**APPLICATION**  
**FOR ESC PROJECT**

**COORDINATED BY**



We would like to know a bit more about you, your interests, motivation, and needs related to the ESC project. This application consists of two parts:

1. Questionnaire for the Volunteer (to be completed by you)
2. Questionnaire for the Supporting Organization (to be completed by the representative of the Supporting Organization)

In our recruitment process, we consider only complete applications. Before you submit the application, make sure that both the Questionnaire for the Volunteer and the Questionnaire for the Supporting Organization are filled in.

**We are looking forward to receiving your application!**

**Questionnaire for the Volunteer**



***Dear applicant, please tell us about…***

| **Receiving Organization of the STRIM’s project you are applying for** |
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| *Fill in only if you know already this info:* |
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| **Your personal details** | | | |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Family name |  | | |
| First name |  | | |
| Street address |  | | |
| City |  | Postal code |  |
| Country |  | Region |  |
| Email |  | Telephone |  |
| Date of birth |  | Gender | male/female/other |
| Place of birth |  | Nationality |  |
| Highest level of education (Mark with an “X”, choose 1 box only) | | Primary education: |  | | --- | --- | | Vocational training: |  | | Secondary education: |  | | Higher education: |  | | | |
| Current situation (Mark with an “X”) | | Working |  | | --- | --- | | Studying |  | | Unemployed |  | | On training |  | | Long-term unemployed (> 6 months) |  | | Other |  | | | |

| **Your emergency contact person** | |
| --- | --- |
| Name, surname, and relation |  |
| Address and telephone |  |

| **Your Supporting Organization** | | | |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| ***Note:* In order to take part in our ESC recruitment you should have your supporting organization. We can consider your application only if you provide us with the following information:** | | | |
| Name |  | | |
| Street address |  | | |
| PIC/OID number |  | | |
| Postal code |  | Region |  |
| City |  | Country |  |
| Email |  | Telephone |  |
| Website |  |  |  |

| **Background and experience questionnaire** | |
| --- | --- |
| What is your social and educational background? |  |
| Have you ever lived alone?  For how long? How did you find yourself in that situation? |  |
| Have you ever lived abroad?? For how long? How did you find yourself in that situation? |  |
| Have you ever participated in some European Programme (ex: Erasmus, Leonardo, Socrates, Youth in Action, Erasmus+, ESC) .do you have any  international experiences such as travels abroad? |  |
| Have you already worked with people from another cultural background? |  |
| What are your language abilities? |  |
| Have you ever had any serious health problems? Do you have any chronic diseases (ex. diabetes, heart disease, asthma, or other)? Do you regularly take any prescribed medications? This info wil help us provide as good care/conditions as possible for you |  |
| Do you have any special needs (ex. dietary needs, health care)? *Your honest answer will help us to be prepared for hosting you.* |  |
| Have you ever faced some of the following obstacles or challenges in your life so far?  (Mark with a “X”) | |  | YES | NO | | --- | --- | --- | | Disability / special needs – e.g. mental (intellectual, cognitive, learning), physical, sensory, or other disabilities |  |  | | Health problems - e.g. chronic health problems, severe illnesses, or psychiatric conditions |  |  | | Educational difficulties - e.g. learning difficulties, early school-leaver, poor school performance |  |  | | Cultural differences - e.g. immigrant, refugees or with immigrant or refugee family background, belonging to a national or ethnic minority |  |  | | Economic obstacles - e.g. low standard of living, low income, dependence on the social welfare system, long-term unemployment or poverty, debt or financial problems |  |  | | Social obstacles - e.g. facing discrimination because of gender, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation |  |  | | Geographical obstacles - e.g. from remote or rural areas, young people living on small islands or in peripheral regions, young people from urban problem zones, young people from less serviced areas (limited public transport, poor facilities) |  |  | |
| *if you're working or you have worked lately, please provide us with mail contact of your last employer/supervisor* |  |

| **Your motivation** | |
| --- | --- |
| What does the word “Volunteer” mean for you? |  |
| Have you ever worked as a volunteer in your country? If so, please, tell us briefly about your experiences |  |
| How did you get in touch with the ESC program and why would you like to take part in it? |  |
| Are you studying, working or doing something else? How will you combine this with your ESC? Do you have to leave school/job for your ESC project? |  |
| Which are your fears for your ESC experience? |  |
| What are your expectations regarding your ESC experience? |  |
| What do you know and what do you think about Non-formal and Informal Education? |  |

| **Your interest in the ESC project** | |
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| Why do you find this project interesting? Do you have any experience in similar work? |  |
| How do you imagine the work to be? |  |
| How would you like to contribute to the project? What kind of activities or ideas would you like to carry out? |  |

| **Last not least, please tell us about other important stuff/practicalities** | |
| --- | --- |
| Why did you choose Poland for your ESC? |  |
| What does it mean for you to live and work abroad? |  |
| What does it mean for you to stay away from everything that you consider important in your country (ex. home, family, friends, passions, school/work) for a long period of time? |  |
| Do you think you can have problems sharing an apartment or a room with other people? If some problems would appear, how do you think that you would solve them? |  |
| Do you see yourself as a self-reliant person? |  |
| Did you vaccinate against covid-19? If not, do you consider getting vaccinated when you come to Poland? |  |
| Do you smoke? *(your answer will not affect our decision)* |  |

| **Your comments/additional info** |
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| *If you would you like to add something what you find important but what was not mentioned in this application, please leave a comment:* |
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***Thank you for taking the time to complete your part of the application!***

**What’s next?**

Your supporting organization should fill in the second part of the application: Questionnaire for the Supporting Organization.

Should you have any doubts, questions, comments or uncertainties… feel free to contact us. Our team and our volunteers will be more than happy to fulfill your curiosities!

Ps. Do not forget to find/like us on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/stowarzyszeniestrim/?fref=ts) and/or on [Instagram](https://www.instagram.com/strim_association/): ☺

**Questionnaire for the Supporting Organization\***

*\* This part has to be completed by the representative of the Supporting Organization*

| **About the organization** | |
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| Name: |  |
| Phone: |  |
| Fax: |  |
| Address: |  |
| PIC number/ OID number |  |
| The sending organization accreditation (EI) number/ Quality label: |  |
| Contact Person: |  |

| **Questions** | |
| --- | --- |
| How did you select the volunteer? |  |
| What kind of preparation will you provide the volunteer with? |  |
| How do you organize the pre-departure training for the volunteers? |  |

**Thank you!**