

Scheda Presentazione Impresa

per ricerca partner nell'ambito del Programma Erasmus Placement

Name of the enterprise YAP -Youth Action for Peace- Italy

Economic field

Non profit

Short description of the enterprise activities and aims

Youth Action for Peace Italy (YAP IT), non profit organization founded in 1971, organises and realises international voluntary projects, seminars, training courses for intercultural youth animators, hosting and sending of young volunteers, campaigns, information projects and thematic communication. Its structure is based on a network of local groups and partner associations. Involved to the voluntary action in the territory, the organisation implements activities of centralised and decentralised information, communication and education of the youth to active citizenship at the European dimension. YAP Italy also contributes to the involvement and sending of socially, culturally or economically disadvantaged youth and young people at risk to itineraries of non formal education aimed at stimulating their personal capacities growth inside the community. YAP IT is member of CCIVS – Unesco (Coordinating Committee for International Voluntary Service) and of ALLIANCE of European Voluntary Service Organisations.

The main activities in the office are following:

- sending Italian volunteers abroad for international voluntary projects;

- organizing international workcamps in Italy and hosting international volunteers;

- working in frame of Youth in Action Programme (seminars, trainings, youth exchanges, European Voluntary Service);

- distributing of promotional materials and creating a newsletter.

Working days are from Monday to Friday, from 10 am to 1 pm and from 2.30 pm to 6 pm

Placement student requirements

Study field (e.g.: electronic engineering) Political science, International relations, Cultural studies, Social studies

Description of the student placement profile

Highly-motivated to approach to the NGO sector Experience of national/international volunteering is more than welcome Good level of English is required Basic use of a computer; familiarity with MS Word & Excel

Contacts (e-mail, tel., web site)

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