

VOICES From Migrations

Call for Applications for University Students

Hello, **changemakers!**

Ready to step into Europe's migration untold stories and transform them into action for integration and equality?

Migration is not a headline. It is not a statistic. It is people, memories, courage, struggle, resilience, culture.

Over the past months, VOICES From Migrations has travelled across Europe collecting oral histories from migrant communities, building one of the most powerful [youth-led archives of lived migration experiences](#). Students like you have interviewed, listened, documented and transformed stories into knowledge.

Now, it's time for the final chapter.

Rosarno, a territory deeply shaped by migration flows and marked by both extraordinary solidarity and complex challenges of racism and integration, will host the closing event of VOICES. Here, history meets reality. Reflection turns into action. Welcome to: **Bridging Past and Present for a More Integrated Society: *International Conference & Multicultural Festival in Rosarno***

A four-day gathering in Rosarno bringing together young changemakers from across Europe to explore migration realities, exchange bold ideas on integration, and co-create responses to racism at local and European level.

Through the project exhibition and dynamic role-play simulations inspired by European decision-making processes, you won't just debate Europe's future, you will actively shape it.

And during the Multicultural Festival, migrant communities will come together to celebrate the richness migration brings to society. Surrounded by food, music, and vibrant energy, you will feel the heartbeat of a multicultural Europe where differences become dialogue, traditions meet, and diversity turns into connection.

Are you a student between 18 and 30 years old? Join us!

What's In It For You?

- **Explore a Territory on the Frontline of Migration!** Visit a region where migration is not abstract but lived daily, a place that faces real challenges in fighting racism and promoting inclusion, yet continues to search for innovative local solutions.
- **Attend the audiovisual exhibition “Voices from Migrations”!** Discover the stories collected across Europe. Reflect on the lessons learned directly from the voices of migrants and understand how memory can inspire policy change.
- **Step into the shoes of a policymaker!** Through an interactive role-play simulation, you will become the Mayor of your capital city and collaborate with other “mayors” in a simulated European Committee of the Regions session. Together, you will draft concrete policy recommendations for the European Parliament and the European Commission on local anti-racism and integration strategies.
- **Celebrate diversity!** End the journey with a vibrant Multicultural Festival, where migrant communities in Rosarno will share their traditions, music and cuisine. You will also represent your own region in a European stand, showcasing the cultural richness of your territory.
- **Develop high-level skills!** Strengthen your public speaking, policywriting, negotiation, and critical thinking abilities through hands-on institutional simulation.
- **Expand your network!** Engage with local decision-makers, regional representatives, and young leaders from across Europe while working together on concrete integration policies.
- **Boost your CV!** Gain an International Mobility Certificate of 20 hours and the Certificate of Attendance for the CoR simulation.

Why Apply?

- **Grow your professional skills** in policywriting, communications, advocacy, and public policy.
- **Travel and connect with young changemakers** from across Europe.



You will leave Rosarno with:

- First-hand insight into migration realities at local level
- Practical experience in policy simulation and negotiation
- A strong European network of engaged students
- An international training certificate issued by EucA
- And the feeling of having contributed to something meaningful

Where & When?

21-24 May 2026 Rosarno, Italy

Are You the Participant We Are Looking For?

We are searching for **motivated, curious, and engaged students** who are ready to **document history, influence policies, and amplify unheard voices**. If you fit the profile below, we want you on board!

Who Can Apply?

- **You are a university student from EucA members or partners** eager to engage in an international experience. We will accept applications from students living in a **EU member state + Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Montenegro, Serbia, Ukraine**.
- You are passionate about **migration and inclusion** with a strong interest in **policymaking and civic engagement** to drive change in European policies.
- **You have strong English skills (B2 level or higher)** - fluency is not required, but you should be comfortable participating in discussions and expressing your ideas confidently.
- **You are ready to make an impact** by shaping the future of European anti-racism and integration policies.

If this sounds like you, you can apply as one of the **30 participants** through the application form linked below.

Application and Selection Process

- Send us your application by completing this [Google form](#). The selection will be made on a rolling basis, so hurry up not to miss your opportunity in VOICES!
- If you haven't applied before, as part of your application, you will need to **attach your CV** and **submit a short video (maximum 2 minutes)** explaining why you are the right person for this project. **Convince us with your motivation, passion, and enthusiasm!**
- Please note that **interviews may be required** as part of the selection process, but will not be conducted for all applicants.

The final results will be announced by email, and you **must confirm your participation** by **sending your transportation tickets within 7 days upon confirmation of selection**.

In case of any questions or if you need support for booking your tickets, please contact us at a.massari@euca.eu

Logistics

1. The event will be held in English in person. No remote participation is possible.
2. Once your selection is confirmed by EuCA, you need to book and pay autonomously for your means of transport to the events. We will reimburse you up **to 150 EUR** after your successful participation in the event.
3. For the three nights of the event, you will stay in shared rooms with other attendees. The accommodation is provided and paid for by the organizers. Extra nights must be booked and paid for by you independently from the organizers.
4. The organizers will provide three breakfasts and some meals.

Reimbursement policy

1. Please note that **only attendees who participated in the entire event can be reimbursed**. No reimbursements for no-shows or attendees who participate partially or skip sessions.
2. For all **travel** expenses, you will get a **maximum of 150 EUR reimbursement for all transportation expenses**. After the event, you will have to send us receipts of your expenses and your bank account. Only amounts justified with receipts will be reimbursed, **so please make sure not to lose any tickets**. In any case, the maximum amount you will receive is 150 EUR.
3. **Arrivals** are expected on the day 1 of the event and **departures** are expected on the last day.
4. When booking your transportation, if there is no flexibility allowed for changes, please consider buying insurance. In any case, reimbursement is still up to 150 EUR.
5. We cover students' **accommodation** for the **three nights** of the event: extra nights must be booked and paid for by you independently from the organizers.
6. More information on the reimbursement process will be provided after your event attendance.

Cancellation policy

Travel expenses will **not be reimbursed** if you are unable to attend the events for any reason **not attributable to the organizers' decisions**. Please ensure your availability before booking your travel. **For more information** or if you want to say hi, please contact us at a.massari@euca.eu

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