



## ABOUT THE PROJECT: EUFLUENCER

**The project will be in Zagreb from 2nd July – 27th August 2018, short term EVS, 57 days + 2 travel days**

*The aim of the project:* To influence young population through social media to get involved in active life within their community promoting the European values.

The main idea is that the participants followed by their own interests create a social media image of fun and active life of youth in Zagreb, leaded by the ongoing events at the moment they are living in Zagreb.

The second main idea that would follow is to create a city map, through challenges that coordinator will provide to volunteers, with the marked spaces and events which will be used by Zagreb community and international community in Zagreb (such as Erasmus+ volunteers, Erasmus students, and all the others).

The final product of the project will be an Online map, that will also be promoted through social media accounts "EUfluencer".

The projects aims to boost skills, inclusion, participation, modernize learning and education, focusing on young people's way of living promoting EU values.

The project will impact improving the level of key competences and skills, increase social inclusion and make young people positive trend builders. It will be a combination of formal, non-formal and informal learning; emphasizing the European added values.

The project aims to solve inactive youth issue and encourage young people to be more active by influence them through social media trends promoting values like: healthy lifestyle, self-development, youth opportunities, youth mobility, EU citizenship, international community, active way of living, tolerance, solidarity and self-initiative.



## About EVS

EVS (European Voluntary Service) is an international volunteer program funded by the European Commission. It enables all young people legally resident in Europe, aged between 18 and 30 years, to carry out an international volunteer service in an organization or in a public body in Europe, Africa, Asia or South America for a period ranging from 2 to 12 months. Thanks to the intercultural dimension and its non-formal approach, European Voluntary Service is a unique opportunity to come into contact with cultures different from your own and to acquire new skills and abilities useful for your personal and professional growth.

European Voluntary Service is based on the following principles:

1. Increasing your own skills through the practical experience of volunteering abroad;
2. Encouraging the learning of another language;
3. Developing the ability to interact with persons of different language and culture;
4. Spreading tolerance among young people of the European Union;
5. Promoting active citizenship;
6. Supporting the development of local communities.

Useful websites:

[www.europeanvoluntaryservice.org](http://www.europeanvoluntaryservice.org)

[www.europa.eu](http://www.europa.eu)





#### ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION:

Ocean Znanja is a nonprofit, non-governmental organization which is best described as a platform that helps young people reach their full potential, to learn and grow, to develop their personal and professional skills and to be active participants in creating a society they want to live in. We give them the space and the possibility to try doing things that don't have to, but can be connected with their education and we encourage them to work on their skills. Ocean Znanja has a wide range of international and local activities and a spread net of partners. We leave open space for everybody that would like to try and do a workshop on a topic of their interest. All of the people who work in Ocean Znanja so far have been volunteers and now that we have a pool of talented and motivated people with important skills we are moving towards increasing the sustainability of our projects and our organization. Ocean Znanja is accredited as a sending, coordinating and receiving EVS organization.

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## PARTICIPANTS PROFILE

The participants for this project will be young people:

- Aged from 18 to 30 years
- Motivated to work on the topic of EU citizenship, healthy lifestyle, intercultural community, youth opportunities and social media
- Have basic English speaking skills
- Motivated to learn about Croatian culture and language
- Motivated to research about youth interests and gather information about them by creating the map of youth events and spaces around the City of Zagreb
- Motivated to work with social media platforms managing the account EUfluencer
- Motivated to learn and gain new experiences and skills regarding to the 8 key competences, mostly referring on digital competence, social and civic competence, sense of initiative and entrepreneurship and cultural awareness and expression
- To be easy to communicate with, flexible and responsible

The main qualities we are expecting from the participants for the project EUfluencer are: Eager to learn, responsible, accepting challenges, having self-initiative, tolerant and being open-minded.



## WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?

- Working and living in a multicultural environment for two months
- Working with a multinational team
- Working in a youth NGO
- Improvement of language skills
- Learning about Croatian language and culture
- Organizing cultural activities in the local community
- Developing communication skills, presentation skills and other soft skills

## DAILY WORK

- You will be working 6 - 7 hours per day, whereas weekends are free.
- Once per week you will have a meeting with your mentor and learning buddy.

## ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation is fully covered and free of charge.

The facilities are fully equipped with furniture, conditioners and independent heating system. There is also internet connection to the whole area.

Volunteers are responsible for cleaning and preserving their accommodation.

You will be living with 4 people in an apartment and share a room with a person of the same gender.

## BUDGET POLICY

Travel budget: 275 Euros – travel tickets can be bought through Ocean Znanja

Food money for 4 weeks: 150 Euros

Pocket money for 4 weeks: 120 Euros

You will receive the money for then first 4 weeks a few days after you arrive. That will be total of 270 euros(150+120 EUR)

The second payment of total 270 euros will come after the 4 weeks.

## INSURANCE

The participants have private insurance by SIGNA, which covers all their needs for the whole duration of their project and even after that (for a few months). The registration to the insurance is made by the Sending organization. We already have created a network of doctors and hospitals for all their needs, so we can immediately serve their needs, even the most emergent.

See you in Zagreb!