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"Unlocking Rural Sustainable Development: Keys to Success"

Acireale, Italia

04/03/2024-12/03/2024



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What about the project?

Designed for the well-being of young people, the project will foster the participants development, making them acquire the ability to deal critically with various topics, in international contexts, by fostering awareness of the advantages of living in a rural/peripheral area.

They will improve their knowledge to create a green and sustainable Europe.

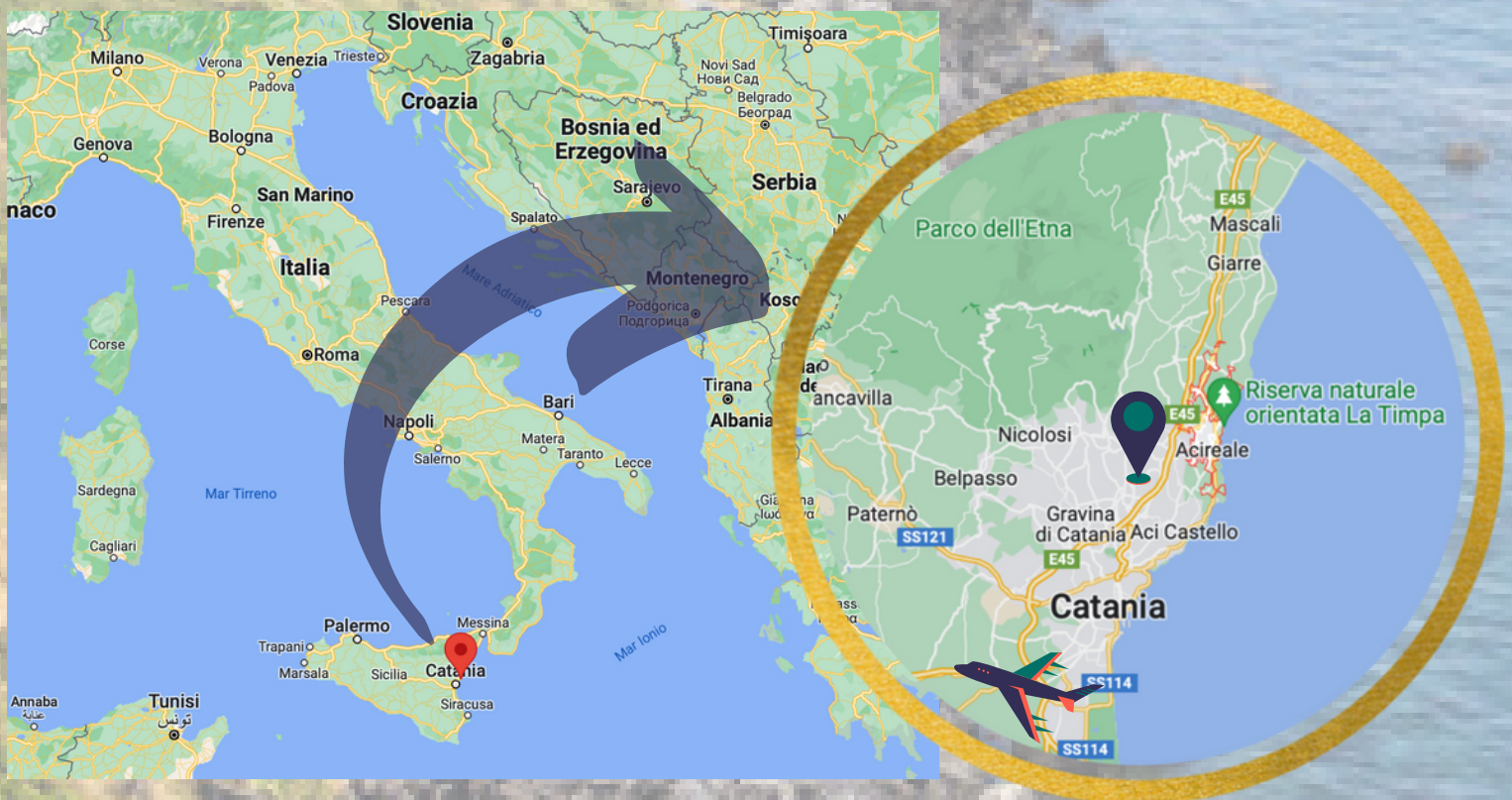
They will learn about development opportunities in rural areas (grants, rural development programmes, etc.), and about rural development experiences in EU regions.

They will develop methods for reality and context analysis, generating proposals and improving their discussion and negotiation skills. Participants will share project results both online and offline in their respective countries.

Where we are...

Acireale is a town nearby Catania, in the east side of Sicilian island, in the deep south of Italy, suspended between the sea and the Vulcano Etna.

The city is situated on a plateau of lava origin, called the Timpa, which, at 161 metres high, places it almost overhanging the Ionian Sea.



You will be sleeping using widespread hospitality and the spend your time at Sketch Urban Art Cafè that will host our activities.

Travel arrangements

Eis will Rembours all the travel ticket until the budget accorded by the National Agency.

How to reach Acireale?

Catania has the third busiest airport in Italy so it would be easy to reach it.

In order to reach Acireale we are able to support you arranging the most sustainable transportation, mainly by train or bus.

Your homework

Collect information about rural development initiatives (food chain organisation, enhancing ecosystems, smart villages) nearby your area or in your nation that you know can be a best practice or has faced problem to address and discuss.

Analyse the process behind this case and prepare to share with us your experience or your new knowledge.

When and Who?

Dates of the activity:

04.03.2024-12.03.2024,
maximum 2 extra day for
personal visiting.

The age of the participants
should be between 18-24, and
preferably they should be
selected on their interest in
Sustainability Issues, activism
rural development, expertise
on sustainability.



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Accomodation

The Artists, Il Balcone di Galatea & Dietro Piazza Duomo are the widespread B&B.

Participants will stay in multiple rooms, in mixed nationalities and divided for gender.

It will be send a google form to fill in order to communicate any particular needs during your stay.



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