistic University after V. Brusov., faculty of Linguistics and Intercultural Communication. Specialization Psychologist She is also an ex EVS volunteer. She had her international experience from January to April, where her activities were involving learning how to coordinate and write projects. So she is using her skills gained abroad when working with our youth. Later she managed to coordinate different international projects, where she was the leader of Armenian group

Irina Makaryan-Project Coordinator

She has graduated from French University and continues MA in Swiss University. She has been part of cultural life in Small Theater in Armenia since childhood and has been participated and coordinated different Erasmus+ projects since 2016.

We would also like to mention that we are cooperating with ex EVS volunteers in Armenia, we have good contacts with them and from time to time we’re organizing different events with each other.

Also we have psychologists and teachers in our team that work with our target group.

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EU programme	Year	Project identification number or contract number	Applicant/Beneficiary name
Erasmus+ Startup Boomerang	2018	2018-1-NL02-KA105-001968	Don Bosco the Netherlands
Erasmus+ Get Active Get Healty Get Involved	2018	2018-1-ES02-KA105-010943	Pokhara Association
Erasmus+ Art Bridge to Tolerance	2017	2016-2-NL02-KA105-001378	Don Bosco the Netherlands
Erasmus+ Raise Your Voice	2017	2017-1-ES02-KA105-009127	Pokhara Association
Erasmus+ Rhythms of Unity	2017	2016-1-ES02-KA105-007372	Pokhara Association
Erasmus + Tram of Art	2016	2015-1-NL02-KA105-000901	Richter EU
Erasmu s+Step Up	2019	2019-1-IE01-KA105-051217	Love and Care for PeopleworldWide

Erasmus+ Art Bridge	2019	2019-1-FR02-KA105-015622	Ballade Association
Erasmus+ Be the Change	2019	2019-1-NL02-KA105-002477	Drawing to Health the Netherlands
Erasmus+ Healthy Youth	2019	2019-1-NL02-KA105-002482	Don Bosco the Netherlands
Erasmus+ Startup Battle	2019	2019-2-UK01-KA105-062217	Crinnova Solutions
Erasmus+ Road to the Change	2019	2019-1-UK01-KA105-060404	Crinnova Solutions
Erasmus+ We are Art	2021	2020-2-ES02-KA105-015317	Pokhara Association
Erasmus+ Startup Battle	2021	2019-2-UK01-KA105-062217	Crinnova SOLUTIONS
Erasmus+ Road to the Change	2021	2019-1-UK01-KA105-060404	Crinnova SOLUTIONS
Erasmus+ Cul-eidoscope	2021	2020-1-FR02-KA105-017362	Med13 ASsociation
Erasmus+ BTW-Be Thoughtful and Wise	2021	2020-2-FR02-KA105-017985	Med13 ASsociation
Erasmus+ OPS-Once Upon a Time in Tunisia	2021	2020-1-NL02-KA105-002870	Club Culturel Ali Belhouane Tunisia
Culture and Rhythms	2022		Ballade Association
4C Taster	2022	2022-1-FR02-KA153-YOU-000058515	Med13 Association