

# YNforma 2.0

## PROJECT BRIEF

We want to show young people in the region, through the Youth Information Office, the possibilities offered by the Erasmus+ Programme and the dissemination of the ESC. In an increasingly globalised world, with significant migratory flows, where it is necessary to train citizens who are more aware of the values of solidarity and civic skills, it is important for local communities to strengthen their sense of belonging to Europe, to strengthen their knowledge of the benefits of belonging to the EU, to get to know its institutions and the educational, cultural and employment opportunities that Europe offers. Through this volunteering we seek to improve young people's knowledge about the training opportunities offered by Erasmus+ and ETUC for young people:

- developing their skills
- increase the chance of getting a job
- provide a service to society

By means of the solidary and continuous work of the volunteers who, with their example of vital experience, dynamize and make other young people aware towards the active participation in their territories

## **DATES AND LOCATION**

**Project Dates: Between January 2023 to July 2024**  
**Each volunteer has the possibility to choose between these cities:**

**Jerez de La Frontera (Cádiz)**

**El Puerto de Santa María (Cádiz)**

**Lora del Rio (Sevilla)**

**These cities are in Andalusia (Spain)**

**Duration of volunteering: 9 months**

**Number of volunteers: 9**

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## OUR OBJECTIVE

YNforma 2.0 aims to set up a youth information office to disseminate the Erasmus+ and CES programs among young people in the region. Currently there are not enough information points where young students and unemployed people can go to learn about the possibilities of training offered by E + and CES as ways to improve their personal skills, the possibilities of future employment or to develop solidarity and support work for the rest. For the volunteer it will be a life experience that will contribute to their personal development and to improve their skills and abilities. You will have the possibility to study and understand the situation of young Europeans from another environment, to share their expectations, problems and concerns and to motivate and encourage the participation of these young people in your locality and outside it, since there is a very broad rural nucleus with a young population that does not have sufficient access to this type of information

## ACTIVITIES:

The volunteer will carry out information activities and dissemination campaigns. He/she will work at the headquarters of AELV and possibly in educational centres or youth associations in the region, where he/she will be able to share his/her experience and transmit to other young people enthusiasm and motivation to participate in a mobility programme or volunteering in a European country.

The volunteer will have the support of the AELV team in activities related to youth groups and public bodies. There will be a special diffusion among the young people of the rural area, because they are a group with fewer opportunities to access the activities.

## ACTIVITIES:

- Administrative tasks: collect data on local youth, create databases of youth associations, schools and public bodies to send dissemination
- Communication tasks: use SSR, the Web and computer applications to develop community management work (e.g. YouTube Channel of the Association, participatory videos, photo reports, presentations and murals)
- Socio-cultural tasks: talks in educational centres and youth groups, transmitting their personal experience as a basis for motivation and knowledge in other young people. Participation in cultural activities carrying out awareness campaigns

All young people will be able to access this Volunteer Project. No specific qualification is needed to collaborate in the program, but it is considered convenient that the volunteers have a predisposition to the activities carried out in the Association and are committed to them. Volunteers who are ready to adapt to the environment and be able to lead some of the activities or groups, with a positive spirit and creativity. Versatile young people, able to take advantage of existing resources, communicative, adaptable and with initiative. AELV wants each volunteer to be able to put their own ideas into practice, and to have the capacity to manage groups and organize dynamics and to stimulate and motivate young people.

It is important that your motivation to join us in this project is a combination of seeking personal development opportunities for themselves and contributing to the objectives of the project by making the European dimension known to other young people.

**ABOUT THE  
PROFILE OF  
VOLUNTEERS  
WE ARE  
LOOKING FOR**

## ABOUT SPANISH LANGUAGE LEARNING

Each volunteer will perform the Spanish language level test on the European Academy Platform, as required by the Erasmus + program. He also agrees to participate in the training activities for volunteering organized by Erasmus + in Spain on the dates indicated.

Although you must be able to communicate by speaking fluently. Your tutor and the AELV team will help you at all times with your language training.

Friends of Europe Leonardo da Vinci (AELV) is an NGO founded in 1998 with a strong environmental character. Since we were born our objectives have been to constitute an organization of support and advice for young people, to exchange ideas and young European experiences, and to promote a reciprocal knowledge of the environmental and cultural values of other peoples. We develop our work for young people from 16 to 30 years old, with a participation in their communities and trying to promote the empowerment of people with fewer opportunities. In line with these objectives our activity focuses on 2 areas: the coordination of E+ youth mobility and adult learning projects and the organisation of cultural and environmental activities (cultural visits, exhibitions, informal education, concerts, debates, traditional and popular festivals). All this is reinforced by tutoring and continuous language learning.

## **ABOUT HOSTING ORGANIZATION**



**For further information about this volunteering you can contact us, we will be happy to assist you and resolve your doubts:**

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## ABOUT THE TOWNS

El Puerto de St<sup>a</sup> María has 89,000 inhabitants and an excellent location on the coast, has 16 km of beach and is located at the mouth of the river Guadalete, so you can practice water sports. Jerez de la Frontera has 212,000 inhabitants, is close to the beach and the mountains, you can do outdoor activities and in nature. Lora del Río has 20,000 inhabitants and a beautiful landscape of plain and countryside. The climate is Mediterranean with many hours of sunshine a year. They are attractive destinations thanks to their landscapes and people.

Other interesting things are the popular folklore, the historical buildings and monuments, the parks, museums and the center that these cities have, with squares and bars where you can taste the typical dishes of the region.

They are also modern cities with bicycle lanes, an important transport network, health centres and leisure facilities.

Volunteers will stay in apartments with double rooms, toilets and fully equipped kitchen, WIFI connection, heating and all the necessary facilities for a pleasant stay. Travel, accommodation and food are free for volunteers. Each volunteer will receive a fixed amount of money for maintenance in accordance with the European regulations of the CES Programme. For the round trip from your country you have a budget allocated according to the Erasmus+ distance calculator. You can consult it here:

[https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator\\_es](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_es)

We usually ask the volunteer to purchase his or her transport ticket and reimburse the money. We help you organise the transfer from your arrival in our country to the host location.

ACCOMMODATION  
AND  
FINANCING  
ISSUES

## ABOUT TRAVEL, INSURANCE AND HOW TO REACH US

The best way to reach us is by plane through Seville Airport, there are trains to Jerez de La Frontera, El Puerto de Santa María and Lora del Río.

We will enroll volunteers in CIGNA insurance according to the Erasmus + standards. Each volunteer must bring their European health card. Travel insurance is included.

**DO NOT FORGET TO BRING WITH YOU:**

- European sanitary card
- Travel documents: boarding passes, identity documents and invoices
- Sports and swimwear
- If you play any musical instrument as well as recipes or other information typical of your country to share