

# let's NOT WASTE the planet



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**Are you between 18 and 26 years old and engaged for the environment and sustainability? Do you live in Germany, France or Poland? And do you want to become part of a growing cross-border network of young people engaged for the environment?**

**Then unite efforts with others, get empowered and build your skills - become part of "Let's not WASTE the planet!"**

In three meetings between May 2022 and April 2023, we will get to know each other and exchange about our experiences fighting for Climate Justice, sustainability and environmental protection. Together, we will gain new knowledge about socio-ecological challenges in our regions, make hands-on-experiences in workshops (e.g. permaculture garden or wood workshop) and raise our voices in creative ways. Questions of waste reduction and the overuse of resources will be of special attention, embedded in broader socio-ecological contexts. Critical exchange with other activists and change makers will be part of every module and there will be chances for networking and connecting to participants from the first project round.

## **When and where?**

**Part I:** 04.-10.05.2022 – Krzyżowa (Lower Silesia region), PL

**Part II:** 19.-25.09.2022 – Finsterbergen (Thuringia region), DE

**Part III:** 24.-30.04.2023 – Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur region, FR

## Who can participate?

The program is suitable for young adults (aged between 18 and 26) with some experience of activism or commitment for socio-ecological matters (e.g. Fridays for Future, environmental organizations), but it can also be an encouraging starting point for motivated newcomers. So whether you are already engaged or have been thinking about getting (more) active - "Let's not WASTE the planet!" might be a perfect occasion for encouragement and mutual empowerment.

The working languages will be French, German and Polish. Knowledge of these languages and basis English skills will be helpful, but are not required in order to participate, as our team will facilitate the communication.

## How to participate?

**In order to participate, fill out the pre-inscription form under this [link to framaforms](#).** Participants will be chosen according to their motivation and in order to create a group as diverse as possible in all regards. Priority will be given to those who are able to participate in all three parts of the project. **A first selection of participants will take place mid-March 2022.**

The project is financed by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union as well as by the Franco-German Youth Office. Thanks to this support, **travel costs** within the allowances of the Erasmus+ guidelines are covered. **A participation fee** of 60 EUR for participants living in France or Germany and 150 PLN for participants living in Poland applies (covering the whole cycle).

*In the context of the current pandemic, any unforeseen developments might lead to modifications of the program, the dates or the places of our meetings. We are keen on offering you an exchange in real life with adequate hygiene and safety measures. However, we will of course adapt our concept in order to achieve a safe and healthy experience for our participants and our team!*

## Looking for further information and updates?

Please check the project page on [www.kreisau.de](http://www.kreisau.de) [here](#).

## Still questions?

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