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## RAY-PART

Input 3: Youth work competences

RAY-PART: Youth work competences needed by project leaders to foster participation and citizenship / Requirements for the role as project leader enabling her/him to foster participation and citizenship

- Being an activitst/being authentic
- Being equipped with charisma/an inspiring personality
- Perception of the project leaders role as coach, mentor, "provider of opportunities"
- Knowledge on methods, participation and citizenship, the concrete topic and youth issues
- Social skills, e.g. ability to be a good listener and observer, communication, being able to create group dynamic
- Project management skills
- Being a role model for young people

## RAY-PART: Development of youth work competences

- Experience in implementing projects fostering participation and citizenship
- Life experience including all spheres of life
- Project leader have gone through the awareness raising process themselves
- Training
- Testing methods
- Trying out methods/combination of methods