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YOUTHFUL CITIES COMMISSION

Youthful Cities Commission's
- activities in 2022
- action plan and budget for 2023

Activities of the Commission in 2022

- Contribution to the workshop hosted by the UBC at the EU Macro-Regional Strategies Week (on youth engagement)
- In-person meeting in Riga in May (5 cities, 16 participants)
  - future of the commission
  - Klaipeda – European Youth Capital
  - community-based youth work in Riga
- Partnership building events for Erasmus+ projects
- Contribution to the Baltic Sea Youth Platform
- Facebook live “SPOTLIGHT” on Klaipeda’s experience as the European Youth Capital
- Online meeting in December
  - setup of thematic clusters
  - election of vice-chair
  - Approval of action plan for 2023

Main tasks of the Commission in 2023

- To encourage continuity of Commission's operations through start of activities of the thematic clusters;
- To promote good practice examples and foster innovative practices of the UBC member cities in the field of youth;
- To ensure representation of the youth of the UBC cities in the participatory processes of the Baltic Sea Region;
- To promote the work of the Commission and encourage UBC member cities to participate in it.

Main activities of the Commission in 2023

- Commission's online promo event (18th January, 14 CET)
- Kick-off meetings of thematic clusters (online):
  - Youth participation (1st March, 14 CET)
  - Youth spaces (2nd March, 14 CET)
  - International youth work (8th March, 14 CET)
- In-person meeting of the Commission (May);
- Online activities organized and hosted by the thematic clusters (at least one event every 3 months);
- Youth Conference organized back-to-back with UBC General Conference, autumn;
- Development of cooperation and joint initiatives with other commissions;
- Participation in preparation of the EU SBSR Annual Forum and ensuring youth participation (in particular, ensuring involvement of UBC youth in the Baltic Sea Youth Camp).

Budget proposal for 2023

Organisation of online and offline events of the Commission and thematic clusters (venue, local transportation, catering, speakers, publications, materials, etc.) EUR 7 000,00

Preparation of the UBC Youth Conference and EU SBSR Annual Forum (transport and accommodation for representatives of the Commission in preparatory meetings, experts' fees, publications, etc.)
EUR 2 000,00

Participation in UBC Board meetings and/or other crucial UBC events
EUR 1 000,00

Total budget proposal: EUR 10 000,00

Thank you for your attention!

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