

Trend a Fire

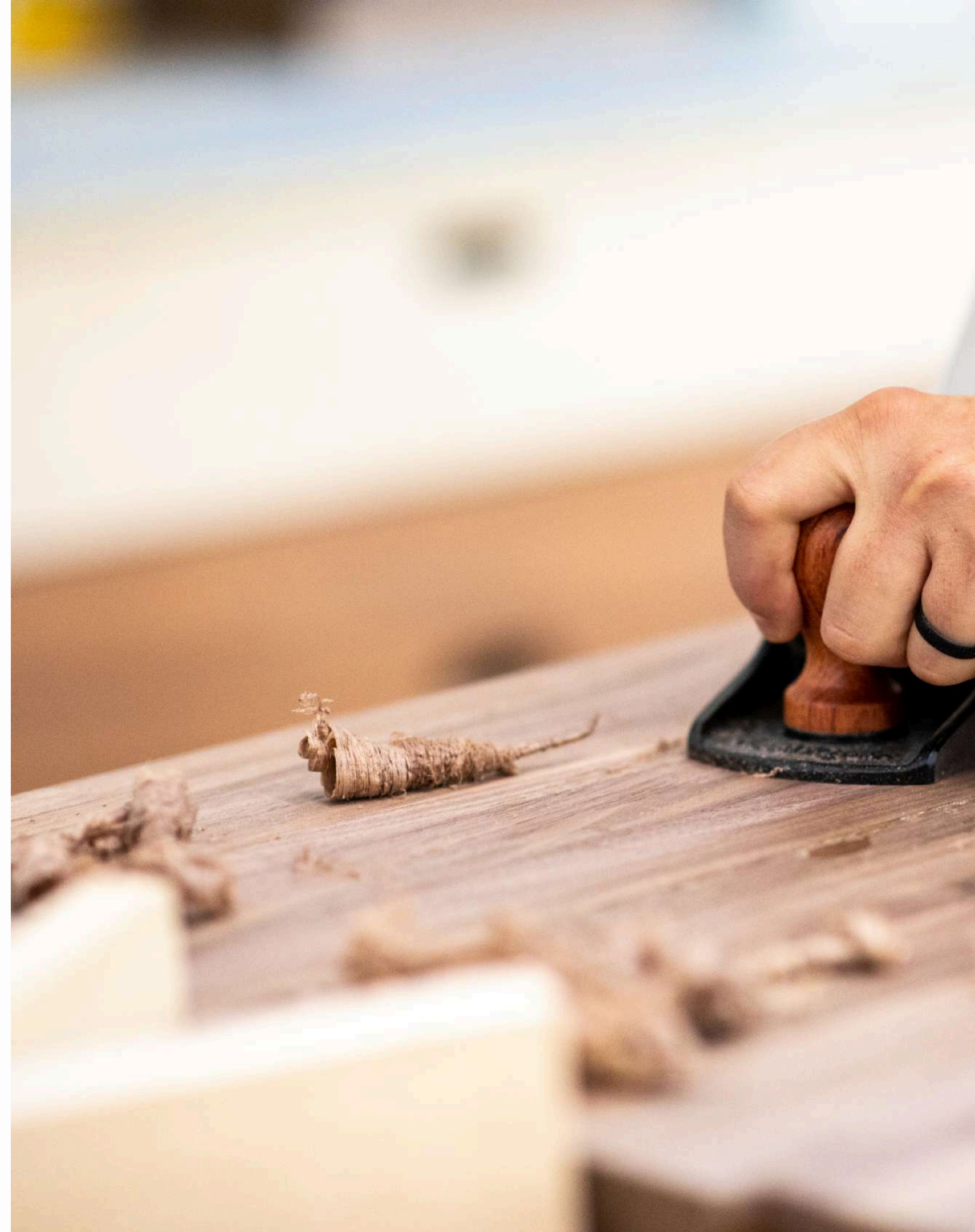
KA1 - YOUTH EXCHANGE



Romania, Mănăstirea Cașin

APV: 23 - 26 May, 2025

Youth Exchange: 5 - 17 July, 2025



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About Asociația TAO

Asociația TAO is a Romanian NGO active in the Bistrița-Năsăud area since 2021, focusing on non-formal education in the fields of sustainability, entrepreneurship, individual growth, and well-being.

We have implemented more than 10 projects through local and European foundings, aimed at educating individuals through encounters with art, nature, and technology.

Nice to meet you! :)



About this project

11 days to ignite your creativity with fire and the beauty of roses!

We will explore the enchanting world of campfires, where fire becomes a symbol of passion, emotion, and boundless creative power. We'll breathe life into raw materials, crafting exquisite metal jewelry, delicate

ceramics, captivating wood pyrography, and even indulgent rose jam.

In the second part of our time spent together, our journey continues with learning the art of branding the products we've created, ensuring our creations leave a lasting mark on the world.



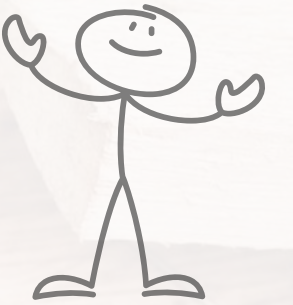
Learning outcomes

- Developing practical skills using fire in metal and wood crafting
- Environmental awareness
- Personal branding through digital tools

The schedule

Day 1	Getting to know each other
Day 2	Discover elements of cultural diversity from each participating country
Day 3	Basic elements of crafting: ceramics, metal, wood
Day 4	Transform raw materials in arts and crafts
Day 5	Develop a personal crafting project
Day 6	Free day with multiple options (TBD at the venue)
Day 7	How to draft a business model and pitch it
Day 8	Digital Safety and Digital Promotion
Day 9	Video making techniques and editing software
Day 10	Develop organizational skills and event management
Day 11	Evaluation & Closing

Participants' profile



Countries: Bulgaria, Hungary, Montenegro, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Serbia, Ukraine

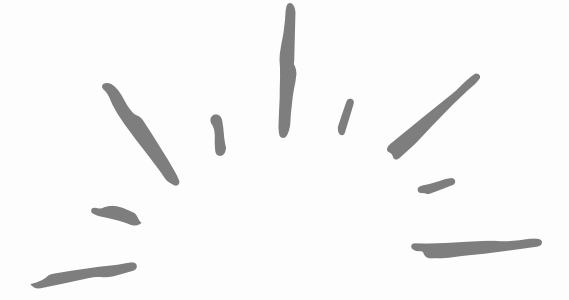
No. of participants / country: 4 + 1 team leader

Age Range: 18 - 30 years old for the participants, 18+ (no upper age limit) for the team leader

Characteristics: priority for the participants who are at their 1st or max. 2nd Erasmus+ experience



Location



The Youth Exchange activities and the accomodation will be at the beautiful **Perma Haloș in Romania**.

Located in the remote area of Manastirea Casin commune, by the river Haloș, surrounded by hills and forests, Perma Halos is giving space for the young people to develop and implement activities linked to environmental awareness, permaculture, and serves as an ever-growing socio- cultural and educational center since 2020.

Zero Waste: Most of the buildings are built by hand with natural materials. Recycling (plastic, glass, paper) is in place and organic materials are composted for natural fertilizer to the garden.



Accommodation



Accommodation in Perma Halos is mixed indoors and outdoors:

- guesthouse: 20 single beds and all the basic standards
- activity room dormitory: 10 single beds
- glamping tents: 4-4 pallet beds each and several regular tents with mattresses and sleeping bags
- 1 indoor and several outdoor showers and toilets

Participants will be provided with **towels** and **bed linen**.

Washing machine and hairdryers will be available for shared use.



Food



The food is mainly vegetarian, because of the sustainability focus of the venue, however, all 3 meals includes every kind of food group like vegetables, eggs, fruits, legumes, dairy, bread with all the essential nutrients.

We take into consideration any specific diets or food intolerances of the participants.

We aim to provide local, handmade and home-grown products as much as possible.

Traveling

How to reach the location



The closest airport is Bacău, the one with the most connections is Bucharest.

From the Bucharest airport you may take the **Autovip bus** directly to Onești.

Plane



Perma Haloș,
Mănăstirea Cașin,
Bacău county

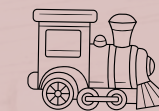
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Car



To Onesti, and from there we can help with the local transport to Perma Haloș.

Train



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Bus



Traveling



Country	Green travel	Standard travel
Bulgaria	285 €	211 €
Hungary	417 €	309 €
Montenegro	417 €	309 €
Republic of Moldova	285 €	211 €
Romania	285 €	211 €
Serbia	417 €	309 €
Ukraine	417 €	309 €

Green Travel

We promote sustainable travel. We invite you to use more ecological means of transport such as bus, train or car-pooling to come.

The covered travel expenses **up to the maximum** indicated sums per person.

Traveling reimbursement

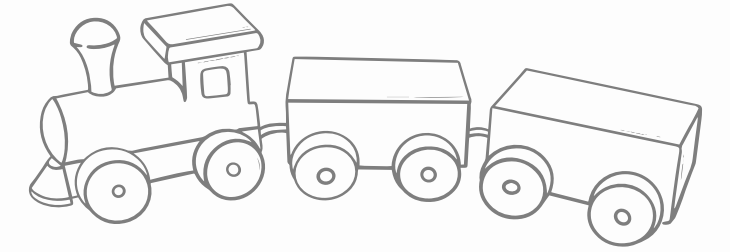


- To get the travel reimbursement, you should keep all the invoices and proof of travel, including boarding passes (no screenshots, only .pdf), invoices, tickets, etc. and give them to organizers upon arrival.
- Please DO NOT BUY any tickets before the approval of your sending organization!

Traveling dates are:

- 05 July - arrival day
- 17 July - departure day

Our Partners



*Bulgarian
Business
Forums*

*NatureMind
Collective
Hungary*



Participant Agreement



Being involved in this project means that you are willing to:

- Share: be actively involved in follow-up activities and project dissemination by creating stories and posts on your personal or NGO social media profile
- Keep your bills: deliver all travel receipts to the project responsible
- Be on time: respect project timelines
- Help everybody improve: fill out all the necessary evaluation forms
- Always respect all people and project guidelines

Additional information



- The working language of this project is English.
- Participants are responsible for their own travel and health insurance.
- Health insurance (also, for EU residents the European Health Insurance Card is obligatory to have to participate in this project and it's issued for free)
- Luggage insurance, out-of-schedule transportation and extra expenses are the responsibility of each participant.
- Every individual who will participate in the program is obliged to participate in the activities organized and to fulfill their responsibilities within the scope of the project.
- If you have any concerns, please feel free to contact your sending organisation for a solution.

Remember to bring with you...



- some snacks from home to share and to taste during the intercultural nights
- European Health Insurance Card
- originals of the tickets (ticket invoices, boarding passes in .pdf, bus tickets etc.)
- necessary medicines if needed
- comfortable clothes, swimming suit, a cap or a hat
- flip-flops
- trekking shoes for forest walks and for rainy days
- reusable water bottle
- sunscreen
- mosquito spray

IMPORTANT: in Romania we do not wear street shoes inside of buildings, so please bring with you slippers/flip flops or socks, to wear them inside.

Please bring **a laptop** with you for the digital part of the project.

If you don't have access to one, just let us know in the registration form and we'll make sure to prepare one for you.

Dissemination

Sharing is an essential part of participating



Dissemination is a crucial part of any Erasmus+ funded project.

The idea of Erasmus+ programme is to provide young people the possibility to learn and exchange the knowledge. It is very important to share the results of our project to keep this ability and give more opportunities for young people.

Each country group is responsible to perform visibility on social media: share at least one post/story on your personal/NGOs social media about your experience during the exchange.

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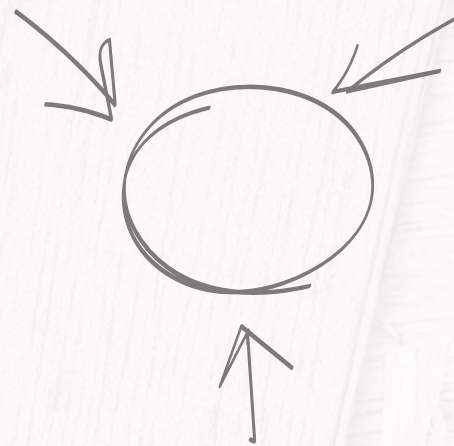
Youthpass is a European recognition instrument for identifying and documenting learning outcomes that are acquired in projects under the Erasmus+ Youth and the European Solidarity Corps programmes.

Each participant will receive a Youthpass certificate upon the successful completion of this youth exchange, and thus recognition for their non-formal and informal learning outcomes.

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Registration form link

<https://forms.gle/drBeKtJosNAY7REr7>

Looking forward to greeting you in Perma Haloş!

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