

Call for e-MPOWER Peer Trainer

Description

1. Overview of e-MPOWER

EATG in partnership with the European Sex Workers Rights Alliance (ESWA [formerly ICRSE]) and Association Legebitra (Slovenia) will be implementing the project “*Partnership to overcome challenges of online learning and to empower youth actors in the field of sexual health promotion, in the COVID-19 era*” (e-MPOWER, Erasmus + Grant No 008320) from September 2021 to September 2022.

The project will develop a platform of tools for online training on sexual health considering some of the specific challenges that sex workers, people living with HIV, and LGBTI persons face. The project will address mental health aspects throughout. It aims to engage with youth advocates so that they may build on the knowledge and skills they need to support their communities.

2. Task description

EATG is hiring one youth (between 18-30 years of age) to join a team of Peer Trainers who is looking to gain experience on developing, delivering, and evaluating online trainings to youth on sexual health in relation to the key populations for this project (sex workers, people living with HIV, and LGBTI persons).

Project partners, Association Legebitra and ESWA will also hire Peer Trainers to form this team, and will begin by attending a series of *Train-the-Trainer* sessions to learn and share good practices when providing online sexual health training to peers. Once these sessions are completed, the team of Peer Trainers will then contribute to the development, delivery, and evaluation of a *Youth Activist Training pilot* to take place in early 2022.

3. Collaboration with project partners

Peer Trainers will receive ongoing guidance from and collaborate closely with the e-MPOWER partner organisations, project advisor, and consultants.

4. Required skills and knowledge

Please note that previous experience in delivering online training is **not necessary**, but is considered an asset. **We also strongly encourage youth who belong to at least one of the groups (LGBTI+, living with HIV, sex workers) to apply.**

Desired Peer Trainer profile:

- Must be located in an [Erasmus + Programme Country](#).
- Between the ages of 18-30 years.
- Good English oral and writing skills.
- Ability to communicate on sensitive topics in a respectful and safe manner.
- Willingness to learn and share ideas with other youth.

- Interest in developing presentation and computer (PowerPoint, Zoom meeting) skills.

5. Timeframe

Each of the Peer Trainers will be expected to participate in the activities outlined below.

Activity		Payment per Trainer	Timeline
a.	Attend and participate in Train-the-Trainer Sessions (four 2-hour sessions)	Voluntary	November - December 2021
b.	Prepare Pilot Training Sessions for Youth Activists	1.250 EUR	December 2021 - February 2022
c.	Deliver Pilot Training Sessions to Youth Activists	250 EUR	February - March 2022
TOTAL		1.500 EUR	01/11/2021 -31/03/2022

5. Payment

Based on the Erasmus+ project funding and EATG consultant rates, the overall amount available is **1.500€**. The appointed Peer Trainer will be compensated upon delivery of the deliverables as described above. Tasks that are not delivered, or who have not reached the expected outcomes, will not be compensated.

6. Application process

Interested candidates are invited to send a brief description on their motivation to become a Trainer and a CV to Sarah North (sarah.north@eatg.org) by **20 October 2021 (23:59 CEST)**.

Decisions on selected candidates will be made by EATG in consultation e-MPOWER project partners.