

Conference and Workshop for Successful Youth

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Finding good schools and workplaces is a big challenge for many of us. Such challenges are especially hard for disadvantaged young people. So there is high number of young people all over Europe, who don't attend educational institutions and either are employed. The Autonomia Foundation together with their international partners have been working for four years that such young people can find education and employment suitable for their interest and competences. Numerous mentors, trainers, volunteers supported this work, and we have collected diverse methods and lessons learnt during the years.

On the 23rd March we will have the opportunity to present how, with whom and in which way we have worked. The ones, who work with young people on the fields of education, employment or in soft skill development and empowerment will gain many useful tools and points during the diverse event. From Spain through Romania till Bulgaria we will ensure insight in the work of organizations working with young people. We will present European trends, tools for supporting education and employment, the methods and results of creative soft skill development, and the participants will also learn the dilemmas and results of the professionals working with the youth. We won't be just the ones speaking about the young people, but they will also present themselves in diverse and talented ways. Besides presentations there will be also workshops and cultural events.

The language of the event will be English, and Hungarian interpretation will be ensured. The participation is free of charge, however registration is expected, and there are limited number of participants.

Date: 23rd March 2023

Venue: Bálint House (16th Révay St., 1065 Budapest, Hungary)

[Registration](#)

Program:

9:30-10:00 Arrival and registration

10:00-11:45 **Conference**

Opening of the Conference – Herman Baskår, Deputy Head of Mission, Norwegian Embassy in Budapest

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Vocational training, access, disadvantage, global perspectives – Tibor Bors Borbely-Pecze, Ph.D. - employment counselor, employment specialist

Presentation of the „Find Your Way to the World of Work” project – Andras Nun, Autonomia Foundation

Experiences of working with youths from the mentor's perspective – Áron Székely, Caritas Alba Iulia, Romania

Promoting the enrolment and success of young Roma in post-compulsory studies - Alberto González Rodero and Raquel Pla González, FSG, Spain

Working with employers and career orientation – Olya Georgieva, TSA, Bulgaria

Break – 11:45-12:15

12:15-13:45 Parallel Workshops

1. **Communication and Team Work** – Radostina Chaprazova, Arete, Bulgaria (English language workshop)
2. **HR Training / Diversity workshop** – Petia Goolamallee, TSA, Bulgaria (English language workshop)
3. **Life-Career-Coaching: Experiential pedagogy** – Éva Bojoievschi and Alexandra Benedek, Caritas Alba Iulia, Romania (Hungarian language workshop)
4. **Mentors' cases and dilemmas** – Alexandra Kékesi, Nikolett Benkó, Csilla Máté, Gábor Zsudel, Autonomia Foundation, Hungary (Hungarian language workshop)

Lunch – 13:45-14:45

14:45 – 15:30 Plenary Summary of Outputs of the Workshops, closing

The program is implemented in the frame of the 'Find Your Way to the World of Work' The implementer partners are: Arete Foundation, Bulgaria; Autonomia Foundation, Hungary; Caritas Alba Iulia, Romania; FSG, Spain; TSA, Bulgaria.