CLIMATE CRISIS YOUTH **EUROPEAN ELECTIONS 2024**

international conference for youth, civil society representatives and Academia

- 19 MAY 2023 -FRIDAY

As a central topic climate change is the biggest threat to humanity today and it needs transnational and multinational solutions. That is why creation of a strong European political community which is (inter-)active, diverse and able to form and express opinions in political debate is essential.

While the turnout in the last EU election was the largest in 25 years, citizens of diverse backgrounds and mobile union citizens remain underrepresented among active EU voters as well as democratic engagement. Our project aims to decrease the democratic participation gap of young citizens, citizens of diverse backgrounds, mobile union citizens in a gender balanced way by showing them their voices matter.

THE GOAL OF THE EVENT IS TO:

discuss the results of research on UE political parties programs, youth opinions and participation practices to develop new quality format of debate in which topics concerned with climate change and sustainability are highlighted.



REGISTRATION UNTIL: 10 MAY 2023

Please register: https://forms.gle/ZDZg83Pa8SPcULmv9



PLACE OF THE DEBATE:

SKŁAD SOLNY UL. NA ZJEŹDZIE 8 KRAKÓW (POLAND)



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Organizer & seminar partners:















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PROGRAMME:

15: 30

16:00

REGISTRATION

OFFICAL OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE CLIMATE CRISIS AS A CONTEXT OF ENTERING ADULTHOOD Presentation by Ewa Krzaklewska PhD, Jagiellonian University

YOUR VOICE MATTERS! 6:30 **RESULTS OF EUROPEAN SURVEY FOR YOUTH**

Presentation by Magdalena Klarenbach PhD Candidate, Jagiellonian University/ **Open Plan Foundation**

ENGAGING YOUTH INTO EUROPEAN CLIMATE DEBATE

on Energy, Mobility, Food Production and Climate Justice

Presentations of political parties programs, workshop and methods testing by "EU24 Engage for the planet" Consortium

FINAL CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

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ART IN TIME OF CLIMATE CRISIS

Movie "Climate Caravans" about an eco-residency and interdisciplinary project that main purpose was to develop creative tools to reflect through cultural means on specific local transformations caused, directly or indirectly, by climate crisis. Production: Open Plan Foundation

"Blood Lines exhibition that is a sound installation that raises awareness about the pressing issues of eco-criticism and eco-racism in rural areas inhabited by minorities. The installation immerses the audience in the sounds of the natural environment and contrasts them with the harsh realities faced by marginalized communities. Author: Anja Söyünmez

EU24 CONSORTIUM

- ALDA, the European Association for Local Democracy, is a global alliance of local and regional authorities and civil society actors working together with a participative approach for resilient, inclusive, and sustainable communities.
- EGEA Alumni, The European Geography Association, is a European network of geography students and young geographers, with the intention of exchanging geographical knowledge.
- CRN, Comparative Research Network is actively involved in scientific research, teaching and cultural activities that link the realm of ideas with everyday experience. As our name indicates, we work internationally and cross-culturally.
- OPF, Open Plan Foundation is educational and research organization whose main goal is to work for civil society and environmental protection. Actively, by using methods of climate, transformative and global education, we create materials (publications for teachers and students, workshops, trainings) and act to put into practice the idea of a just world.

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