Diversity in Action

28 June - 12 July 2023
Kornos, Cyprus

Boost your leadership skills.
Become a changemaker.
Make international connections.
Join a UWC short course.

Applications open until 9 June.

Funded by the European Union
A UWC short course is a two-week summer programme for passionate youth to spark a change in their life and the world. This summer, the EU Scholarship Programme for Cypriot Youth at UWC is returning with another residential short course in Cyprus!

The Diversity in Action short course will bring together up to 40 participants from Cyprus, Europe and the Mediterranean region to explore and imagine ways to create inclusive and sustainable communities.

During the course, participants will live and learn together and be equipped with the tools to become young change-makers. They engage in UWC’s experiential learning model and make connections with international peers that last a lifetime.

A typical day will start at 8:00 in the morning with breakfast. Sessions will take place in the morning and after lunch. We will take a long lunch break, where you can rest your eyes and brains and we avoid the most intense summer heat. Between sessions and in the evenings, we will have more relaxing fun activities as well as free time to have fun and bond - and we hope you will bring ideas to share your interests and skills with others!
You are born between 28 June 2006 and 28 June 2009;
You are from and/or live in Cyprus, Europe, or the Mediterranean;
You are able and comfortable speaking and understanding English in order to follow the course;
You are fully available from 28 June to 12 July 2023.

You or one of your parents were born in Cyprus;
You are a resident in Cyprus.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

General requirements:
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- You are from and/or live in Cyprus, Europe, or the Mediterranean;
- You are able and comfortable speaking and understanding English in order to follow the course;
- You are fully available from 28 June to 12 July 2023.

Requirements for Cypriot applicants
- You or one of your parents were born in Cyprus;
- You are a resident in Cyprus.

APPLICATION DEADLINE

9 June 2023

Visit our website to apply today.

FEES

This course is funded by the European Union. Successful applicants will receive a scholarship to participate in the short course.

International participants are responsible for their own travel to/from Cyprus.

All participants are required to demonstrate they have valid (travel) health insurance for the duration of the course.
LOGISTICS

ABOUT COSMOPOLIS MULTI-VENUE
Cosmopolis Multi-Venue is a modern, multi-purpose venue. The venue provides us with comfortable rooms, a separate conference/workshop room, as well as outdoor spaces, including a basketball court and swimming pool where we can enjoy our course activities and supervised leisure time.

Participants will stay in shared rooms with shared bathrooms. While housekeeping will be provided, we expect everyone to share responsibility over keeping our spaces clean and undamaged.

THE TEAM
During the course, participants will be supported by an international team of twelve facilitators.

Participants are accompanied by a facilitator at any point of the course. Facilitators will stay in separate rooms at the same venue and there is always someone available for an emergency.

CONTACT INFORMATION
For questions, email the short course team at shortcourses@cy.uwc.org

For more information about UWC Cyprus, visit the website of UWC Cyprus or follow us on social media:
- Instagram: uwccyprus
- Facebook: UWCCy

For more information about UWC short courses, visit the website of UWC International.

WHAT DO PAST PARTICIPANTS SAY?
Participants at UWC short course "(re)Imagining Community"
Cyprus, summer 2022

I felt like home, the moment I left home. I have made lots of friends here and I really would like to stay in contact with them.

DEMR, CYPRUS

I wanted to be in an environment with diversity, with other people from other countries. I feel that I know everybody and their interests. I also liked the activities that we did that really helped me to broaden my horizons.

EKATERINI, CYPRUS

What is a part of UWC is the desire to make change. This community proves that we are not a lost generation. We are a generation that is actually capable of making change and I am sure we will do it.

DANA, UKRAINE

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