



YES! INITIATIVE VIENNA

is a vivid platform for an open dialogue of the next generation about creating a European ecological, social and cultural identity, a signal of 'Young European Solidarity'.

By now 40 European-wide events have been realized in 5 YES! series:

EuroKidsCamps - for pupils (12-16) from all over Europe

EuroTeensCamps - for students (13-17) from all over Europe

DanubeTeensCamps - for students (13-17) from the Danube Regions

4EC Teachers Trainings - for evocative pedagogues from all over Europe

EuroTeensMeetings - for students (13-17) from all over Europe



4EC Teachers Training

October 6th - 9th, 2014 NationalparkCampLobau, Vienna

Welcome to curious and open-minded teachers from all over Europe, who enjoy to experience holistic outdoor education!

The **European Evocative Environmental Educators' Conference**, shortly called '**4EC**', puts an emphasis on bringing pedagogical experts together to exchange personal experiences in outdoor pedagogics as well as to discuss future-orientated educational issues. It is also part of 4EC to get personally involved by methods of self-awareness. To get to know effective methods means to run through them by yourself!



Teachers trainings with **Prof. Dipl.-Päd. Gerhard Hofer**, director of the NGO UmweltBildungAustria, open up exciting points of view and offer special and innovative methodical tools for teachers to find **new and successful performances in the classroom as well as outdoors in nature**.

In the meantime a vibrant and steadily growing network of dedicated teachers, who participate with great enthusiasm in the **YES! Initiative**, spans all over Europe. Up to now it connects **teachers from 35 countries!**

Topics of the 10th 4EC Teachers Training

- ❖ Exchange of European standards in environmental education
- ❖ Exemplary presentation and workshop at the 'HoneybeeHotel'
- ❖ The pedagogical concept 'Fresh A.I.R.' | Animating Intensifying Reflecting
- ❖ Guided 'Green Tour' in the Donau-Auen National Park
- ❖ Pedagogical dramaturgy by conceptualizing an 'Arc of Suspense'
- ❖ Special team experience in search of the wilderness outside & inside

Each participant of the **4EC Conference** has only to come up for the travelling costs and a small contribution for food (€ 86). Bring along your sleeping bag and enjoy a 'wilderness'-experience in our group tents, sleeping near the fire! If you like it less romantic but more comfortable, we help you to rent a room next to our NationalparkCampLobau.



UmweltBildungAustria, an independent association, offers attractive environmental education programmes for Viennese schools and kindergartens to get aware of the richness and colourfulness of nature. UmweltBildungAustria provides outdoor events for families, students and seniors to encourage them to spend their leisure time in a sensitive way in the inspiring ambience of 'Green Vienna'. UmweltBildungAustria also develops and realizes the 'YES! Young European Solidarity' Initiative.

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NationalparkCampLobau, the green camp-site close to Donau-Auen National Park is the attractive headquarter of the NGO UmweltBildungAustria, supported by the Vienna Forestry Department. It provides best conditions like clean sanitariums, a modern kitchen with fresh and organic food, a sunny natural beach, various playgrounds, inviting fireplaces, an open air stage & large tents for a joyful programme in case of rainy weather ... and all around there is fresh air, natural sounds and sparkling stars.

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The **Vienna Forestry Dpmt.** is mainly responsible for the preservation of the public recreational forests and areas as well as for running the Viennese part of the Donau-Auen National Park. In collaboration with the NGO 'UmweltBildungWien - Grüne Insel' challenging environmental education programmes are realized in the NationalparkCampLobau.

www.wien.gv.at/umwelt/wald/forstamt



The Lord Mayor of Vienna

"The idea of a common Europe of nations has always been essential and important to me. I am convinced that especially the dialogue among the young about ecological and social issues and the prospect to experience personally the meaning of solidarity is very important for the future of Europe.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the YES! events in Vienna. And I wish all the participating students and teachers interesting, exciting days in the Donau-Auen National Park. Good luck for your YES! Initiative!"

Dr. Michael Häupl

Landeshauptmann und
Bürgermeister der Stadt Wien



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EuroTeensCamp

June 8th - 12th, 2015 **NationalparkCampLobau, Vienna**

Welcome to curious and open-minded students from all over Europe, who are interested to experience nature, to make friends and to enjoy tenting, camp-fire and moonlight!

Young people, aged 14 to 18, and their teachers from all over Europe are invited to experience an exciting way to get familiar with ecological, social and cultural topics of the European Union and to express themselves in their individual ways in the green & romantic ambience of our modern camp-site.

Experiencing 'Young European Solidarity'
The motto of the 9th EuroTeensCamp calls on you to go out, take a deep breath in fresh air and have a relaxed and curious look at the multi-coloured dimensions of wilderness. On the one hand we are exploring the virgin nature in the Donau-Auen National Park, the pure wilderness outdoors. On the other hand we are exploring the wilderness inside us, the frenetic joy of life and the prickling desires that make us vivid!

Past experiences prove that the green ambience next to the National Park and the modern facilities in the **NationalparkCampLobau** support easy living together and send good vibrations. Striking up conversation in a challenging **strategy game** and enjoying **creative workshops** as well as **thrilling adventures** comes naturally at the relaxed atmosphere in our **EuroTeensCamp**.



Further information: www.ubw.at
Requests & registration: yes@ubw.at

Thanks to the constantly growing international **YES! Network**, which supports meanwhile contacts in **35 European countries**, EuroTeensCamps are really international. They offer a unique chance for young people to experience **values of an open-minded democratic European society**.
To seize these great opportunities, each young guest should be motivated to **communicate in English** and have some basic know-how about the actual **ecological, social and cultural issues** of the European Union!
Full board is provided for **6 persons per group**. So each participant has only to come up for the travelling cost, a participation fee (**reduced € 86**, regular € 262) and to bring along sleeping bag, tent ... and **high spirits!**

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The chronicle of a successful initiative

	EuroTeens in Green Vienna	
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	1st EuroTeensMeeting ♦ Belgium	
	EuroTeens in Green Vienna	
	2nd EuroTeensCamp ♦ Vienna	
	2nd EuroTeensMeeting ♦ Sweden	
	1st 4EC Teachers Training ♦ Vienna	
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	3rd EuroTeensMeeting ♦ Spain	
	2nd 4EC Teachers Training ♦ Vienna	
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	4th EuroTeensCamp ♦ Vienna	
	4th EuroTeensMeeting ♦ Ireland	
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At present the international network of the YES! Initiative connects pedagogues within 35 European states:

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| Austria | Germany | F.Y.R. Macedonia | Slovakia |
| Belgium | Greece | Malta | Slovenia |
| Bulgaria | Hungary | The Netherlands | Spain |
| Croatia | Iceland | Norway | Sweden |
| Cyprus | Ireland | Poland | Switzerland |
| Czech Republic | Italy | Portugal | Turkey |
| Estonia | Latvia | Romania | Ukraine |
| Finland | Lithuania | Russia | United Kingdom |
| France | Luxembourg | Serbia | Arizona, USA |

