

# **YOUTH FOR SOCIAL CHANGE**

EUROPEAN MULTIPLIER EVENT - "Youth for a Healthy and Active Europe" 4 July 2024, Salzburg University of Applied Sciences, Room HS152

## **About the Event**

The goal of the Youth for Social Change-project (Y4SC) is to create active and healthy local communities of practice in order to empower young people to become active agents of change – in their individual lives and also for their surroundings. In the last two years, the project partners reached out to youngsters in Germany, North Macedonia, Portugal and Austria to promote the idea of an active lifestyle and social health. The methodological approach of the project was to focus on a common idea and to adapt the training activities to the circumstances of each region – for which the circumstances indeed differed a lot.

The meeting in Salzburg will provide the opportunity to report the activities and results of the Y4SC project to stakeholders and professionals of social health and sport for development: teachers, trainers, youth and social workers, sport associations, public bodies, and, last but not least, international and Austrian students. We also want to discuss the experiences we made in the context of current findings of social research on young people, given that the questions we had to deal with will surely stay relevant after the end of Y4SC: How to reach out to youngsters that are hard to reach? How to raise awareness for health in an environment that sometimes encourages unhealthy behavior? How to foster agency in groups that are not (yet) used to making responsible decisions?

### **AGENDA**

As of 9.00	Arrival and reception
09.30-10.00	Y4SC in a nutshell – starting point, rationale, activities and results of the project
10.00-11.00	Prof. Dr. Herbert Neureiter, <i>Salzburg University of Education, Institute of Educational Sciences:</i> Does the school environment offer enough for young people's future expectations?
11.00-12.00	Katharina Stiebler & Christopher Etter, Paris Lodron Universität Salzburg, Department of Sociology: Work and life plans of young people in Salzburg.
Lunch	
13.00-14.00	Dr. Dirk Steinbach, <i>Sport Innovation – SPIN</i> : Sport as a systematic tool in youth work. General approach and lessons learned in Youth 4 Social Change.
14.00-15.00	Nedžad Moćević, Salzburg University of Applied Sciences, Department of Applied Social Sciences: Participation and Inclusion: Tools against radicalization and exclusion.
Break	
15.15-16.00	Rapporteur's recap and final discussion
16.00	End of Multiplier Event



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# **Practical Information**

# Registration

Please let us know in advance the number and names of persons that will attend the partner meeting and the multiplier event. Send an E-Mail to Paul Bacher (office.as@fh-salz-burg.ac.at) making a reference to Y4SC.

# How to get there

The multiplier event will take place in the main building of Salzburg University of Applied Sciences in room 'HS152'. The direction is Urstein Salzburg Süd 1, 5412 Puch/Salzburg

Salzburg University of Applied Sciences is easily accessible by public transport. There is a local train (Line S3) connecting the university with the city of Salzburg every 30 minutes, travel time is about 20 minutes. The station "Puch/Urstein" is in immediate vicinity to the university. Bus line 160 also connects the city to the university every 30 minutes, travel time is about 30 minutes. Visit <a href="https://salzburg-verkehr.at/en/">https://salzburg-verkehr.at/en/</a> to plan your trip.

You can also come by car. However, there is only a limited number of parking slots, and you'll have to draw a parking coin when entering.

#### Please note

We have to document the event, therefore we will take photos throughout the meetings and ask you to sign a list of participants. By attending the event you acknowledge and agree to being photographed and to your name showing up on the list of participants.

#### **Contact Persons**

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