About the European Youth Education Centre (EJBW)

The European Youth Education Centre (EJBW) is an institution of non-formal civic youth education at Weimar.

It is a meeting place for young people and professionals from Germany and all around the world.

We provide opportunities to discuss key socio-political issues, learn with and from each other and gain unique educational experience. In addition to it, we offer a multifaceted programme in Weimar as a »place of learning« with its cultural, philosophical, historical, political and international heritage.

Moreover, due to its central location, modern facilities and comfortable accommodation the EJBW is an attractive conference centre.





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QUALIFICATION PROGRAMME

Migrants as Youth Work Professionals:

Qualification, Empowerment and Educational Programmes in Rural Areas



Why is this project needed?

- > We believe in the added value that refugees, asylum seekers and migrants bring to the field of civic education and youth work.
- > Germany is a diverse country, however this reality is not always reflected in professional youth work.

What is this project about?

- > We aim to diversify the pool of professionals in civic education and youth work. We want to motivate and to empower young people to start a career in that field.
- > We focus particularly on individuals with an experience of forced or chosen migration.
- > We will provide training in order to prepare participants for a professional career in the field of civic education by linking them to work opportunities, internships and career coaching.



What do we offer to organisations in civic education and youth work?

- Qualified young professionals with a wide variety of personal experience and new perspectives on civic education and youth work
- Training opportunities for your volunteers, freelancers and employees
- Valuable competence and innovative approaches to relevant topics

Let us know if you want to cooperate with us!

What do we offer to schools?

- Workshops individually adapted to the target group and its needs
- Awareness programmes on diversity, racism and other forms of discrimination
- Interview partners and facilitators for discussions relating to subjects such as Politics, Ethics, Religious Education, Geography, History or Foreign Languages

Please contact us, if you want to invite us!

What do we offer to young people looking for a professional career in civic education and youth work?

- 9 weekend-seminars on essential skills for becoming a professional in civic education such as pedagogical approaches, engaging with Democracy, Human Rights issues, fundraising and project management etc.
- > Opportunities to gain practical experience
- > An introduction to various civic education and youth work organisations
- > A multilingual programme

How can you join the programme?

- > Are you curious about working in civic education as a young professional, intern or full-time employee?
- > Are you passionate about Human Rights, Anti-Discrimination and Social Justice?
- > Do you feel that based on your personal experience or (university) education there is a topic you would like to develop into an educational programme?
- > Are you between 18 and 30 years old?
- > Do you speak English, German, French, Swahili, Kurdish or Arabic?
- > Join our team and be part of the change you want to see.
- > Benefit from our qualification programme and get professional experience in civic education and youth work.
- > Become active in strengthening democracy!

Contact us to find out more!

