



ALDA RECONFIRMED STRATEGIC PARTNER OF THE PROGRAMME "EUROPE FOR CITIZENS" ONE PROGRAMME, 500 MILLION VOICES!

Newsletter ALDA February 2018



ALDA is happy and proud to be reconfirmed as a beneficiary of an operating grant from the programme Europe for Citizens, which aims at enhancing civic participation at EU level. ALDA was one of the associations selected by Europe for Citizens to receive an operating grant supporting their structure and activities, and will work during the next three years to boost citizens participation all over the European Union, our key values, and the feeling to belong to the same house.

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SCHOLARSHIP GIANFRANCO MARTINI APPLICATIONS OPEN UNTIL 20 MARCH

ALDA grants an annual scholarship since 2013 in memory of its Honorary President, Gianfranco Martini, one of the founding partners and first President of ALDA in 1999, when the association was established.

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SHOW THE WORLD WHAT GENDER INEQUALITY LOOKS LIKE - GET UP PHOTO CONTEST

The contest #getup_project invites European citizens to think and express, through original shots, stereotypes and gender differences in education, training and career, imagining a future free from gender inequality.

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ALDA IN THE FRONTLINE FOR SUPPORTING CIVIC RIGHTS OF FOREIGNERS IN EUROPEAN CITIES AND COMMUNITIES

Nowadays, when international mobility is at the top of the EU agenda, which makes many European cities host a vibrant mix of European and non-European nationals living and working there, it is extremely important to foster their civic rights and participation.

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GOVERNING BOARD OF ALDA DISCUSSES STRATEGIES AND KEY ACTIVITIES FOR 2018

The Governing Board of ALDA met on 3 February in Brussels, hosted by the Council of Europe. The meeting was opened by CoE's Political Advisor Dmitry Rykovskov. The Board discussed a number of topics, *in primis* the budget and activities for 2018.

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HAVE YOUR SAY ON ENTREPRENEURIAL EDUCATION!

ALDA calls all its members, partners and relevant stakeholders to contribute to the survey on teachers approach to entrepreneurship and their level of expertise related to use this entrepreneurial education to increase student school engagement and decrease school dropout in school with a high percentage of foreign born and ethnic minorities.

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VOICES FROM THE FUTURE - THEATRE OF THE OPPRESSED IN SKOPJE

The VOICES FROM THE FUTURE project aims to touch upon the existent inequalities and unfairness in societies that are experiencing a harsh economic and political transition towards the democracy after years of authoritarian regime.

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NEWS FROM LDAs



LDA OF DNIPROPETROVSK REGION DEFENDED 1100 FAMILIES IN CONDOMINIUM DISPUTE IN UKRAINE

Since January 1, 2018, amendments to the Ukrainian legislation on the monetization of benefits and subsidies have come into effect. As a consequence of the changes, people living in condominiums were deprived of the opportunity to receive benefits and subsidies which they were previously entitled to because they are socially unprotected.

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RULE OF LAW, DEMOCRACY, AND STEPS TOWARDS EU INTEGRATION - CITIZENS OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA DESERVE A STRONGER COMMITMENT FROM THEIR POLITICAL LEADERS

Statement of ALDA and the Local Democracy Agencies.

Local Democracy Agencies (LDAs) and ALDA are following the latest development in Bosnia and Herzegovina in a light of the Resolution on BiH recently adopted by Council of Europe.

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CALL FOR PARTNERS

Fonds de soutien franco-tunisien

Deadline of the call - 17/03/2018

Location - France, Tunisia

ERASMUS + KA 2 Strategic Partnership in the field of vocational education and training (VET)

Deadline of the call - 21/03/2018

Location - Programme countries, partner countries

Solidarité internationale

Deadline of the call - 04/04/2018

Location - Developing countries benefiting from ODA

Erasmus+ Sport 2018

Deadline of the call - 05/04/2018 12:00 (CET, Brussels time)

Location - Programme countries, partner countries

AMIF-2017-AG-INFO/TOPIC : Call for proposals to support awareness raising and information campaigns on the risks of irregular migration in selected third-countries

Deadline of the call - 05/04/2018 17:00 (CET Brussels time)

Location - All EU Member States, with the exception of Denmark

AMIF - TOPIC: Support awareness raising and information campaigns on the risks of irregular migration in selected third-countries

Deadline of the call - 05/04/2018 17.00 Brussels time

Location - Algeria, The Gambia, Guinea Conakry, Ivory Coast, Niger, Mali, Morocco, Senegal or Tunisia

[Please find more calls for partners on our dedicated web page](#)

NEW MEMBERS OF ALDA

[Municipality of Bujanovac](#) - **Serbia**

[ACI - Associação Centro InterCulturaCidade](#) - **Portugal**

[Udruga za promicanje aktivnog građanstva](#) - **ECHO** - **Croatia**

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