



13th Summer Academy

“Volunteering and sustainable rural development”

Szombathely, Hungary, 13th – 21st July 2014

Day 0 – Sunday 13.07.2014

Arrival of Participants, settling in at MARTINEUM Adult Education Centre, Szombathely

20:00 International Dinner

Day 1 – Monday 14.07.2014

- 09:00 - 09:30** Greetings: Euracademy’s President **Fouli Papageorgiou** & local personalities
- 09:30 - 09:45** Practical Information: Presentation of the Summer Academy’s Programme, staff, accommodation premises & facilities and practical matters
- 09:45 - 10:45** *Coffee & Open Space*
- 10:45 - 11:15** “Volunteering – the basis for collective self-help, local action and participative democracy”, **Michael Dower**, Professor of European Rural Development, University of Gloucestershire, England and former coordinator, PREPARE Partnership for Rural Europe
- 11:15 - 12:00** Workgroups
- 12:00 - 12:30** Plenary – presentation of workgroup conclusions
- 12:30 - 14:00** *Lunch*
- 14:00 - 14:30** “The experience of the Polish Rural Forum regarding the contribution of civil society in rural development”, **Urszula Budzich Tabor**, Secretary of the Board, Polish Rural Forum
- 14:30 - 15:15** Workgroups
- 15:15 - 15:30** *Coffee break*
- 15:30 - 16:00** Plenary – presentation of workgroup conclusions
- 16:00 - 16:30** “Volunteering and Social Enterprise”, **Roger Evans**, Expert
- 16:30 - 17:15** Workgroups
- 17:15 - 17:45** Plenary – presentation of workgroup conclusions
- 20:00** *Dinner*

Volunteering for environmental protection: The INVOLEN workshop

- 09:00 - 09:20** Welcome by the host, **Iren Kukorelli**, Centre for Economic and Regional Studies, Hungarian Academy of Sciences; and participants' introduction
- 09:20 - 09:45** Presentation of the INVOLEN project: "Intergenerational Learning for Nature Conservation Volunteers – introduction to the gaming experiments run in 5 countries" **Fouli Papageorgiou**, project coordinator, PRISMA
- 09:45 - 10:15** "Mobile game design methodology" - **Eleni Kolovou**, ICT expert, PRISMA
- 10:15 - 10:45** "Presentation of the Italian pilot actions"- **Francesca Ugolini, Luciano Massetti, Laura Pelegrino, IBIMET**, National Research Council of Italy
- 10:45 - 11:00** *Coffee break*
- 11:00 - 11:30** "Presentation of the Hungarian pilot actions", **Particia Honvari, Zsófia Flóra Németh** Centre for Economic and Regional Studies, Hungarian Academy of Sciences
- 11:30 - 12:00** "Presentation of the Greek pilot actions", **Evgenia Panoriou**, Hellenic Ornithological Society
- 12:00 - 12:30** "Presentation of the French pilot actions", **Elise Gosselin**, La Ligue de l'enseignement
- 12:30 - 13:00** "Presentation of the Slovenian pilot actions", **Polona Zevnik**, Notranjska Ecological Centre
- 13:00 - 13:30** Round table discussion
- 13:30 - 15:00** *Lunch*
- 15:00 - 17:00** Workgroups – design your own volunteering mobile game (with coffee break included)
- 17:00 - 17:45** Presentation of work groups' results, discussion
- 17:45 – 19:00** **General Assembly** of Euracademy Association
- 20:00** *Dinner*

Cultural event: wine tasting

Day 3 – Wednesday 16.07.2014

- 09:00 - 09:30** “Volunteering and local democracy in the context of Finland’s recent local government reorganisation”, **Christell Åström**, Secretary General of the Finnish Rural Policy Committee
- 09:30 - 10:15** Workgroups
- 10:15 - 10:30** *Coffee break*
- 10:30 - 11:00** Plenary – presentation of workgroup conclusions
- 11:00 - 11:30** “How LEADER can encourage leadership in Volunteering for Rural Development – An Irish Perspective”, **Ryan Howard**, Chief Executive Officer South & East Cork Area Development (SECAD) Ltd, Ireland.
- 11:30 - 12:15** Workgroups
- 12:15 - 12:45** Plenary – presentation of workgroup conclusions
- 12:45 - 14:15** *Lunch*
- 14:15 - 14:45** “Rural movements in Europe”, **Vanessa Halhead**, Director at Scottish Rural Action, Secretary of ERCA, European Rural Communities Association
- 14:45 - 15:30** Workgroups
- 15:30 - 15:45** *Coffee Break*
- 15:45 - 16:15** Plenary – presentation of workgroup conclusions
- 16:15 - 17:00** Case studies brought in by participants
- 17:00 - 17:45** Preparation for study trips
- 19:30** *Dinner*

Walk in the town

Day 4 & 5 – Thursday/Friday 17-18.07.2014

Study Trips

(programme to be announced)

Day 6 – Saturday 19.07.2014

Study Trip Reports

- 09:00 - 12:30** Preparation of study trips reports
12:30 - 14:00 *Lunch*
14:00 - 16:00 Presentation of Study Trips' Reports and Discussion
16:00 - 16:15 *Coffee*
16:15 - 17:30 Case Studies brought in by participants

20:00 *Dinner*

Cultural event

Day 7 – Sunday 20.07.2014

- 9:30 - 10:00** "The Hungarians' and Central Europeans' role in advancing the culture of individual initiatives - with particular focus on volunteering" **Gábor Gyórfy**, Economist, Peregrinus Life
10:00 - 10:30 Discussion
10:30 – 10:45 *Coffee break*
10:45 – 12:15 Panel of conclusions (participants and lecturers)
12:15 - 13:00 Evaluation of the summer academy
13:00 – 14:30 *Lunch*
14:30-15:30 Award of diplomas

16:00 Departure for a visit to nearby site of interest and discussion with local people

Day 8 – Monday 21.07.2014

- 08:00-10:00** Breakfast
10:00 onwards Departure of participants