18 October 2021

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Research project on participation and citizenship education and learning in European Youth Programmes (RAY PART)

Conference for the presentation and discussion of interim results

→ 18 - 19 October 2021, Online

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Programme of the Day
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13:00	Welcome and getting to know each other
14:00	Presentation of RAY PART Findings, Part 1
14:50	Coffee Break
15:05	Presentation of RAY PART Findings, Part 2
16:15	Input about Youth Participation Strategy
16:30	Conclusions of the first day and outlook for the second day
17:00	End of the first day

Programme of the Day
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10:30	Start of the day and warm-up
11:00	Preparing for the dialogue
12:00	Lunch break
13:15	Dialogue between policy makers, youth work practitioners (and young people), researchers and National Agencies
15:00	Break
15:05	Reflection and debriefing
16:00	End of RAY PART Conference

Technical information

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- Meeting in Zoom, using different platforms for exercises
- Using Zoom with your own name and country
- Online meeting etiquette
- Microphones muted, camera optional
- Commenting, speaking – Ask for your turn in chat or alternatively raise your hand by the raise hand –function
- Chat will be mainly used for questions, but you can also write comments if you feel more comfortable
- Participant view can be adjusted

Who is here?

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- please use your mobile phones or browsers on your computer
- we will use Mentimeter application
- go to the www.menti.com and type in the code: 8704 5555
- or use link in the chat

Let’s meet each other better!

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- **Breakout rooms**
- **Task:**

1) Find out at least three similarities among your group.
2) 2) Find out at least three differences among your group.
3) 3) Share your experience in E+ project you participated in (or your experiences in projects in general as a researcher or NA representative) - what did you learn and is still relevant from that experience?

- Writing results on a Jamboard: **http://bit.do/ray-part**

RAY PART Findings – Part 1

Presentation of findings

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Part 1:

Block 1: Methods fostering participation and citizenship competence and practice

- **Followed by a breakout room**

Part 2:

Block 2: Project designs, settings, methodologies fostering participation and citizenship competence and practice

- **Followed by a breakout room**

Block 3: Youth work competences for participation and citizenship education and learning

- **Followed by individual reflection**

Instructions for breakout rooms

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- 5 rooms
- Each room has a host and a notetaker
- Guiding questions
- Documenting discussion in Padlet by notetakers

SHARE YOUR INSIGHTS!

Guiding questions for Breakout Rooms

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Which of the findings were surprising or unexpected? Why?

Which of the findings reflect your experiences or were as you expected? Can you provide an example of your own experience?

Can you describe any personal experiences which are not covered by these findings and could complement them? Can you add anything to the findings?

RAY PART Findings – Part 2

Presentation of findings

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Block 2: project designs, settings, methodologies fostering participation and citizenship competence and practice

Guiding questions for Breakout Rooms

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Presentation of findings

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Block 3: Youth work competences for participation and citizenship education and learning

Instructions for individual reflection?

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- time: 5 minutes
- main question: **Do you (dis)agree with these findings and why? Do you have anything to add to what you have heard?**
- write down in Mentimeter: go to the **www.menti.com** and type in the code: **8704 5555** or use link in the chat
- possibility to add more answers (if you want to write more 😀)
- we want to hear some voices in the plenary as well

Youth Participation Strategy

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Conclusions of today?

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What about tomorrow?

Dialogue between policy makers, youth work practitioners (and young people), researchers and National Agencies

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Taking the findings of RAY PART to people that make decisions!

What do we want? An interesting dialogue! + Recommendations for what they should do with these findings in order to enhance participation

5 policy makers/decision makers

European level (Members of the European Parliament)

- Mr Victor Negrescu, MEP, Romania (vice-chair CULT; promoting European agency for citizenship education)
- Mr Niklas Nienaß, MEP, Germany (member of CULT; EP Youth Platform)

Dialogue between young people, policy makers, youth work practitioners and researchers

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5 policy makers/decision-makers

National level

- Ms Birgit Klausser, Deputy head, Department European and International Family and Youth Policy, Federal Chancellery, Austria
- Ms Miriam Teuma, Chief Executive of Aġenzija Żgħażagħ, Malta's National Youth Agency, Ministry for Education and Employment, Malta

European Commission

- Ms Biliana Sirakova, EU Youth Coordinator, European Commission, DG Education, Youth, Sport and Culture

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Mr Victor Negrescu, Romania

- Member of the European Parliament
- Vice-chair CULT (CULT Committee on Culture and Education)
- Promoting European Agency for Citizenship Education

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Mr Niklas Nienaß, Germany

- Member of the European Parliament
- Member of CULT (Committee on Culture and Education)
- Member of the Youth Platform of the European Parliament (EP Youth Platform)

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Ms Birgit Klausser, Austria

- Deputy head
- Department European and International Family and Youth Policy, Federal Chancellery Austria
- Member of the Programme Committee

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Ms Miriam Teuma, Malta

- Chief Executive of Aġenzija Żgħażagħ, Malta's National Youth Agency, Ministry for Education and Employment
- Chairperson of the Council of Europe's Steering Committee for Youth

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Pick your favourite!