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Peace-making through Sound

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When Music Moves Beyond Borders

Music, Dance & Peacebuilding

Dear Readers,

What if a melody could open a conversation where words fall short? What if a shared rhythm could build trust between people who have never met before?

In this edition, we invite you to discover how music and dance become more than artistic expressions – they become meeting points. Through movement, sound and collective creation, individuals from different cultures find common ground, recognise each other's stories, and begin to build peace together.

At the heart of this project are three intertwined journeys: nurturing intercultural dialogue, empowering communities with arts-based tools for peacebuilding, and rediscovering cultural heritage not as something that separates us, but as something that connects us.

Let the rhythm guide you through these pages.





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What You'll Find Inside

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Why This Project Matters

In a world often divided by differences, this project shows how artistic expression can create connection. Music and dance allow participants to share their cultural stories while discovering others, building empathy, trust and recognition along the way.

Project Objectives

Our objectives go beyond activities; they reflect the real impact we aim to achieve:

- To promote **intercultural dialogue** and **peacebuilding** through **music** and **dance**.
- To strengthen knowledge and capacity in **using arts-based methods for peacebuilding**.
- To increase **understanding of cultural heritage**, fostering mutual **recognition and respect**.





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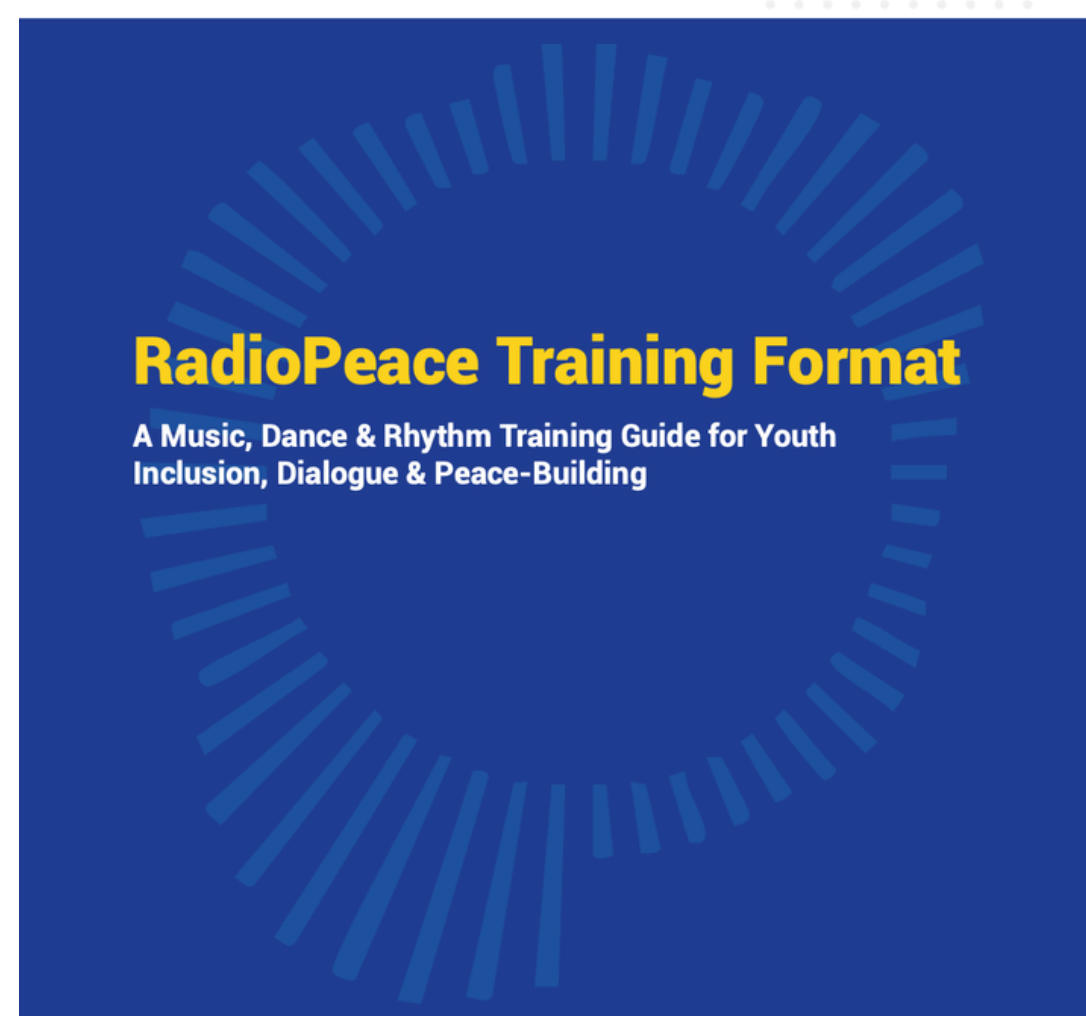
PROJECT RESULTS

Training Format

The Training Format is designed for youth workers, leaders, and NGO staff involved in youth and performing arts. The format will include **12 workshops** developed by partner organizations, focusing on **folk dances** and **music** as tools for **promoting inclusion, reconciliation, tolerance, and dialogue** among young people.

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PROJECT RESULTS

Best Practices Report

This report showcases **17 innovative music and dance** initiatives from across Europe and the Western Balkans, highlighting their power to **promote peace, inclusion, and youth engagement** through **non-formal education and intercultural dialogue**.

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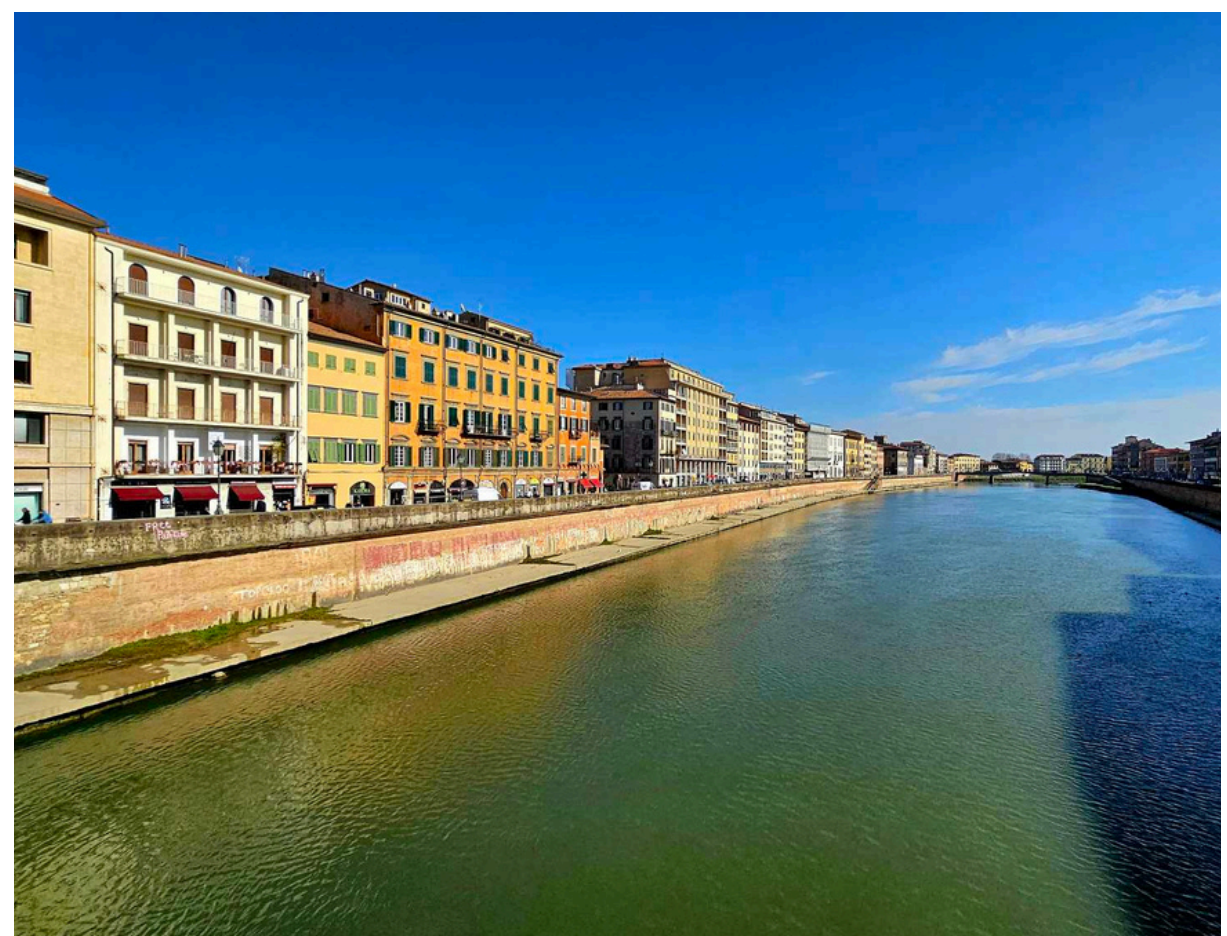


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PAST EVENTS

Kick-off Meeting

The Kick-off meeting for the project took place in Pisa, Italy, on February 7th and 8th, organized by Italian partner MV International. Representatives from four partner countries—Italy, Bulgaria, Albania, and Kosovo—gathered for a productive two-day meeting. They focused on operational details, laying the groundwork for using music and dance to promote peacebuilding and intercultural exchange. Beyond planning, attendees also immersed themselves in Pisa's cultural heritage, exploring how traditional arts can bridge divides and foster unity among diverse communities.



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PAST EVENTS

Training Course in Sassari, Italy

The RADIOPEACE training course took place in Sassari, Italy from 15 to 21 September 2025 within an Erasmus Capacity Building project promoting peace through sound. It brought **together trainers, youth workers, ambassadors, and students** from partner countries, focusing on **intercultural dialogue, democratic values, and tolerance**. Through **interactive workshops** using ethnic music and dance, participants explored shared **cultural heritage** and **peace-building** among young people from conflict-affected regions. Activities included co-designing social campaign tools, using music and movement in education, and promoting social inclusion and non-violent communication.





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UPCOMING EVENTS

Youth Exchange “Music Across Barriers” (Plovdiv)

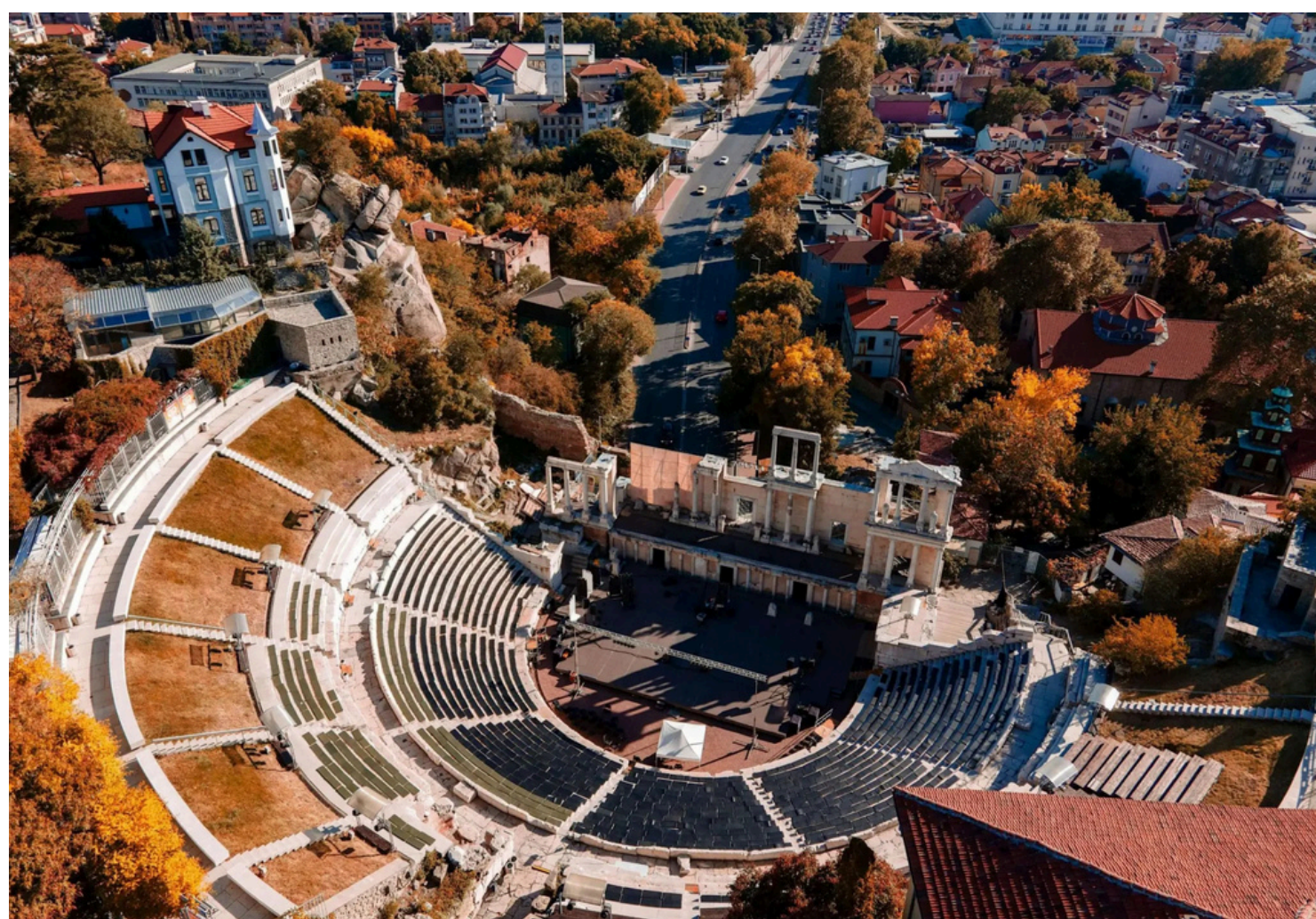
Young people from across our partner countries will come together **next July** in an inspiring international environment focused on **peace, inclusion, and youth empowerment**. Through **interactive workshops, music, movement, and co-creation of social campaigns**, participants will explore intercultural dialogue and celebrate shared cultural heritage.

The program is designed to boost **critical thinking, communication, teamwork, and leadership skills**, while encouraging active participation in education and community life. It's also a unique opportunity to test innovative **non-formal education tools** developed during the project.

Don't miss your chance to be part of this transformative experience!

Discover more and apply here:

<https://minevaganti.org/it/events/radiopeace-youth-exchange-bulgaria/>



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Local Workshops and Job Shadowing

Become a **RADIOPEACE Young Ambassador!**

After the project activities, young ambassadors will bring the RADIOPEACE experience to their local communities. Through **workshops** and **social campaigns** in high schools and youth associations, participants will apply **creative approaches** and **non-formal education** methodologies.

Collaboration among **young people across Europe** will foster idea exchange and best practices, empowering students to co-create **meaningful social initiatives**. These activities promote **intercultural dialogue**, **youth empowerment**, and **active participation**, while building a **culture of peace**, inclusion, and collaboration at the local level.



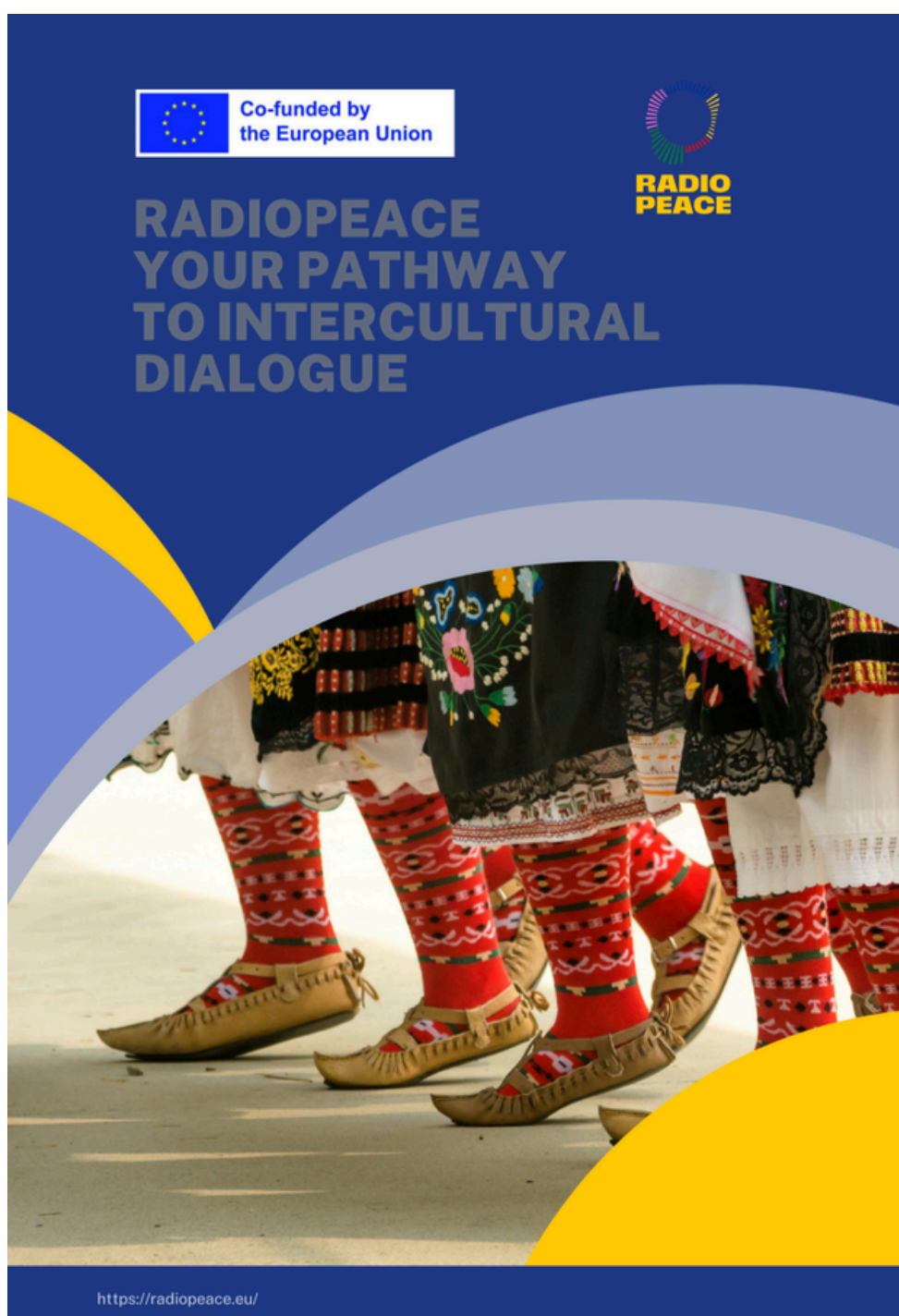


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Guide

The Guide provides **practical tips and methodologies** for implementing activities focused on peacebuilding and social inclusion for youth workers and young people. It offers strategies to combine **Non-Formal Education** with music and dance and aims at enhancing **critical thinking** about **peacebuilding** and **intercultural dialogue**. Additionally, it includes guidance on creating **effective social media campaigns**.



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- Youth Society for Peace and Development of the Balkans, YSPDB - Bulgaria
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- ANTIK ASSOCIATION, ANTIK

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