

EMPOWERING YOUTH THROUGH BLOCKCHAIN

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Youth for
Equality



WHO ARE WE?

Youth for Equality is an organization, founded in Slovakia in 2016 as a local youth initiative with the aim to realise positive changes and develop activities on local and international level in the field of education, human rights and ecology for the current requirements of the Labour market

Since its establishment, the organization has become a pool of young professionals who provide guidance and organize teaching activities in order to provide youngsters with soft skills, knowledge about different educational and career opportunities at local, national and international level.

Youth for Equality carries out a program to acquire soft skills through non-formal learning such as discussions, debates, group work, brainstorming. From the topics of internal motivation and creativity, we go through leadership, teamwork, communication, marketing, work and educational opportunities, all the way to the creation of a business plan. During these workshops we implement new trends in the labour market.

The key persons of our organization are:

Diana Jašeková - president of the Youth for Equality organization. She has a doctor degree of Law and knowledge of International and European Law, her researches are focused on Criminal Law, Criminology and Youth delinquency. She has gained international certificates of project management. She has been working in three NGOs as a volunteer. She was involved in environmental projects where she led international volunteers and collaborated with municipalities on environmental topics. She is a youth worker, facilitator of our youth projects, mobilities of youth workers, as well as of projects organized.

Hakan Oguz is a project manager experienced in Erasmus+ and ESC programs. He has experience with managing international programs, volunteering, and mentoring. He has gained experience in writing, managing, and implementing projects including planning, monitoring, and supervising all project-related activities.

DESCRIPTION

Blockchain has numerous potential applications in various fields, such as finance, healthcare, and supply chain management. For instance, Youth workers often need to collect and manage sensitive information about the young people they work with, such as personal information, health information, and educational records. Blockchain-based data management can provide a secure and decentralized way of storing and sharing this information, allowing youth workers to access and share information quickly and easily while maintaining the privacy and security of the data. Blockchain technology can trigger and lead digital transformation.

For this reason, our project aims to address the issues and needs of youth workers who are increasingly facing complex challenges that require innovative and effective solutions. With the rise of digital technologies, youth workers need to be equipped with the necessary knowledge and skills to adapt to the changing landscape of youth work.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

****To educate youth workers about the potential benefits of implementing blockchain technology in youth work, while also giving them the foundational knowledge and skills necessary to effectively incorporate this technology into their work.***

****To develop innovative solutions and project ideas that use blockchain technology to address the challenges and needs of youth work: encourage youth workers to think creatively and innovatively about how they can use blockchain technology to address the challenges and needs in their field.***

**** To promote cross-cultural learning and networking among youth workers from different partner countries: provide youth workers with an opportunity to learn from each other and to build networks that can facilitate future collaboration***

TIMETABLE

We are going to begin our activities from 9.30 to 13.00 with a coffee break of 20 minutes;
have a lunch break from 13.00 to 14.00;
continue our activities from 14.00 to 18.00 with a coffee break of 20 minutes;
have a daily evaluation.

01

Welcoming activities.
Teambuilding.

02

Introduction to
blockchain
technology

03

Blockchain
technology and its
role in digital
transformation

05

Blockchain technology
and social innovation

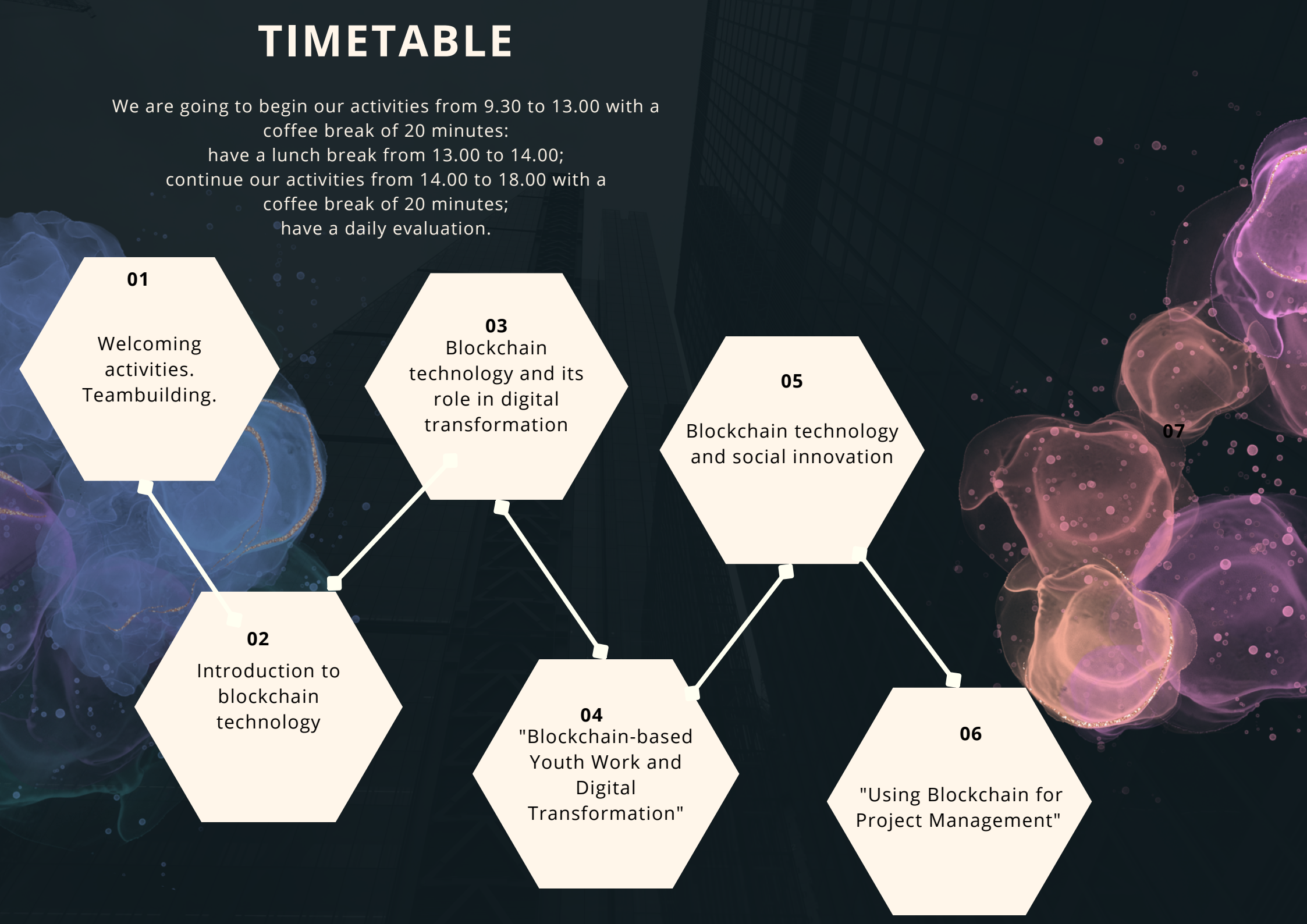
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"Blockchain-based
Youth Work and
Digital
Transformation"

06

"Using Blockchain for
Project Management"

07



PARTNER COUNTRIES

Youth for Equality
Slovakia

Fiatalok Egységben Egyesület
Hungary

Stairs and Levels Associação
Portugal

2Europa
Spain

Martı Gençlik Derneği
Türkiye

ASOCIACIJA TAVO EUROPA
Lithuania

HRVATSKI URED ZA KREATIVNOST I
INOVACIJE
Croatia

PROFILE OF PARTICIPANTS

The main target group of the project is youth workers and young leaders from the 7 partner countries. Specifically, the project is designed for 4 youth workers from each partner. The project is open to both experienced and less experienced youth workers, young leaders, as well as those who are interested in

learning more about blockchain technology and its potential applications in their youth work. Each partner is going to send 2 of their members and two participants from different local organizations respecting the required profile in order to wide impact on the community. Each partner will send at least 1 disadvantaged participant with the described profile stated already by the partner in the preparation phase. Participants will be aged 18+.

REIMBURSEMENT

Green Travel

Hungary 210€ /participant

Portugal 410€ /participant

Spain 410€ /participant

Türkiye 320€ /participant

Lithuania 320€ /participant

Croatia 320€ /participant

Regular Travel

Hungary 180€ /participant

Portugal 360€ /participant

Spain 360€ /participant

Türkiye 275€ /participant

Lithuania 275€ /participant

Croatia 275€ /participant

Travel costs will be reimbursed to the sending organizations' bank accounts upon the receipt of all the justification documents and only if all the needed documents have been sent to the coordinating organization.

All travel documents must be kept, as those documents, tickets, and boarding passes will be collected for reimbursement (mandatory)! All the tickets (receipts from the bus or train tickets or any other tickets for public transportation with shown prices on them), must be sent by post after the project (both arrival and departure ways) to the following address:

Youth for Equality
Hlavná 22
91701 Trnava
Slovakia

PLEASE DO NOT BUY ANY TICKETS WITHOUT OUR

CONFIRMATION!

HOW TO GET TO TRNAVA?

Here are some useful tips on how to get to Trnava.

Green Travel: You should prefer green travel with bus, train, or car sharing.

From Vienna airport: The best connection from there is a direct bus from the airport to Bratislava bus station (no need to get to Vienna center). Please buy your ticket online with one of these companies: www.slovaklines.sk, www.regiojet.sk, and www.global.flixbus.com.

From Budapest to Bratislava: There are buses and trains from Budapest to Bratislava. You will easily find the connection with bus companies www.slovaklines.sk, www.regiojet.sk, www.global.flixbus.com, but I suggest trains <https://www.zssk.sk/en/>. It is up to you.

From Bratislava to Trnava: Getting from Bratislava to Trnava is easy by bus or train - the website to check the connection is www.cp.sk (BUS - ticket to buy from the bus driver, TRAIN - ticket to buy is in the window in the station or <https://www.zssk.sk/en/>).

FLIGHT OPTIONS

You can search for the flights to Bratislava, Vienna , Budapest or Prague. We recommend www.skyscanner.net

If you arrive to Bratislava, you can check connections to Trnava on www.cp.sk (bus/train, 30 - 60minutes, price around 5 eur).

If you arrive to Vienna Schwechat airport, you will take a direct bus to Bratislava (duration 1 hour, price 5 eur, companies Regiojet, Slovaklines or Flixbus) and then from Bratislava to Trnava again you can check connections on www.cp.sk.

If you arrive to Budapest airport, you will take public transport in the city and then either a bus or a train to Bratislava (3 hours, price 15 - 20 eur).

From Bratislava to Trnava you can check connections on www.cp.sk.

If you arrive to Prague airport, you will take public transport in the city and then either a bus or a train to Bratislava (5 hours, price 20 eur +)

From Bratislava to Trnava you can check connections on www.cp.sk.

More details will be provided by email and in facebook group.

YOUR INSURANCE

All participants must have a valid EHIC to travel and attend the project. If not, participants are required to have insurance cover for the entire duration of the project. Insurance is obligatory for your safety and health.

Covid19 REQUIREMENTS:

Participants should preferably hold the Green Pass to come to the project - it is not currently an obligation. An antigenic test prior departure may be required by your country if non-Schengen country (in this case it will be covered under the travel costs allowances per person).

WHAT TO BRING FOR THE PROJECT

- personal hygiene products (shampoo, toothpaste, etc.)
- specific medicines (if you need any)
- personal documents to travel

- laptop and/or tablets that serve to work for the project activities (please, do not count only with your smartphones as it will be not sufficient)
- materials and a presentation regarding your Sending Organisations
- some national/local snacks and sweets
- any other item that you consider relevant.

ACCOMMODATION

Participants will be accommodated in shared rooms with 3-5 people from mixed countries.

FOOD

Breakfast, lunch, and dinner will be served in the hotel. There will be coffee breaks twice a day. Each participant must inform about diets and intolerances upon arrival. The form will be sent to partner organisations and shared with participants.

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