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TO:

International Commissioners and other principal contacts of NSOs and NSAs in the European Region

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Erasmus + Call for Partners for the Academy 2017

Dear friends,

This circular provides you with information on the next application for which your NSO/NSA can be a partner: Academy 2017.

To be able to be a partner in this project, please check carefully the requirements below and follow all the steps described. The application will be submitted at national level by the hosting NSO.

Description and objectives of the project

The Academy, Hungary, Autumn 2017

The Academy 2017 is a unique Scout and Guide event designed to enable participants to have high quality training and networking opportunities around the core priorities of the WAGGGS and WOSM Europe Regions.

The event is open to anyone holding a position at national level in Member Organisations/Component Associations of WAGGGS and National Scout Organisations/National Scout Associations of WOSM, ranging from members of particular working groups to Chief Commissioners. Most organisations will probably send participants that hold positions in a range of work areas.

Previous Academies show that most participants are active in the field of strategy or management (as Commissioners or board members), in the field of education or training (as trainers or those responsible for programme/education) or in the field of communication or representation (for instance in branding or advocacy). The Academy 2017 will offer a broad range of sessions addressing matters of interest to all these different groups of participants.

How to benefit from the grant?

1) Fill in the relevant information for the application

Please fill in all the relevant information following this link:
<https://goo.gl/forms/P0EQ99QovhKf3rkB2>

Please note that:

- it is required to complete all the questions. Please be accurate in your answers related to the specific questions for the event. This information will be then directly copy pasted into the application and therefore this information will be evaluated as part of the assessment of the entire project.
- by being a partner to a grant, you commit your NSO/NSA to send at least one participant to the event for which you are signing.
- mandates received incomplete, without all the relevant information will not be accepted.

2) Mandate

You can find attached to this circular the specific Mandate template. Please fill in all the parts in yellow and the legal representative should sign it. Then **send us back a scanned copy** by email to strasca@scout.org **by 26 January 2017**. Considering that the deadline for applying is 2 February, applications received after 26 January will not be accepted.

From what kind of support will you benefit?

• Reduced Travel cost

The reimbursement will be done based on a lump sum calculated on the travel distance for each participant. For travel distances between:

- 100 and 499 KM: 180 EUR per participant
- 500 and 1999 KM: 275 EUR per participant
- 2000 and 2999 KM: 360 EUR per participant
- 3000 and 3999 KM: 530 EUR per participant
- 4000 and 7999 KM: 1100 EUR per participant

For the purpose of the application, please note that all the distances will be calculated from the capital of your country. If you wish to indicate another departure point, please contact Sinziana Rasca, strasca@scout.org.

• Reduced participation fee

Which NSO/NSAs are eligible for these grants? All 28 EU member states, FYROM, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Turkey.

For any further questions related to this call for partners or related more generally to the programme Erasmus+, please contact my colleague Sinziana Rasca, strasca@scout.org.

Yours sincerely,



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