

Project Fact Sheet

Project Name:	AktRural (RuralAct) – youth activism in rural areas of Kosovo
Project Value:	Total cost of the project € 149,194.64
Duration:	Start Date: 01/02/2018 End Date: 30/11/2019
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Target groups:	Young women and men of different ethnic backgrounds in Kosovo's rural areas
Partners (if applicable):	
Target Area:	Rural areas throughout Kosovo
Overall Objective:	Mitigating the levels of social exclusion of youth in rural areas by increasing their engagement in activism, volunteering and non-curricular activities
Activities:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Initial assessment and community visits; - Design of the programme for School of Activism; - Organization of the five cycles of the School of Activism; - Trainings and lectures on activism (module 1); - Implementation of activism initiatives (module 2); - Establishment of new community groups (module 3); - Mentoring of activism initiatives and new groups; - Partnership forums with community groups; - Drawing up the documentation for the experience; - Closing Workshop; - Development of media products; - Promotion of activism initiatives
Expected Results:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Over 150 young women and men living in rural areas are skilled and lead or are part of activism initiatives in the communities where they live; - Over 50 activism initiatives in rural areas have improved the quality of the life of the community by addressing the specific needs of residents; - Thousands of young people are engaged in implementation of activism initiatives and hundreds of them become part of new community groups (or existing groups); - Over 20 new community groups are established and over 20 existing community groups are supported to better serve the community; - Youth in rural areas have increased opportunities for engagement in activism initiatives, volunteering, non-curricular activities; - An improved (and structured) dialogue between community groups and decision-makers enables for more effective addressing of community needs; - Established partnerships between community groups in different rural areas have addressed sensitive social and cultural issues, including gender equality and reconciliation between people.

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