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## Together Have Your Say!

“50-50” training seminar  
for specialists from national and local authorities  
of Ukraine working with young people and representatives of youth  
non-governmental organisations

14-20 May 2018, Lviv, Ukraine

**DRAFT programme**

## BACKGROUND

A five-year Framework Programme on Co-operation in the field of youth policy between the Ministry of Youth and Sports of Ukraine and the Council of Europe in 2016-2020 was agreed upon in March 2016. The Framework Programme foresees three main priorities:

- education for human rights and democratic citizenship (including youth participation, democratic governance, human rights education, etc.);
- support to youth work development and the recognition of non-formal education;
- peacebuilding and intercultural dialogue.

This programme correlates with the Council of Europe Action Plan for Ukraine 2015-2017, the Youth for Democracy programme and with the State Target Social Programme “Youth of Ukraine”. The Ministry of Youth and Sport of Ukraine is the key partner for the programme implementation.

## TOGETHER HAVE YOUR SAY! 2018

The first activity in the programme of cooperation in 2018 is a training seminar for specialists from national and local authorities working with young people and representatives of youth non-governmental organisations from Ukraine – a so-called “**50-50**” model that evokes the spirit of co-management in place in the Council of Europe youth sector and stresses the necessary cooperation between public authorities and organisations representing young people. The course focuses on ways to increase youth participation based on the principles of the Revised European Charter on the Participation of Young People in Local and Regional Life and the Manual “Have Your Say!”

The format of the training seminar “50/50” implies participation the equal number of representatives from the governmental and non-governmental sectors working with young people in Ukraine and aims to strengthen their co-operation and partnership in the development of youth policy and youth work with the direct involvement of young people in the decision-making processes. During the seminar, the participants will get to know and discuss legislative acts, recent initiatives and developments in the youth field in Ukraine at different levels.

The seminar 50/50 in 2018 will take place from 14 to 20 May 2018 in Lviv, in the framework of the programme of the Youth capital of Ukraine 2018.

## AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

**The aim** of the training seminar is to improve participants’ competences to ensure youth participation in youth policy processes and to implement projects for youth participation in line with the Revised European Charter on Youth participation.

### **Objectives of the seminar:**

- To develop participants' knowledge about the European Revised Charter on the participation of young people in local and regional life and the manual "Have your say!" and to reflect how it is used at local and regional levels
- To explore, analyse and to reflect on existent forms, tools and methods for youth participation, on their accessibility, efficiency and attractiveness for diverse groups of young people in Ukraine
- To discuss current context and recent initiatives and developments in the youth field in Ukraine at different levels;
- To develop participants' competences to influence decisions and in strengthening cooperation between different stakeholders of the youth field at local, regional and national level for further development of youth policy and youth work in Ukraine.
- To contribute to improving dialogue and cooperation among participants for developing new quality initiatives that sustain or strengthen youth participation at local and regional level.

### **Organisers of the Activity**

The activity is co-organised by the Council of Europe Youth Department and the Ministry of Youth and Sports of Ukraine in cooperation with the Lviv Regional Youth Centre within the programme "Lviv – Youth Capital of Ukraine".

### **Profile of Participants**

- members of local councils and servants of local self-governance working with young people;
- members of councils and servants of self-governance of newly amalgamated communities,
- servants of state and municipal institutions working with young people and supporting youth participation;
- representatives of local and regional youth councils and other youth advisory bodies,
- youth leaders and representatives of civil society organisations advocating for youth participation,
- youth workers experienced or interested in promoting youth participation in youth policy processes.

## DRAFT AGENDA

### Monday, 14 May, 2018

Arrival of participants

- 18:00 Dinner  
19:00 Welcome evening

### Tuesday, 15 May, 2018

- 10:00 **Introduction to the programme.**  
Discovering expectation of participants, introduction to the TC background and the programme
- 11:30 *Break*
- 12:00 **Getting-to-know each other and group integration**
- 13:30 *Lunch*
- 15:00 **Official opening of the training-course**  
Yarema Oleksandr - Deputy minister of youth and sport  
Mårten Ehnberg, Head of the Council of Europe Office in Ukraine  
Representative of Lviv regional state administration (tbc)  
Representative of Lviv city council (tbc)
- 15:30 **Youth Participation**  
Why youth participation? values behind, sense and meaning
- 16:30 *Break*
- 17:00 **Youth Participation and relative areas**  
Youth policy, HRE and democratic citizenship. Policy development
- 18:30 Reflection of the day
- 19:00 *Dinner*
- 20:00 Evening programme – fair of participants’ organisations and their initiatives

### Wednesday, 16 May, 2018

- 10:00 **Context of Ukraine, youth policy development**  
Legislative initiatives in the youth field  
*Yuriy Yuzych, Coordinator of working group on youth policy reform, Reanimation package of reforms*
- 11:30 *Break*
- 12:00 **Exchange of local realities of youth policies**
- 13:30 *Lunch*
- 15:00 **Policy fields of youth participation**
- 16:30 *Break*
- 17:00 **Forms of youth participation.**
- 18:30 Reflection of the day
- 19:00 *Dinner*
- 20:30 Consultations for field visits

### Thursday, 17 May, 2018

- 10:00      **Forms of youth participation**  
Traditional forms vs Innovative forms. Participation vs non-participation.  
Tools to support implementation of different forms of participation
- 11:30      *Break*
- 12:00      **Public decision making. Policy development cycle**  
Analysing different forms of youth participation
- 13:30      *Lunch*
- 15:00      **Competence in partnership building with different relevant stakeholders.**
- 16:30      *Break*
- 17:00      **Competence to influence: advocacy. How to advocate with young people?**
- 18:30      Reflection of the day
- 19:00      *Dinner*
- 20:00      Free evening

### Friday, May 18, 2018

- 10:00      **Workshops:** digital participation, participation and inclusion, decentralization
- 11:30      *Break*
- 11:30      **Preparation for field visits**  
mapping and discovering
- 13:00      *Lunch*
- 14:30      **Field visits in order to analyse forms and tools of youth participation used by the identified organisations and/or institutions**
- 17:00      Free time
- 20:30      Dinner out

### Saturday, 19 May, 2018

- 10:00      **Debriefing of field visits**
- 11:30      *Break*
- 12:00      **Development of initiatives, available resources**
- 13:30      Lunch
- 15:00      **Development and presentation of initiatives,**
- 16:30      *Break*
- 17:00      **Evaluation of the training-course and official closing**
- 19:00      *Dinner*
- 20:00      Farewell party

### Sunday, 20 May, 2018

Departure of participants