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NEWS ALERT

News and information issued weekly on events, training and funding managed directly by the Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector for Voluntary Organisations and Volunteers.

Revealing European Values in Volunteering in Europe Malta Council for the

Date: Tuesday 15th November 2022

> **Time:** 6:00pm

Register by Friday 11th November: http://bitly.ws/w8W2

#REVIVE (Revealing European Values in Volunteering in Europe) Webinar

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webinar on Tuesday 15th November 2022 between 6pm and 8pm CET.

#REVIVE (Revealing European Values in Volunteering in Europe) is an online webinar in the form of a discussion with the aim to consider how volunteering can foster European values such as human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, rule of law and human rights. Volunteers play an important role in social cohesion, interpersonal relationships and paving a way to making European values a reality and this webinar will be an opportunity for volunteers to voice their opinion at an EU level.

A discussion will be held on:

- Volunteer Campaigns Should volunteer campaigns be more than about recruitment and also have as a core component the delivery of a message to society about democracy, human rights, solidarity, inclusion and European Values in general?
- 2. Volunteering and Inclusion To what extent are we representing the full diversity of genders and other discriminating factors in volunteering. What can we do more to advance gender equality and tackle multiple and intersecting discrimination in volunteering organisations and initiatives?

Kindly register **here** by not later than Friday 11th November 2022.

In case of any queries, kindly send an email on volunteer@maltacvs.org

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National Volunteer Award 2022

Nominate those who deserve our recognition for their service...

Let us **CELEBRATE** VOLUNTEERS & VOLUNTEERISM! UNDER THE PATRONAGE OF

The Selection Board of the National Volunteer Award, appointed by the Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector will receive the nominations for the awards, in line with the regulations found on our website.

Form may be accessed through the VO Funding Portal (https://vofunding.org.mt/funds/121)

Calls for nominations shall close on Friday, 4th November 2022 at noon

Presentations of Awards: 5th December 2022 Time: 6:30pm – 9:30pm

Tel: 2248 1110 Email: mcvs.mivc@gov.mt Web: www.maltacvs.org



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National Volunteer Award 2022 Apply Now



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Youth Volunteer Support 2023 - 2024

This call for applications is issued by the Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector with the aim to provide engagement, connection and empowerment amongst youth participants participating in MCVS schemes and activities.

The Malta Council for the Voluntary Sector manages several youth volunteering programmes which aim to enhance the participation of youths within the voluntary sector. Additionally, these programmes will also aim to facilitate support and guidance to the youth participants via the assistance of mentors. The selected mentors will be able to support MCVS with the successful undertaking of youth volunteering programmes and with the implementation of an effective mentorship programme.

The Call for Mentors, together with the application form, can be accessed through the following document - **Information Pack for Mentors**.

The deadline for submission is noon of Friday 18th November 2022. Applications should be forwarded to **volunteer@maltacvs.org**

Should you need further assistance, kindly contact the volunteer support team on volunteer@maltacvs.org

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to nominate individuals to

Nominations will be received by the Commissioner for Voluntary

Friday 18th November 2022

For more information on call for nominations contact MCVS on 22481110 or email at <u>mcvs.mivc@gov,mt</u>

represent them.

Organisations.

CLOSING DATE:



Invitation to local NGOs and IGM for Conference on Young People and Information

One of the Strategic Objectives of the Ministry for Foreign and European Affairs and Trade's strategy is the enhancement of cooperation with the OSCE to strengthen democratic institutions and human rights, including media freedom.

In line with this, with the participation of the OSCE Representative on Freedom of the Media, the Ministry will be organising a Conference on Young People and Information, taking place on 10-11 November at the Hotel Excelsior.

The conference will be bringing together young people as well as academics and media professionals from the OSCE region and the OSCE Mediterranean Partners for Cooperation to will brainstorm to propose solutions to challenges linked to the dissemination of information online. Participants will also be invited to engage with the invited speakers and develop a draft "manifesto for policymakers". The topics which will be dealt in the conference are: 1) addressing media freedoms; 2) combating mis-and-disinformation; 3) tackling online discrimination.

Further information can be found in the **Concept Note**.

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would be interested to participate and contribute to the discussions in the conference.

Ministry for Foreign and European Affairs

Voluntary Organisations are invited to submit proposals related to projects related to sustainable mobility in their locality with the ultimate aim of increasing the implementation of measures which improve the walkability of localities and facilities which increase the uptake of cycling for short distance trips.

CLOSING DATE: Sun 20th Nov 2022 12:00:00 pm

Applications can be found on: https://vofunding.org.mt/funds/119 GRANT SCHEME IMPLEMENTATION OF ACTIVE MOBILITY OR CITIZEN ENGAGMENT MEASURES BY LOCAL COUNCILS AND NON-GOVERNMENT ORGANISATIONS



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