# MOVE IT 26 May - 17 June 2020

Youth mobility in the digital era

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National Agency (Germany) Erasmus + Youth in Action European Solidarity Corps













# **Original idea**

- 3-day residential conference (planned for May 2020 near Bonn, EU-Germany)
- Topic: Youth mobility in the digital era
- Aims:
  - To give an overview on the state of research
  - To exchange good practice on the topic
  - To offer a space for discussion and the exchange of visions
- 100 participants
- Target group: Youth workers with a background in international youth mobility and/or digital youth work. Also: Decision makers, experts and researchers

















### Transformation into an online event

- Series of online events (7 sessions in total):
  - 1 Opening keynote speech about the state of play in academic research on youth mobility
  - 1 Online BarCamp
  - 4 Labs (trends and inspiration)
  - 1 Final expert panel discussion about the future of digital youth work / mobility
- Organisers
  - 2 NAs E+/ESC: JUGEND für Europa (DE) + Finnish National Agency for Education (FI)
  - IJAB-International Youth Service of the Federal Republic of Germany (DE),
     ENTK-Estonian Youth Work Centre (EE), Verke Centre of Expertise for Digital Youth Work (FI)















# The decision-making process

- Early March 2020: Cancellation due to COVID-19
- European prep team exchanged pro/cons:
   Postponement of the (original) residential conference vs transformation into an online event
- Decision in favour of an online event because:
  - Topic is top priority due to COVID-19
  - Topic predestined for digital implementation
  - Timing in general (relevance of content, finding a suitable alternative date, open question of when will international mobility resume)
- Exchange between NA and TCA officers about feasibility of transformation (budgetary issues, etc.)













New format

MOVE IT
- Youth mobility
in the digital era
(online event)

26 May-17 June 2020

7 sessions (across 4 weeks)

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# Youth mobility in the digital era



26 MAY 2020

# OPENING

STATUS QUO?
DIGITAL YOUTH WORK
& YOUTH MOBILITY



ONLINE BARCAMP

EXPLORE & EXCHANGE
PRACTICES OF
DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY



3 JUNE 2020

# DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB 1

VIRTUAL YOUTH EXCHANGES
AND BLENDED MOBILITY IN
EUROPEAN YOUTH MOBILITY



5 JUNE 2020

### DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB

VIRTUAL REALITY IN EUROPEAN YOUTH MOBILITY



17 JUNE 2020

# CLOSING EVENT

FORESEEING THE FUTURE
OF DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY
AND YOUTH WORK IN 2030?



15 JUNE 2020

# DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB IV

EU YOUTH PROGRAMMES & MOBILITY IN A DIGITAL ERA-FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS



9 JUNE 2020

# DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB III

SOCIAL INCLUSION &
DIGITALISATION POSSIBILITIES & CHALLENGES





# **Tools (many tools)**

- MOVE IT event website
- MOVE IT Open Feedback Box
- MOVE IT Online BarCamp
- MOVE IT Reading List
- MOVE IT public livestreams
- MOVE IT private sessions
- MOVE IT project management
- MOVE IT community
- MOVE IT participation
- MOVE IT live visual recording

- > www.jugendfuereuropa.de/veranstaltungen/MOVE-IT
- > Padlet
- > QiqoChat, Mural, Google Docs
- > PDF (partially co-created via the Open Feedback Box)
- > Vmix, Facebook Live, YouTube
- > Zoom
- > MS Teams, Google Docs, Google Jamboard, Zoom, etc.
- > Facebook group ("self"-organised)
- > Mentimeter, live chat, Padlet
- > Not specified

















### Statistics\*

Applications (received)	252	
Applications (confirmed)	204 + 31 late applications = 235 potential particiants	
	Attendees (registered)	Attendees (actual)
Opening	190	161
Online BarCamp	177	130
Lab 1 Virtual Exchanges	177	114
Lab 2 Virtual Reality (VR)	159	98
Lab 3 Inclusion	183	93
Lab 4 E+ and ESC	176	94
Final	169	95

<sup>\*</sup>Event success is not defined by participant statistics.

- Remarkably stable number of participants across all 7 sessions (drop-out normally is a big risk of online events).
- No-shows despite the formal registration process via SALTO.
- In addition, many livestream viewers not specified here.

















### Statistics\*

- Participants by country
  - 28 European countries of origin
  - Top countries: 52 pax from Germany, 27 pax from Italy, 5-10 pax from France, Serbia, Spain,
     Romania, Portugal, Greece, Poland, Norway and Finland
- Participants by type
  - Teachers, youth information officers, NA staff, youth workers, Trainers
  - Beneficiaries (NGO project managers, team members and volunteers)









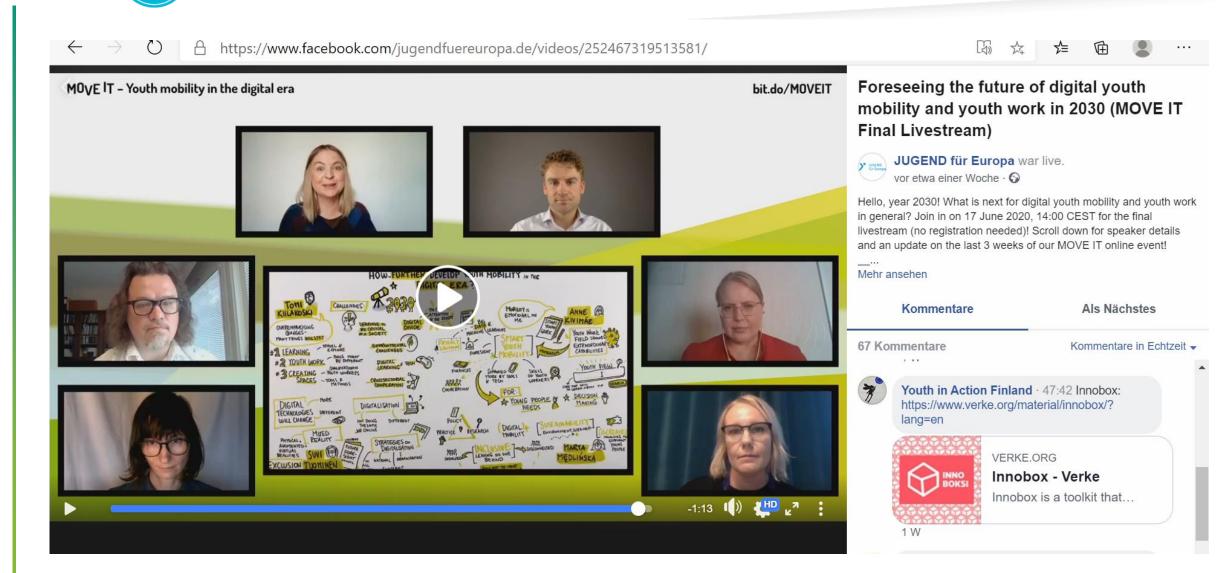




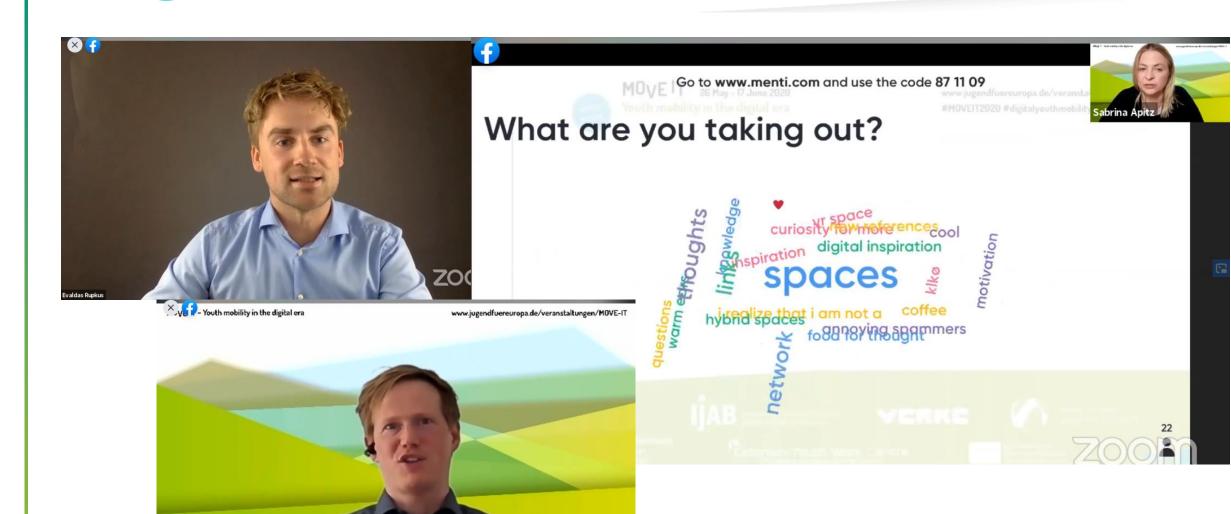
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# **Lessons learnt (1)**

The official evaluation not yet fully finished; first impressions:

- Transforming a residential event into an online event is challenging.
  - Prepare for a lot of effort (time and budget). You need a lot of time for exchange and decision-making. Particularly, if the team has never met in person.
- Making your event inclusive: Plan carefully & involve stakeholders, study existing strategies.
- GDPR / data security must be planned carefully.
- Each new tool implies a learning curve (for organisers, speakers and participants alike).
- Channel comments and interactions onto a single platform.
- Ask young people for advice, they know what they prefer. Involve all target groups.















# **Lessons learnt (2)**

- If you adjust to digital, go all the way: Session length, participatory methodologies (i. e. BarCamp), shorter lectures, a mix of tools and methodologies. The traditional "call for participants (SALTO)" limits the reach online events allow for. National Agencies need see to this and check room for adjustments to digital formats.
- We successfully went beyond the traditional EU youth programme topics. We discovered augmented reality (AR), virtual reality (VR) and we went out of our comfort zone and showed what is possible in the programme key actions.
- Creating a community thanks to online tools only IS POSSIBLE.
- Create a safe space for all people. Prepare for risk management (feat. security checks).
- Have a clear vision of what you want to achieve. Define success.













# MOVE IT - Youth mobility in the digital era (online event) 26 May-17 June 2020

Programme (details feat. speaker bios and some visual recordings)

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Find all MOVE IT documents at: <a href="https://www.jugendfuereuropa.de/veranstaltungen/MOVE-IT">www.jugendfuereuropa.de/veranstaltungen/MOVE-IT</a>

For GDPR reasons, the MOVE IT Playlist (YouTube) is available to participants and speakers only. The organisers are not responsible for link sharing by these audiences.



# **Programme (detail)**

TUESDAY / 26 May 2020 / 15:30 - 17:00 CEST



livestream via www.facebook.com/jugendfuereuropa.de

#### Status quo? Digital Youth Work & Youth Mobility

#### Openina:

#### Introduction and short welcome by the organisers

- Manfred VON HEBEL, Deputy Director, JUGEND für Europa, Germany National Agency for the EU programmes Erasmus+ Youth in Action and European Solidarity Corps (DE)
- \_ Daniel POLI, Head of Division, IJAB International Youth Service of the Federal Republic of Germany (DE)
- \_ Ülly ENN, Action manager, Estonian Youth Work Centre / ENTK Eesti Noorsootöö Keskus (EE)

#### Keynote speech and Q&A:

Where do we stand in digital and smart youth work? -Bridging the gap to youth mobility!

\_ Niels BRÜGGEN Ph.D., Head of Department, JFF Institut für Medienpädagogik (DE)

Presentation of the following MOVE IT – Youth mobility in the digital era modules

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Daniel POLI studied political science in Berlin and is Head of Division at IJAB- Fachstelle für Internationale Jugendarbeit der Bundesrepublik Deutschland e.V. Since 2005 he has been involved in youth projects in the field of digital education, net-based participation, youth information and learning mobility at national and European level.



Ülly ENN is a youth field enthusiast and expert, who has been active in the field for 27 years and currently works at Estonian Youth Work Centre to nudge smart youth work developments. She has worked long for the EU youth programmes, for SALTO-YOUTH Social Inclusion RC and served as diplomat in the Permanent Representation of Estonia to the EU, chairing the EU Member States negotiations in European youth policy during the Estonian Presidency of the Council of the EU in 2017. Alongside with her strong interest in European issues, she has done volunteer work in Japan, Russia, Middle East and Malaysia, strengthening her passion towards the positive contribution of youth even further. Contact: ully.enn@entk.ee



Niels BRÜGGEN Ph.D. heads the research department at the JFF- Institute for Media Research and Media education. His work focuses on how adolescents appropriate media, what opportunities media offers for their daily lives and where they need support to overcome challenges. In particular, he works on the field of youth work and its digital transformation.

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WEDNESDAY / **27 May 2020** / 14:00 CEST (18:00 CEST END)

#### What do we want to explore further now?

#### Online BarCamp: Explore and Exchange Practices of Digital Youth Mobility

Participants will network, discuss and exchange ideas on a peer-to-peer level about their experience with digital practices in international youth mobility projects. And how they tackle changes and challenges brought by COVID-19 thanks to digital and virtual solutions.

SESSION: HOW TO MOTIVATE YOUNG PEOPLE TO JOIN

SESSION: VIDED GAMES AND EDUCATION

SESSION: FAIR WAGES FOR PEOPLE WORKING ONLINE OFFLINE

SESSION: REACHING AND SUPPORTING VULNERABLE YOUNG PEOPLE

SESSION: HOW TO INVOLVE YOUTH FROM EUROPEAN NEIGHBOR COUNTRIES DIVLINE

SESSION: HYBRID SOLUTIONS - CONNECTING ONLINE & ONSITE PARTICIPANTS

SESSION: ONLINE ACTIVITIES WITH YOUNG PEOPLE DURING LOCKDOWN

SESSION: HOW TO BE A HOST IN ONLINE EVENT, CONNECT WITH PEOPLE

SESSION: TRAINING AND SUPPORT MEASURES FOR YOUTH WORKERS IN EUROPE

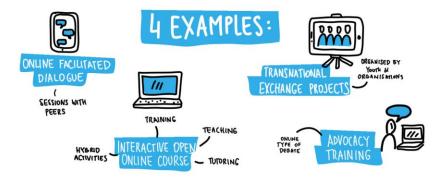
SESSION: ERASMUS+ VIRTUAL EXCHANGE - EXPERIENCES

SESSION: CITIES OF LEARNING AND OPEN BADGES FOR RECOGNITION OF LEARNING

### BARCAMP

SESSION: ERASMUS+ VIRTUAL EXCHANGE - EXPERIENCES













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WEDNESDAY / 3 June 2020 / 14:00 CEST (15:30 CEST END)

#### Digital Youth Mobility Lab: Trends and Inspiration

Virtual exchanges and blended mobility in European youth mobility (Talk and Q&A)

- Jan LAI, Member, International Youth Work Trainers Guild (IT)
- \_ Aurélien DURBEC, IKAB Institute for Applied Communication Research in Non-Formal Education (DE)
- \_ Aurélie DURAND, Search for Common Ground (BE)



Jan LAI is a Non-Formal Education trainer / facilitator with a strong interest in digital tools, volunteering, critical thinking and creativity. A member of the International Youth Work Trainers Guild (IYWT) and of Associazione Interculturale NUR, his dream is to have many things to do an time to do nothing, too.

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Aurélien DURBEC has been active in international youth work since 2009. He is a member of the pedagogical staff at IKAB-Bildungswerk e.V. (Bonn, Germany). IKAB is an institute engaged in intercultural political education as a contribution to the on-going democratisation of a Europea civil society. Aurélien DURBEC is responsible for Franco-German and trilateral Youth exchanges and Training courses. Since 2018 he has developed, in coordination with partners in France and Tunisia, tools for more blended learning within international mobility projects: "MobiYouth.org Aurélien DURBEC holds a French-German M.A. in European Studies.

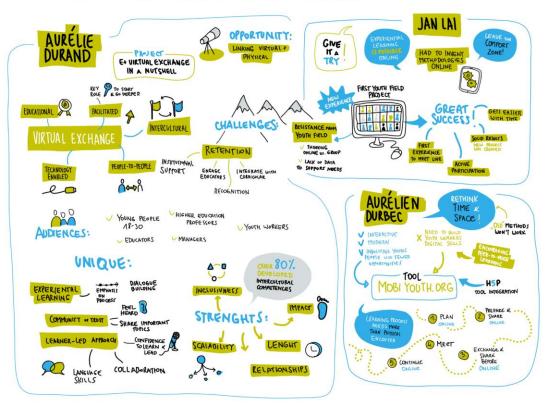
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Aurélie DURAND is a Project Associate at Search for Common Ground. Search currently leads the consortium of eight organisations in charge of implementing Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange, an innovative pilot initiative launched in 2018 by the European Commission and providing an accessible, ground-breaking way for young people to engage in intercultural learning. Contact: adurand@sfcg.org

# DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB: VIRTUAL EXCHANGES & BLENDED MOBILITY

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FRIDAY / 5 June 2020 / 11:00 CEST (12:30 CEST END)

#### **Digital Youth Mobility Lab: Trends and Inspiration**

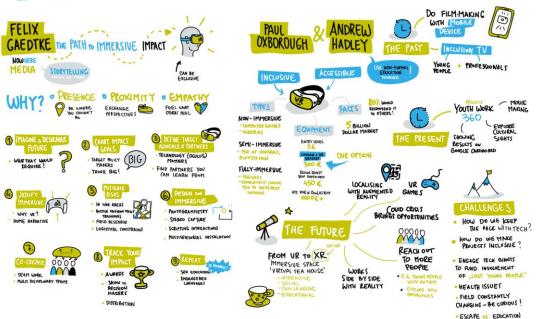
#### Virtual reality in European youth mobility (Talk and Q&A)

- \_ Felix GAEDTKE, Immersive Storyteller & Creative Producer, NowHere Media (DE)
- \_ Andrew HADLEY & Paul OXBOROUGH, Momentum World (UK)

# DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB: VIRTUAL REALITY IN YOUTH MOBILITY

2020 JUNE 5th

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Felix GAEDTKE is an immersive storyteller and creative producer currently based in Berlin. He co-founded the immersive storytelling studio NowHere Media with an urge to create spaces for under-represented voices in mainstream discourses. His passion to convey different realities across the world has led him to working with virtual reality (VR) and augmented reality (AR) storytelling techniques. His most recent work "Home After War" takes you into the lives of Iraqi civilians and their struggle with explosives left behind after the recent war with ISIS, and uses photogrammetry to give people a realistic impression of the country. He is a Sundance New Frontier's alumnus and his works have been exhibited at the Venice International Film Festival, SXSW, United Nations, HotDocs, Zentrum für Kunst und Medien, and have won the 'Best Use of Immersive Arts' at SXSW 2019 among other accolades. Felix has researched and worked from over 40 countries, including Syria, Iraq, Turkey, Myanmar, India, Mexico, Nicaragua and the United States. Felix is most excited about using VR and AR as mediums to create realities for a desirable future.



Andrew HADLEY graduated from Oxford University in 1983. He then worked in Turkey as an English teacher, before joining the British Council, where he spent 20 years in a variety of management and policy jobs. He has lived in Ethiopia, China, Greece and North Macedonia. In 2008 he co-founded Momentum World (www.momentumworld.org), one of the UK's most active organisations in the international youth field. Most recently, he and his colleagues have been developing experimental uses of VR and AR for non-formal education, heritage conservation and youth advocacy. Andrew is a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts. His interests include music, arts, astronomy, travel and languages. He is married with 3 grown-up children, and lives in London and Cornwall.

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**Paul OXBOROUGH** is a youth and community worker and the Creative Director of Momentum World, which has been running since 2008. Momentum World specialises in delivering nonformal education programs across Europe for young people and professionals. In his work, Paul uses technology to engage in the non-formal education process, whether this is film and media, virtual reality or online tools. His interests include walking, running, motorbikes and being outdoors.

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TUESDAY / 9 June 2020 / 14:00 CEST (15:30 CEST END)

#### **Digital Youth Mobility Lab: Trends and Inspiration**

Social inclusion and digitalisation - Possibilities and challenges in the frame of the European mobility programmes and European youth work (*Talk and Q&A*)

- \_ Adina Marina ŞERBAN, Ph.D., Centrul pentru Dezvoltare Comunitară Durabilă / Center for Sustainable Community Development (RO)
- \_ Dan MOXON, Director; People, Dialogue and Change (UK)



Adina Marina SERBAN, Ph.D. – PhD in comparative youth policy, member of PEYR – Pool of European Youth Researchers, CSR practitioner, Youth Wiki Correspondent, SALTO Trainer, former Advisory Council on Youth Member, convinced that the mixed abilities youth projects are the greatest, the leader of Centrul pentru Dezvoltare Comunitară Durabilă (Center for Sustainable Community), a rural youth NGO delivering youth work services in a village in the southwestern part of Romania. Always moving around the youth field triangle: policy making, youth research and youth work practice and strongly believe that youth voice should be heard in the online and offline world! For the last 3 years, trying to understand better how youth interests and needs are evolving in the online world and highly concerned about the inclusion of ALL young people in the online world (is the online world really offering more opportunities to young people facing different challenges?)

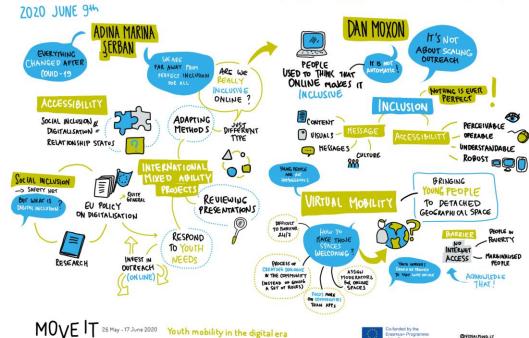
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**Dan MOXON** is an expert in the field of youth participation, with nearly 20 years experience working with children, young people and families in both the voluntary, public and for-profit sectors. He has led work on behalf of UK Youth Parliament, The British Council, The EU-CoE Youth Partnership, The Council of Europe, The European Patient Forum and wide variety of municipalities, NGOS, public bodies and research institutions. Dan is currently the Director of People Dialogue and Change, and an Associate Director at the University of Central Lancashire's Centre for Children and Young People's Participation in Research. Dan specialises in providing consultancy and capacity building services in the youth and community sector, as well as short term specialist roles for organisations developing new initiatives and programmes.

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# DIGITAL YOUTH MOBILITY LAB: SOCIAL INCLUSION AND DIGITALISATION





MONDAY / 15 JUNE 2020 / 14:00 CEST (16:00 CEST END)

#### **Digital Youth Mobility Lab: Trends and Inspiration**

EU youth programmes and mobility in a digital era – Status quo and what could be developed further? (Discussion and Q&A)

- \_ Manfred VON HEBEL, Deputy Director, JUGEND für Europa, Germany National Agency for the EU programmes Erasmus+ Youth in Action and European Solidarity Corps (DE)
- \_ Uroš SKRINAR, Director, Zavod MOVIT NA MLADINA (MOVIT), Slovenian National Agency for the EU programmes Erasmus+ Youth in Action and European Solidarity Corps (SI)
- \_ Guoda LOMANAITĖ, Head Jaunimo tarptautinio bendradarbiavimo agentūra (JTBA) / Agency of International Youth Cooperation, Lithuanian National Agency for the EU programmes Erasmus+ Youth in Action and European Solidarity Corp (LT)
- \_ Reet KOST, Director of Archimedes Foundation Youth Agency, Estonian National Agency for the EU programmes Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps, including the SALTO Resource Centre for Participation and Information (EE)
- \_ Floor VAN HOUDT, Head of Unit Youth, Volunteer Solidarity and Traineeships Office;
  DG EAC, European Commission

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**Uroš SKRINAR** is currently Head of Slovenian National Agency for Erasmus+: Youth in action and European Solidarity Corps programmes. He is active in the youth field since he started as a youth worker in local youth centre in his home town more then 20 years ago and, as he says, once a youth worker, always a youth worker (al least by heart). Contact: Uros.skrinar@movit.si



**Guoda LOMANAITÉ** is the head of the Lithuanian national agency for youth. In her earlier days, she worked in the fields grassroots, national and European youth work and she is always curious about the next thing.

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**Reet KOST** has a long standing experience when it comes to internationalization, innovating and capacity building of youth work. A strong believer in dreaming and taking action within the context of broader social goals and connecting values to action, which she has been able to apply though leading the teams of National Agency of EU Youth programmes and national youth work programmes in Estonia in close cooperation and networking with partners in Estonia and Europe.



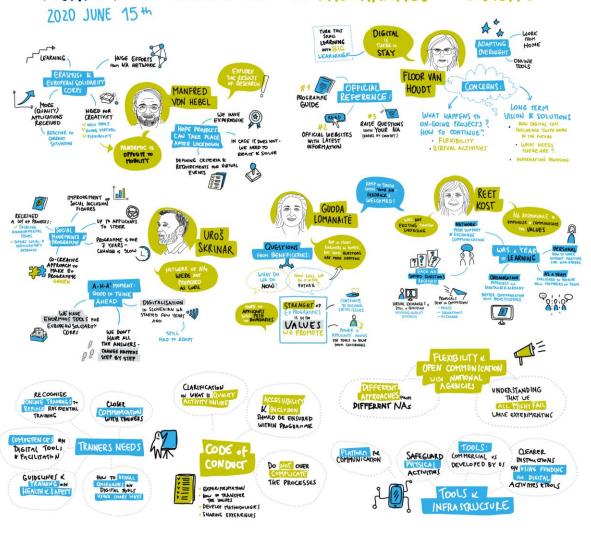
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#### WEDNESDAY / 17 JUNE 2020 / 14:00 CEST



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#### How to further develop youth mobility in the digital era?

Open discussion feat, breakout room exchanges: Foreseeing the future of digital youth mobility and youth work in 2030? Has the outlook changed due the current situation?

- Tomi KIILAKOSKI, Ph.D., senior researcher, Finnish Youth Research Society (FI)
- \_ Suvi TUOMINEN, manager, Verke, Centre of Expertise for Digital Youth Work
- Marta MEDLIŃSKA, Coordinator, EU-CoE youth partnership (FR)
- Anne KIVIMÄE, Estonian Youth Work Centre / ENTK Eesti Noorsootöö Keskus (EE) + Tartu University Narva College Estonia (EE)



Tomi KIILAKOSKI, Ph.D., works as a youth researcher in the Finnish Youth Research Network. His areas of expertise include youth work, youth participation, educational policy, and he engages actively in promoting participation and developing youth work. Contact: tomi.kiilakoski@youthresearch.fi



Suvi TUOMINEN has wide expertise in digitalisation, young people and youth work. She has managed Verke since 2014. She has two cats and hopes to be a summer cottage owner one day. Contact: suvi@verke.org



Marta MEDLIŃSKA, involved in the youth field for over 20 years as a youth worker, trainer, educational advisor, is the Coordinator of the EU-Council of Europe youth partnership, which she joined in 2006. In this capacity she deals with youth policy, youth research and youth work matters of interest to the two partner institutions and of relevance to the European youth field, such as the recent study on young people's social inclusion and digitalisation and the activities of the European Platform on Learning Mobility.



Anne KIVIMÄE started as a local youth worker and has worked for more than a decade as a head of youth affairs in Estonian Ministry of Education and Research. Currently she leads a youth (work) monitoring team in Estonian Youth Work Centre and teaches in Tartu University Narva college.

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# CLOSING EVENT: HOW TO FURTHER DEVELOP YOUTH MOBILITY 2020 JUNE 17th

