

Mobility of Youth Workers (Me)dia as a tool for (You)th work



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Brief Description of the project

Due to the fact that Erasmus+ prioritisation focuses on youth workers, we came into idea of implementing the following TC with the goal of delivering knowledge to youth workers who come from organisations that work directly with young people on how to promote diversity, intercultural and inter-religious dialogue, media knowledge, critical thinking and youth initiative, and strengthens youth workers' expertise and gives them methods for professional development, including digital youth work, as key priorities of Erasmus+ programme.

To implement the objectives of the Erasmus+ programme, including “the promotion of European values in accordance with Article 2 of the Treaty on the European Union”, this will be done through non-formal learning environment and digital tools, such as internet, social media, photo and video art. One of the main priorities of our TC will be to promote Erasmus+ programme as an engine for great initiatives with visible results. We also want to motivate participants to learn how to create productive ideas and implement them in their community, to share values under objectives of Erasmus+ as well as how to highlight their initiatives using digital tools.

Goals and Methods

Thus we decided to organize TC for youth workers, working in different fields of social issues, but most important - directly working with marginalized youth, promoting diversity, intercultural and interreligious dialogue, fundamental values such as freedom, tolerance and respect for human rights. TC will help them promote their activities, disseminate the results in a more attractive way for millennials and as a result - to make positive changes in society, engage more active young people in their work and bring attention of a wider public to the social issues of their local communities.

Some of the objectives of the project are:

- To create a platform of sharing and discussions between youth workers about promotional tools like: social media, photo, video, exhibitions, fairs, street actions etc. We will show participants in "live" format how to arrange and organise this tools;
- To highlight the role of digital skills as tool to fight youth unemployment;
- To develop basic digital skills using a creative approach towards the social media, art of photo and video activity by attending dynamic workshops and practical work.

Profile of participants

Background of participants:

- Participants of the project are expected to be youth workers, youth leaders, people active in youth NGOs.

Needs of participants:

- To learn new techniques based on methods of non-formal education, in order to be capable to achieve the goals of sending organizations;
- Desire to network and work with people from different backgrounds and countries.

Selection criteria:

- Willing to disseminate what will have acquired in the training;
- Ability to develop relevant trainings in their organization;
- To be passionate about the project idea.

Age limit:
18+



CONSORTIUM

- Idea For Life (Poland)
- Latvijas jauniešu attīstības centrs (Latvia)
- ASOCIACIJA TAVO EUROPA (Lithuania)
- 2Europa (Spain)
- Active Youth for Europe (Italy)
- ASSOCIACAO INTERCULTURAL AMIGOS DA MOBILIDADE (Portugal)
- Circle of Sustainable Europe (Belgium)

**AT THE END OF THE PROJECT
EACH PARTICIPANT WILL RECEIVE
A YOUTHPASS CERTIFICATE.
THROUGHOUT THE PROJECT,
PARTICIPANTS WILL BE GIVEN THE
OPPORTUNITY TO REVIEW AND
IMPROVE THEIR SKILLS IN THE
FOLLOWING 8 KEY COMPETENCIES
AS DEFINED BY YOUTHPASS:**

- 1. MULTILINGUAL COMPETENCE**
- 2. PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND LEARNING TO LEARN COMPETENCE**
- 3. CITIZENSHIP COMPETENCE**
- 4. ENTREPRENEURSHIP COMPETENCE**
- 5. CULTURAL AWARENESS AND EXPRESSION COMPETENCE**
- 6. DIGITAL COMPETENCE**
- 7. MATHEMATICAL COMPETENCE AND COMPETENCE IN
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENGINEERING**
- 8. LITERACY COMPETENCE**



Dates and venue

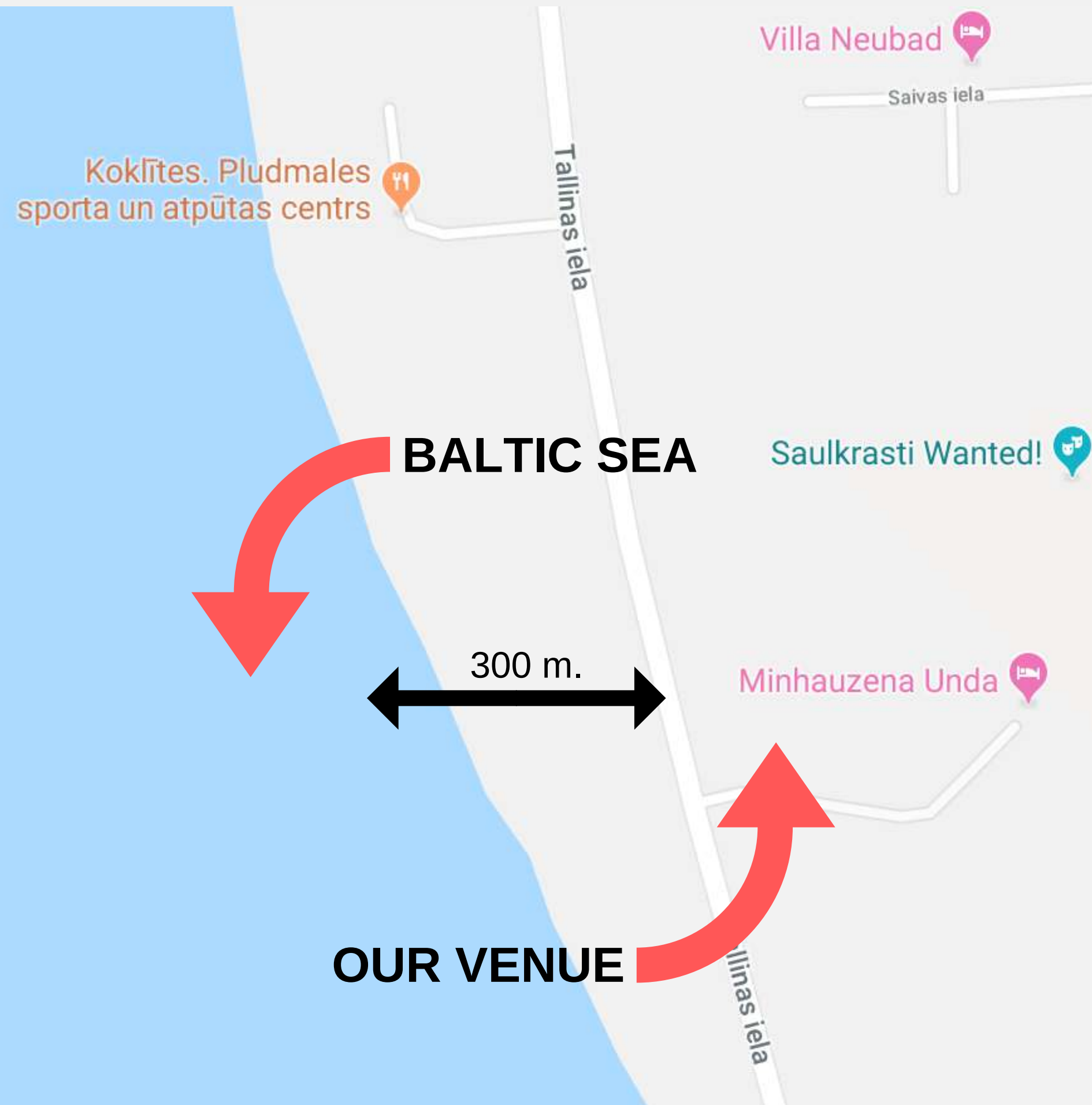
Arrival day: 3 June 2022

Departure day: 12 June 2022

Venue: Hotel "Minhauzena Unda",

City: Saulkrasti, Latvia

Please note that organisers are not responsible for participants' accommodation, food and transport for extra days both before and after the project dates.



Accommodation

Venue: 3* Hotel "Minhauzena Unda".

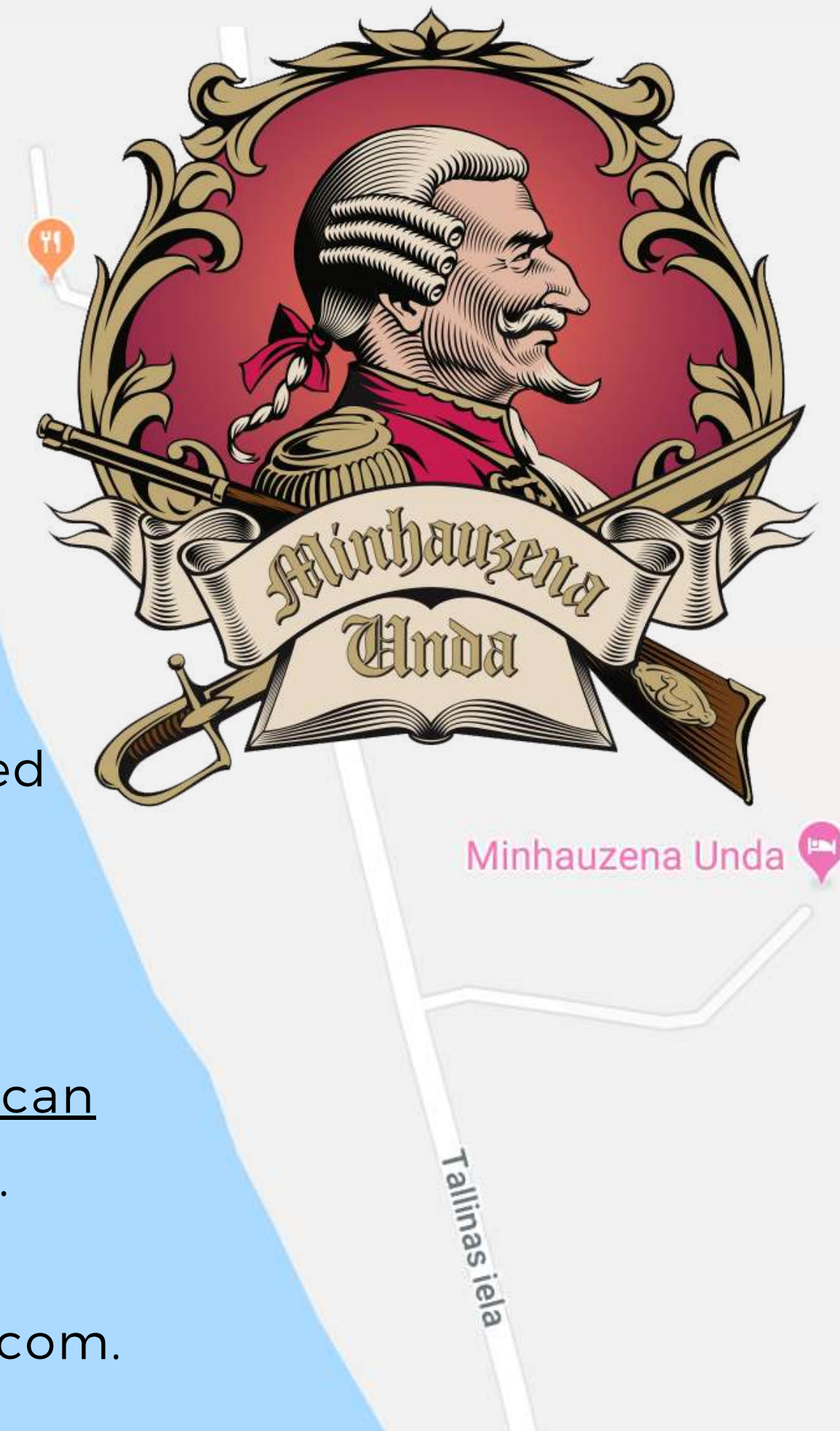
Participants will share gender-separate rooms.

Each room of the venue has separate beds, provides bathroom (toilet, shower cabin). Participants will be provided with 3-times meals and a coffee break per day. A special menu will be prepared for vegetarians, vegans, etc.

The venue provides bedsheets, towels and free WIFI.

Please be aware that due to high amount of people WIFI signal can be unstable. For personal use please take a 4G backup, if needed.

For more details, please visit its webpage or check it on Booking.com.





INTERCULTURAL EVENINGS

We will have intercultural evenings where you will be able to present your country.

Each country will have up to 20 minutes for presentation, divided into 2 parts:

- The first part will involve quizzes, Kahoot, dancing, songs, videos, or anything else - at your discretion!
- The second part will involve a table with food and drinks. Bring something that represents your country, which we would love!

And, of course, your table will look brilliant with your national flag - bring it if possible!

How to get to the venue with public transport

Take bus or minibus 22 from Riga Airport to the city center and get off at the "**Autoosta**" stop.

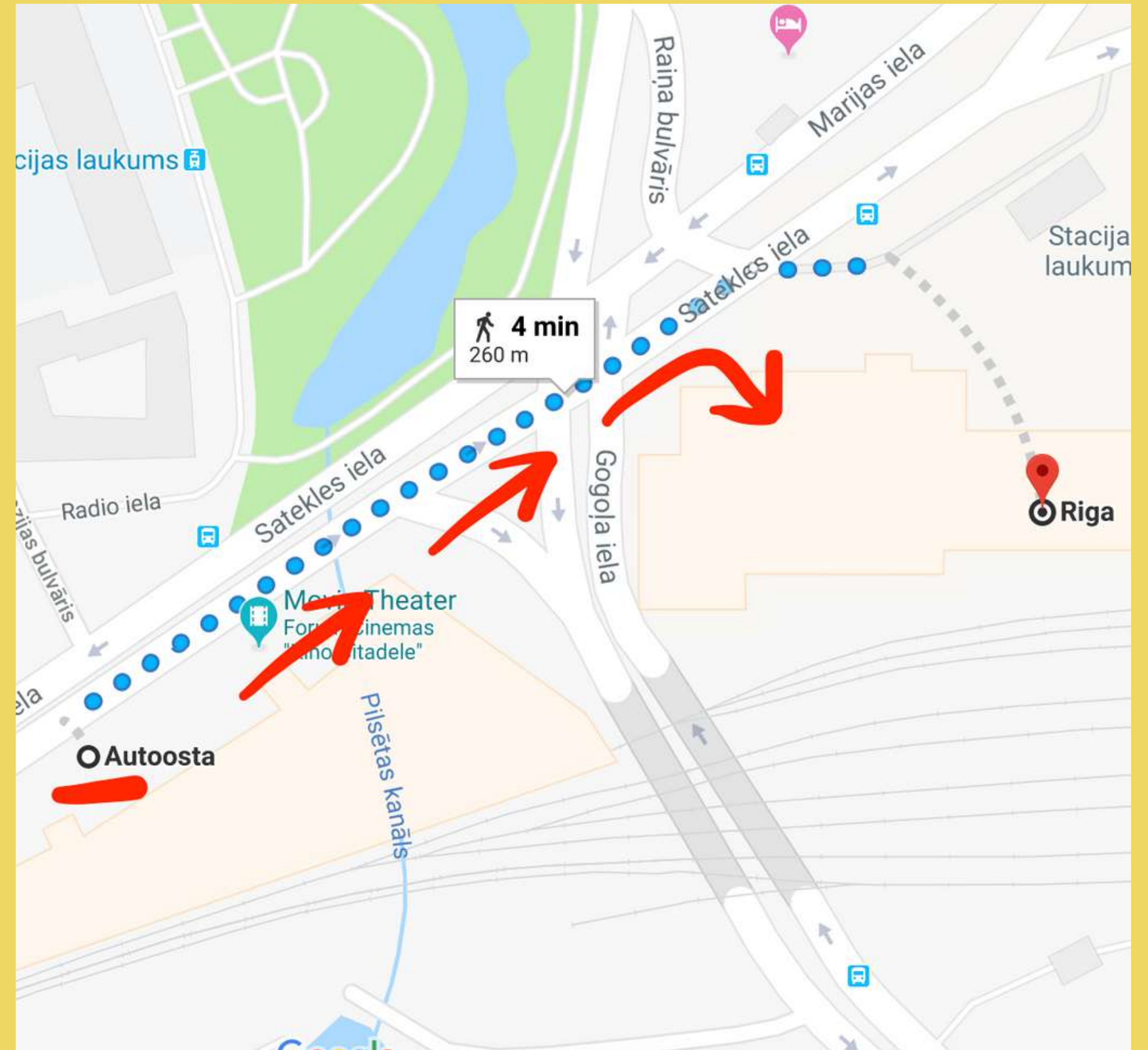
Ticket price: 2 EUR / person

From the bus stop "**Autoosta**" walk about 4 minutes (260 m) to the **Central Railway Station "ORIGO"**.

At the station you buy a ticket to **Saulkrasti**. Trains run every hour, so you do not have to wait long. And the travel time will be about 1 hour.

Ticket price: 2 EUR / person

Attention: Let us know **when you depart**, so that we are ready to pick you up from the Saulkrasti train station and take you to the project venue.



Travel Reimbursement

International travel expenses can be reimbursed **ONLY** upon presentation of **ALL ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS** stating your travel information and costs, namely:

1. Boarding passes (For round trip),
2. Tickets (Also e-tickets),
3. Receipts (In case the tickets are bought by cash),
4. Invoices **and** card payment history (In case the tickets are bought by bank card),
5. Payment checks / Bank statements.

Participants are requested to bring with them all mentioned documents, likewise, any other payment bills, checks, tickets and payment prove that they will get during the travel. Regarding way-back tickets and boarding passes, they should be sent by international post service to "Idea for Life" in POLAND (example: check-in at airport) or by e-mail (if they were issued through online check-in). **SCANS / PHOTOS / SCREENSHOTS ARE NOT ALLOWED!!!**

Because of Erasmus+ rules, unfortunately we cannot reimburse Taxi costs.

Reimbursement for ALL COUNTRIES will be done by BANK TRANSFER after we have all original tickets and relevant documents.

Process of Reimbursement

1. Find a flight connection to and from Latvia that interests you.
2. Consult the connection with Project Manager from Latvia (contact details are on last page)
3. Purchase tickets (only if Project Manager from Latvia approve that!).
4. Come to Latvia!
5. Keep all boarding passes, receipts.
6. Download, complete and send the document below:
<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1mS40uxncFRFbpTko2qS3VRXGmfgOscuP/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=117307247945263479407&rtpof=true&sd=true>
7. Compress all files together with the above document and upload them in a zip file to idea4lifepl@gmail.com along with markings which file is which for which stage of your trip
8. Wait for the questionnaire from Erasmus+ (ecas.europa.eu) - it is necessary to fill it in in order to get the refund. You will have it on your email after the project.
9. Wait for the refund - the money will be transferred to the account of the partner organization from your country

Each of these steps is required for reimbursement.

If you skip any of them, you will not be eligible for a refund for your trip, so read the above process VERY carefully.

Reimbursement Limits

per participant

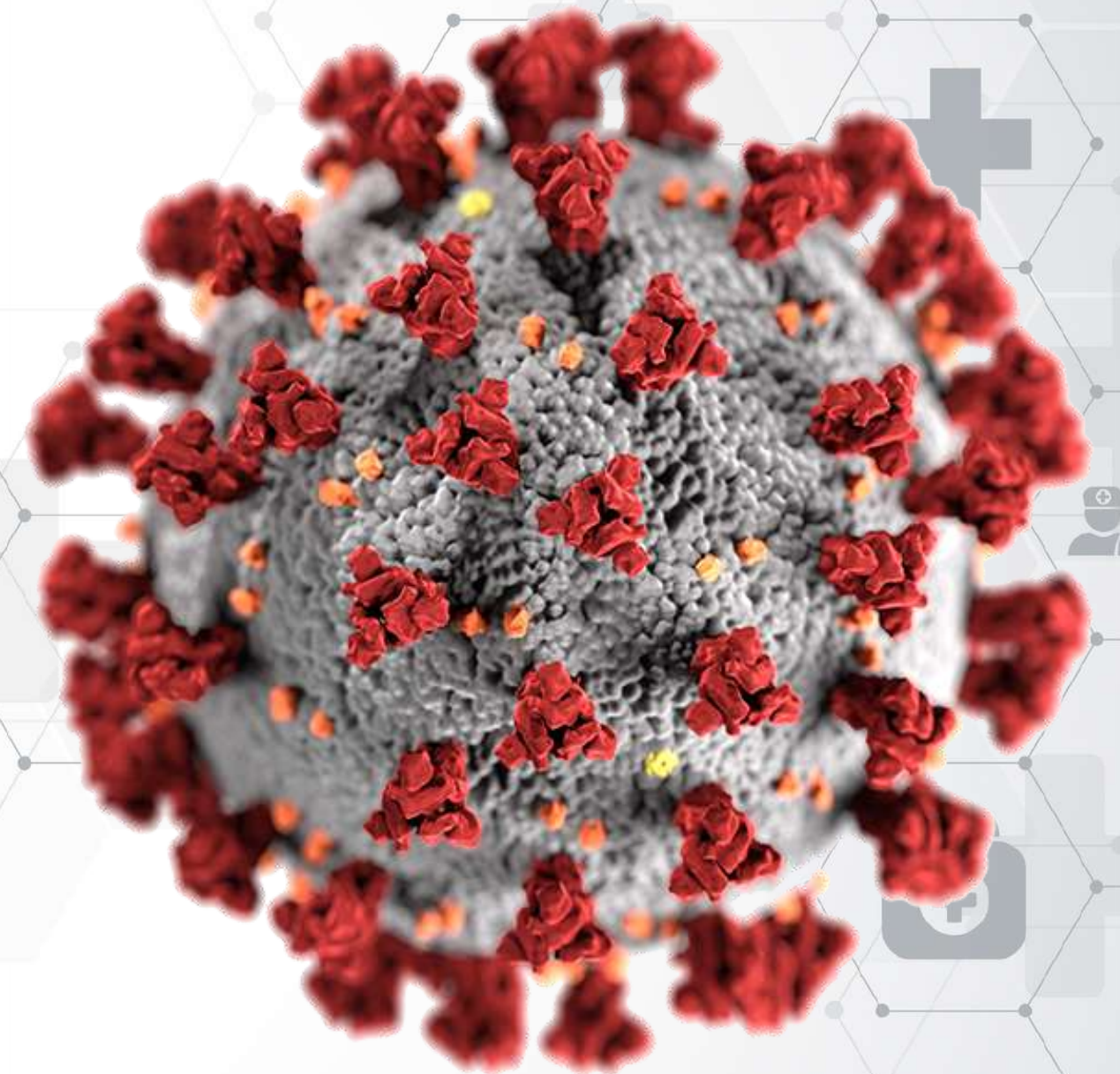
- LATVIA 23 EUR
- LITHUANIA..... 180 EUR
- POLAND..... 275 EUR
- SPAIN..... 530 EUR
- ITALY..... 275 EUR
- PORTUGAL..... 360 EUR
- BELGIUM..... 275 EUR

COVID-19 RULES

PLEASE READ THE FULL INFORMATION ON THE WEBSITE OF THE GOVERNMENT OF LATVIA: [HTTPS://COVID19.GOV.LV/EN](https://COVID19.GOV.LV/EN)

PLEASE NOTICE THAT EACH PARTICIPANT HAS TO ASSUME ITS OWN EXPENSES FOR COVID TESTS.

PLEASE REMEMBER ABOUT TRAVEL INSURANCE WHICH COVERS COVID-19 RISKS, ILLNESS, PERSONAL LIABILITY, CANCELLATION, THEFT, ETC. FOR THE WHOLE DURATION OF THE PROJECT VALID IN LATVIA.



THINGS TO BRING

- Valid passport for travel, residence permit, etc.;
- All required travel documents;
- Travel insurance which covers COVID-19 risks;
- COVID-19 Vaccination Certificate;
- COVIDPASS.LV QR-CODE;
- Comfortable shoes or sneakers, outdoor suits & raincoats which can be needed during outdoor activities;
- What could entertain participants during free time, eg. games, music, musical instruments, etc;
- Group activities and new ideas are welcome;
- Traditional food, drinks, music, dances, songs, etc;
- Medicine you may need, etc.



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