

Rhythm and Power (RAP)_ Call for group leader

Project:

SCI Italia is looking for **1 group leader** for the youth exchange called "**Rhythm and Power (RAP)**" that will take place from the **12th to the 21st of March 2022** in the beautiful place called la Città dell'Utopia located in Rome.

A group of young people from **Italy, Poland, Greece, France and Slovenia** will get the opportunity to explore together the themes of social inclusion, cultural diversity, emotional competence and music through RAP's tool of Rhythm and Power. Together, we will create a path contributing to the value of individual growth and of group awareness through music.

The methodology of RAP aims to build and test a format of non-formal education methods in which the participants involved in the youth exchange will discover themselves and others thanks to music. Music is a successful tool for developing individual and collective capacities, helping people to get in touch with their emotions, to deepen them and to reflect on their management of feelings and sensitivity. At the same time, music is an effective tool to help a group in finding a shared identity by giving the opportunity to work together on a specific project with common objectives. This methodology not only allows us to bring people together but also for them to develop their emotional skills with an important impact in terms of personal development and active citizenship.

Here is the link to the description of the project

Tasks of the group leader:

BEFORE the Youth Exchange:

- Participate in 2 online meetings with the organizational team
- Participate and support the project coordinator in the advanced planning visit (APV) in **Rome from the 14th to the 16th of January**
- Help with the logistics of your group (organize trips, prepare meetings with the group, collect specific needs)
- Assist in the selection and preparation of participants and activities

DURING the Youth Exchange:

- Be responsible for your group (its well-being, motivation and team spirit)
- Support the implementation of the project and its activities
- Daily evaluation with the group
- Feel responsibility for the exchange program

AFTER the Exchange:

- support with the reporting
- assist with the administration (collect tickets, photos, reports, assessments, etc.)

Requirements

The ideal group leader:

- has experience in working with young people, coordinating groups and non-formal education methods
- has the interest, motivation and willingness to follow the project from its beginning to its end
- has a good knowledge of English and is able to translate for the participants if necessary
- has a positive and proactive attitude
- is very patient, tolerant and open minded
- has good organizational skills
- is able to cooperate with the organizational team
- feels responsible for the group, especially for the participants that come from disadvantaged backgrounds.

Economic conditions

This project is granted by Erasmus+, meaning that all the essential costs of the activities are covered: food, travel costs up to a maximum amount per country, accommodation. Your sending organisation might ask you for a small participation fee.

Application

If you are interested in the position as group leader for RAP, please send us your motivation letter and CV by December 15 the latest to incoming@sci-italia.it.