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Working with youngsters or writing policy for youngsters? And would you like to learn more about youth participation from other youth workers and young people? Then enlist yourself for the international seminar 'youth in action' at 9 and 10 October in Middelburg (Zeeland, the Netherlands). The province of Zeeland is (by the definition of the European Commission) described as a demographically vulnerable region; young people are leaving the province and the region suffers from demographic decline. Both the Province of Zeeland as the municipality of Goes develop youth projects. In order to let young people stay in Zeeland, it is important to increase youth participation. The project EU-MAD is made possible by Youth in Action subsidy. The main objective of EU MAD is the establishment of a partnership between the European Union, the Province, municipalities, (international) youth workers and local youth. Therefore, we are organizing a capacity building seminar based on two goals:

- How to involve youth in Local, Regional and European policy making
- How to develop European Youth Projects

Program

9 October

- **Morning** 09.00-13.15 The seminar starts with a welcome and an explanation of the program by the hostess that day. We have several speakers in the morning, including a speaker from the National Youth Council, a speaker who will discuss youth participation and a speaker who will discuss co-creation and how to be successful in this. You will be working in teams, in which you will work together with other youth workers.
- **Lunch** 13.15-14.00
- **Afternoon** 14.00-18.00 The afternoon program will be more practical with several workshops, a debate and you will be working with youngsters. When you enlist yourself for the seminar you can sign up for two workshops. The workshops you can choose are: global citizenship, how to apply for an European subsidy and youth participation in the province of Zeeland.
- **Dinner** 18.00



Workshops

Going Glocal

UCR's 'Going Glocal' program is a pioneering effort in education and research on 'global citizenship' in the Netherlands. It aims to foster education geared towards social responsibility and the exercise of critical citizenship. Students in the Going Glocal program visit communities in Namibia and Mexico within a framework of cultural exchange, discussion and personal development.

Youth participation in the province of Zeeland

Get informed about how the province of Zeeland implements youth participation and youth advocacy.

European subsidy

How to develop European Youth Projects. Learn everything about applying for European funds.

10 October

The second day of the seminar will be mainly to get acquainted with Zeeland. Join us in a tour throughout Zeeland and discover this unique part of the Netherlands.

Costs

The seminar is for free. International participants will receive a compensation for their travel costs. In the form to enlist yourself you can fill in your estimated travel costs. Costs for accommodation will be at the expense of the participants

Enlist or more information?

When you enlist yourself you will receive a detailed program. For more information, to enlist yourself or to subscribe for the monthly newsletter you can visit www.zeeland.nl/eumad.

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