



YES 2017: Call for IGL Coordinators

Your role in one sentence

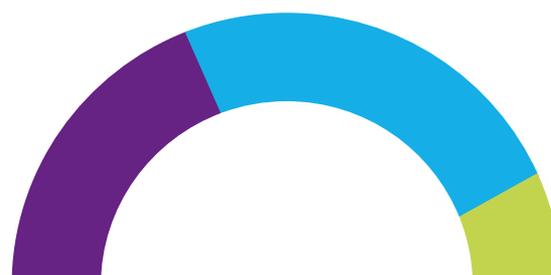
You will be responsible for preparing, coordinating, and supporting the work of approximately 50 International Group Leaders (IGLs) coming from all across Europe, who act as primary contact persons for groups of students.

You will work with



● Volunteers ● Students

Workload



● Before the YES ● During the YES ● After the YES

We expect from you

Provide support to IGLs in performing their role at best and in taking good care of the students. We expect you to be a coordinator, a motivator, and a team-player!

You can expect from us

We promise a seminar where you can learn a lot, meet lots of new people and get the chance to bond together with the team of volunteers in a great environment.



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The YES at a glance

The Young Europeans' Seminar (YES) aims to contribute to the development of young global citizens through learning and volunteering together in a spirit of international friendship.

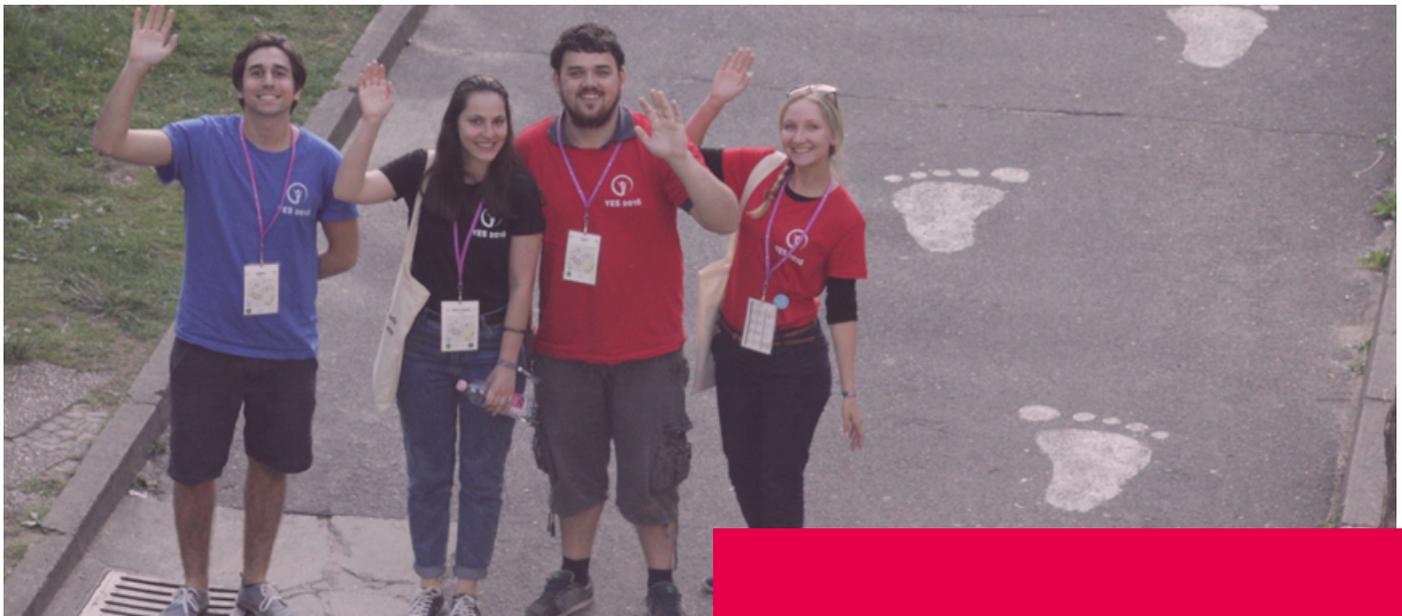
The Young Europeans' Seminar is a yearly massive intercultural get-together for over 500 European exchange students at the end of their school year, all put together by a team of over 100 YFU volunteers. The YES is a unique opportunity to reunite with old friends from all over Europe and make new ones, creating a bridge between the exchange year and the return home. It's a fun learning experience where students explore what it means to be a citizen of the world through diverse interactive learning activities. The international team of volunteers creates a unique spirit and an amazingly motivational experience for everyone at the YES.

The theme

"Think free. Act free. Be free!" is the topic of the YES 2017. This year we will focus on different aspects of freedom, such as but not limited to freedom of the press, speech, diversity, expression and assembly.

The YES 2017 aims to give participants the chance to explore and (re)discover the possibilities they are given by the freedoms they possess. It encourages the students to make use of their unique experiences and insights to enable positive change around the globe.

The YES 2017 will take place in Werbelinsee (Germany) from **26 to 30 June 2017**. It is organized by EEE-YFU together with YFU Estonia and YFU Sweden, with the in-country support of YFU Germany.



Your role

Together with another IGL Coordinator you will overview the selection of IGLs done by National Organisations to make sure that IGLs applicants fit the requirements. You will learn from previous years through reports, surveys, and chats with team members and take care of the information flow with the selected IGLs prior to the seminar.

You will make sure IGLs understand their role and will prepare manuals for them that will be sent out in May. Supporting the IGLs in designing their sessions and coordinating with other members of the International Organizing Team (IOT) are also parts of your responsibilities. You will lead daily meetings for the IGLs at the YES and answer questions they might have, coordinate the information flow with the rest of the IOT and write a final report after the YES.

What do you gain?

Participating at the YES as a volunteer is a truly rewarding experience. The seminar lasts for 4 days and there is so much you can gain:

- › Possibility to share your volunteer experience and get to know a lot of new people
- › Increasing skills in facilitating group work and learning processes of peer groups
- › Experience of working with YFU on an international level
- › Passing on the YFU spirit
- › Opportunity to be a part of the biggest YFU event in Europe and have a great time



Your profile

If you wish to be an IGL at the YES 2016, you should:

- › Be at least 23 years old and have group leading experience
- › Be willing and able to ensure well-being of students and volunteers
- › Understand the values and purpose of the educational long-term exchange programs YFU is offering
- › Have previous experience in designing and leading educational activities
- › Be able to work in English
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- › Have good problem-solving skills and be a team player
- › Be resilient to stress and commit to work hard before and at the YES
- › Be willing and able to take responsibilities while coordinating a large group of people
- › Be willing to have a good time and getting to know new people
- › Be able to attend the YES 2017 Second Preparation Meeting from 23.02 - 26.02.17 in Tallinn, Estonia. This is not mandatory but highly encouraged.

If you are not a perfect match, but still think you could be right for this task, please don't hesitate to apply.

Apply now

Deadline: 21 November 2016

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