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| **PARTNER ORGANISATION DETAILS** | |
| **Erasmus+ PIC Number** | **918857721** |
| **Organisation ID** | **E10046683** |
| **Legal name** | GENCLIK CALISMALARI DERNEGI |
| **Legal name (national language)** | YOUTH WORK ASSOCIATION |
| **Department (if applicable)** | N/A |
| **Acronym** | GENCA |
| **Email** | [youthorgtr@gmail.com](mailto:youthorgtr@gmail.com) |

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| **Exceptional Cost (Visa Cost)** |
| **Please add 120 € VISA COST for each participant from Turkey in the exceptional costs area!**  **Details**: 60 EUR Visa fee – 35 EUR application fee – Around 15 EUR for mandatory extra insurance -  10 EUR Exit Fee (for leaving the country)  **For EVS (ESC), please ask more details. Because you need to add resindence permit costs too.** |

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| **EVS / ESC ACCREDITATION** | |
| **ACCREDITATION NUMBER** | SAME AS PIC: 918857721 |

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| **PROFILE** | |
| **Type of Organisation** | Non-governmental organisation/association/social enterprise |
| **Is the organisation a public body?** | No |
| **Is the organisation a non-profit?** | Yes |

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| **ASSOCIATED PERSONS** | |
| **Legal Representative** | |
| **Title** | CPA, Mr. |
| **Gender** | Male |
| **First Name** | Hakan |
| **Family Name** | ÇOLAK |
| **Department** | N/A |
| **Position** | Board Member |
| **Email** | [youthorgtr@gmail.com](mailto:youthorgtr@gmail.com) |
| **Telephone (example: +90…)** | +905353856338 |
| **Contact Person** | |
| **Title** | M.Sc. |
| **Gender** | Male |
| **First Name** | Mehmet |
| **Family Name** | ÇETİNKAYA |
| **Department** | N/A |
| **Position** | President |
| **Email** | [mehcetinkaya@gmail.com](mailto:mehcetinkaya@gmail.com) |
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| **BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE** |
| **Please briefly present the organisation.** |
| Youth Work Association (Turkish: Gençlik Çalışmaları Derneği) (GENCA) was established on 18th July 2014 by a group of youth worker in order to enable and develop the youth information, youth work and youth participation.  GENCA is aiming to establish new partnerships with individuals and organizations which are working in the youth field, take responsibility to be executive and develop their youth work and activities which will be implemented via cultural, sport and art activities. GENCA is an independent, non-profit organization that provides practical solutions to the challenge of integrating environmental and social priorities with economic and development. We actively take part in and implement activities related with employment, human rights, equality, justice, diversity, solidarity and preventing hate speech, extremism and radicalization. We report on international negotiations, conduct rigorous research, and engage citizens, businesses and policy-makers on the shared goal of developing sustainability. We also translate foreign contents (especially sources from SALTO institutions and Council of Europe Publications) into Turkish language to enable and develop quality of youth work in national level.  Organization directs its work mainly towards the target group consisted of especially socially and economically disadvantaged young people aged 15-35. Our working theme is art, sport and culture and main area is youth work, employment and human rights education. We organize youth work activities with the following aim(s);  - To fight with hate speech, exclusion and ethnocentrism and xenophobia;  - Supporting personal and social development of young people;  - Promoting active citizenship and democracy among the society;  - Encouraging young people to take initiative and participate in democratic life;  - Inclusion and integration activities for disadvantaged young people and immigrants;  - To combat with polarization, extremism and radicalization of youth;  - Activities and counseling to develop competences of young people and help their career life;  - IT tools for development of Youth Work in EU (www.vopool.net);  - Online portal management for Human Rights Document Search Engine (insanhaklari.org);  - Creation of Youth Work Network in Turkey (www.genclikcalismalari.net).  We have actively been involved in youth work and working with young people and young refugees in local and regional level at south eastern Turkey. We have been serving activities to young refugees from Syria since 2014 July in Gaziantep together with other NGOs located in Gaziantep, Kilis and Şanlıurfa. Our urgent current aim is provide a better life for young people and refugees in the region and country. Our organisation have moved to Istanbul from Gaziantep on April 2016 and since then aiming to develop and contribute youth work in national level more than regional level.  All experiences mentioned above are gained in many different organisations such as:  Gaziantep Gençlik ve Kültür Evi,  Gaziantep Eğitim ve Gençlik Derneği,  Istanbul Arel University,  Abdullah Gül University,  Uludağ University,  İstanbul Bilgi Üniversity,  İstanbul Esenyurt Üniversity,  Boğaziçi University,  Sof Dağı Gençlik ve Spor Kulübü Derneği,  Turkey Europe Foundation,  Zeugma Youth and Sport Club Association,  YINFO Youth Information Center Association etc. |
| **What are the activities and experience of the organisation in the areas relevant for this application?** |
| Erasmus+ Partnerships;  In the last 3 year, we have been part of 54 international youth projects officially. (https://youth.org.tr/proje-listesi/)  Apart from these; We have organized 3 international youth training course in Istanbul as an organization which can be seen in the application form as well and going to implement one more in the November 2019.  - 2018-1-TR01-KA105-057126  - 2018-3-TR01-KA105-061556  - 2018-3-TR01-KA105-061859  - 2019-1-TR01-KA105-071726  in 2017 and 2018, we have actively been part of 23 Erasmus+ projects in total such as Youth Exchanges, Youth Training Courses, EVS, Strategic EVS and Seminar Projects and the results can be seen on our web page: http://youth.org.tr/blog/  Apart from the projects organized or partnered in the name or our organisation (as Youth Work Association), we have been part of 47 more projects in the last 3 years which were organized in the name of other organizations. But, we have contributed or participated as partner, participant, trainer, facilitator or guest speaker.  We are national support group coordinator of the No Hate Speech Movement campaign by Council of Europe in Turkey. Running its activities on online and offline since 2013 March (even before the establishment of our NGO). Our president is in the main team of this international campaign which is running in 47 countries and he is one of the facilitators of the campaign in international level. We have been part of the campaign and its training courses, seminars, meetings and online action days since 2013 December actively.  Almost every member of our organisation is an EX-EVS (ESC) volunteer and at least participated several Youth (Youth Exchange, Youth Workers Training Course, Contact Making Seminar, Job Shadowing, Seminarts etc.) projects within the Youth in Action or Erasmus+ Projects. We are also an active ESC (Old EVS Programme) Sending Organization having 54 long term volunteers abroad currently.  We are in the Youth Advisory Council of Council of Europe for human rights education since 2017 March and contributing the preparation of educational activities on hate speech and youth and human rights. Our last Erasmus+ Training Course (Virtual Action for Human Rights Education) was implemented in the cooperation with Council of Europe. You can see the project outcomes on Council of Europe's website: (https://bit.ly/2VnRrUw) in the Seminars section (right bottom). We are partner of 2 projects funded by European Youth Fund in the 2019 and they are going to be implemented in late 2019 in Strasbourg, France.  We were also member of 11th Development Plan Child and Youth Specialization Commission (11. Kalkınma Planı Çocuk ve Gençlik Özel İhtisas Komisyonu) by T.R. Ministry of Development. We have opened 6 session on Youth and Human Rights Education of Young People in the commission. The report was published in 2018 in the Presidency of The Republic Of Turkey in Cumhurbaşkanlığı Külliyesi with our president's participation in the reception. Our president directly involved in the preparation commission of the report for youth and youth policies. We even have had proposed 3 full pages of detailed information on Turkish National Agency and its youth policies where no one showed up from the Turkish NA.  We have implemented a long-term training course called "Yaygın Eğitim Akademisi" (Non Formal Education Academy) which is a basically training of trainers for human rights education in the cooperation with Boğaziçi University and Abdullah Gül University. We trained 12 youth workers to be competent on Human Rights Education and using Non-Formal Education Methods and its implementation (details on www.nonformal.org and https://youth.org.tr/yaygin-egitim-akademisi-katilimci-cagrisi/).  We are member of the Advisory Council of European Delegation on Volunteer Management due the project Vopool.Net and our success on youth sector. We are advising them to structure volunteer management system implementation. |
| **Please give information on the key staff/persons involved in this application and on the competences and previous experience that they will bring to the project.** |
| As members of the organisation: (apart from the projects listed below)  - We have orgsanised 20+ Erasmus+ Youth Exchanges  - We organized 47 Erasmus+ Training Courses  - We have been part of organization team in the GAPGENC Festival (http://www.gapgenc.org/) which was one of the largest youth festivals in Turkey for many years  - We participated in many Erasmus+ Youth Exchanges, Youth Workers' Mobility and Training Courses, EVS and ESC Projects, Seminars, Salto Trainings... and other kind of activities...  Trainers and Experts of our association:  Mehmet: International Trainer since 2009 and member of Turkish National Agency's Youth Trainers Pool. President of Youth Work Association. He has experience in the youth field since 2005.  Sansel: International Trainer and Youth Worker since 2001 and Career Center Manager in Istanbul Are University.  Serhat: Trainer and Manager of BilgiTalent Career Center of Bilgi University and involved in youth work for 11 years and career counseling for 14 years  Zeynep: International Trainer in Turkish NA and member of Trainers Pool in SALTO, Manager/Director of Youth Work Research and Application Center (Youth Factory) in Abdullah Gul University.  Facilitators Team:  Ümit: Fellow member in the Training of Trainers organised by the Turkish National Agency. Active in the youth fields since 2009. Participated in 2 long term Training of Trainers within the Erasmus+ Projects. President of Association for Quality in Social Responsibility.  Nisa: Fellow member in the Training of Trainers organised by the Turkish National Agency. Active in the youth fields since 2007. Teaching and Research Assistant in Katip Çelebi University in İzmir.  Yagmur Ş. BAYINDIR: Master Student in Hacettepe University, Project Assistant in a Development Agency's project and Vice president of Association for Quality in Social Responsibility.  Logistics Team:  I. Halil: Experienced in youth field since 2007 and ex EVS volunteer. Have participated in 7 Erasmus+ Projects as Logistics Coordinator and 17 as a participant.  Mert: Experienced Trainer on Career Management and Counseling working with Istanbul Arel University and Nevicos Co. He's owner of a company which is working as a job agent in Istanbul, Turkey.  Documentation and Legal Papers:  Hakan ÇOLAK: CPA (Serbest Muhasebeci Mali Müşavir) and ex EVS volunteer 10 months in Italy. Legal representative of the training course as well.  Ferdi KİBAR: CPA (Serbest Muhasebeci Mali Müşavir) and owner of a company (STK Master) which is supporting NGO's for accounting and legal procedures. |

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| **Please provide further information specifically on the activities and youth work done by your organisation and the partner organisations involved in Youth Worker's mobility (what are the target groups? Which methods are used? Etc.).**  **Please also describe how the project meets the needs and objectives of both your organisation and your partners'.** |
| Youth Work Association from Turkey is aiming to establish new partnerships with individuals and organizations which are working in this field, take responsibility to be executive and develop their activities which will be implemented via cultural, sport and art activities. We are organizing local events such as: EURODESK Information Meetings, Human Rights Education to Young People, organizing online and offline events to promote human rights online and combat hate speech, helping young people for career consultancy. We are running a tool for youthwork called Vopool.Net and it brings civic society together for cooperating in volunteering projects. |

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| **Has the organisation participated in a European Union granted project in the 3 years preceding this application?** | | | |
| **EU Programme** | **Year** | **Project Identification or Contact Number** | **Applicant/beneficiary Name** |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-2-HU01-KA105-036210 | [Szivárvány Törzs Közhasznú Egyesület](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-2-HU01-KA105-036210) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-2-IE01-KA105-025739 | [Eurobug, International Youth Work Training and Collaboration Limited](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-2-IE01-KA105-025739) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-BE04-KA105-002201 | [NoHateMakers](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-BE04-KA105-002201) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-DE04-KA105-015938 | [NATURKULTUR EV](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-DE04-KA105-015938) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-ES02-KA105-010611 | [Servicio de Atencion a la Diversidad y Voluntariado de la Universidad de Murcia](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-ES02-KA105-010611) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-LT02-KA105-005576 | [NGO "Actio Catholica Patria"](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-LT02-KA105-005576) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-TR01-KA105-048414 | [aktiF-Iz Youth Community](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-TR01-KA105-048414) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-UK01-KA105-046421 | [Global Hands (Leicester) CIC](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-UK01-KA105-046421) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-ES02-KA105-010381 | [Asociación "Eo, Eo"](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-ES02-KA105-010381) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-DE04-KA135-016013 | [GrenzKultur gGmbH](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2017-3-DE04-KA135-016013) |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-1-PL01-KA110-047421 | Akwedukt Association |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-2-NO02-KA135-000997 | Fjaler Frivilligsentral |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-DE04-KA105-015972 | Dialog gGmbH |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-ES02-KA105-010435 | SETEM Navarra-Nafarroa |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-HR01-KA135-046844 | VIER PFOTEN Kosova |
| Erasmus+ | 2017 | 2017-3-PL01-KA135-047098 | Stowarzyszenie Rozwoju i Integracji Młodzieży - CO |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-AT02-KA125-002088 | akzente Salzburg - Initiativen für junge Leute |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-DE04-KA125-016410 | JugendAktionsNetzwerk Umwelt und Naturschutz e.V. |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-DE04-KA125-016508 | Sonntags-Club e. V. |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-ES02-KA125-011285 | Escola de Tempo Libree Animación Sociocultural Don Bosco |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-PL01-ESC12-060979 | Centrum Inicjatyw Międzykulturowych Horyzonty |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-PL01-KA125-050295 | Fundacja Kreatywnej Przestrzeni i Rozwoju CampoSfera |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-ES02-KA125-011565 | Sant Tomàs Association |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-ES02-KA125-011575 | Dinamización Social- Asociación Arrabal-AID |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-LT02-KA125-005968 | NGO “Skautų slenis” |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-LV02-KA125-002268 | Talsi Region Community Foundation |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-RO01-KA125-049983 | Centrul pentru Dezvoltare Durabilă Greentin |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-BE05-KA105-002429 | [ASSOCIATION FOR EUROPEAN COOPERATION DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATION](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-1-BE05-KA105-002429) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-IE01-KA105-038709 | [Eurobug, International Youth Work Training and Collaboration Limited](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-1-IE01-KA105-038709) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-PL01-KA105-050105 | [Kobiety.lodz.pl](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-1-PL01-KA105-050105) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-UK01-KA105-047521 | [ACTING GLOBAL LTD](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-1-UK01-KA105-047521) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-DE04-KA105-016956 | [European Ways e.V.](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-2-DE04-KA105-016956) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-EL02-KA105-004297 | [SIMMETECHO](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-2-EL02-KA105-004297) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-EL02-KA105-004330 | [NEOI ELLADOS SE EYROPAIKI DRASI](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-2-EL02-KA105-004330) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-EL02-KA105-004333 | [NEOI ELLADOS SE EYROPAIKI DRASI](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-2-EL02-KA105-004333) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-2-UK01-KA105-048569 | [Youth Innovation Ltd](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-2-UK01-KA105-048569) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-3-IT03-KA105-014930 | [Agenzia di Promozione Integrata per i Cittadini in Europa](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-3-IT03-KA105-014930) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-1-TR01-KA105-057126 | [Youth Work Association](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-1-TR01-KA105-057126) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-3-TR01-KA105-061556 | [Youth Work Association](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-3-TR01-KA105-061556) |
| Erasmus+ | 2018 | 2018-3-TR01-KA105-061859 | [Youth Work Association](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2018-3-TR01-KA105-061859) |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-1-BE05-KA105-002622 | ASSOCIATION FOR EUROPEAN COOPERATION DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATION |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-1-HU01-KA105-060617 | EGYUTTHATO KOZOSSEGEPITO EGYESULET |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-1-LT02-KA105-006209 | Non-formal youth group "Du+Vienas" |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-1-TR01-KA105-071726 | Youth Work Association |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-BE05-KA105-002709 | ASSOCIATION FOR EUROPEAN COOPERATION DEVELOPMENT AND COMMUNICATION |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-DE04-KA105-018170 | NATURKULTUR EV |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-DE04-KA105-018139 | NATURKULTUR EV |
| ESC | 2019 | 2019-2-IE01-ESC11-051622 | Citywise Education |
| Erasmus+ KA2 | 2019 | 608387-EPP-1-2019-1-MD-EPPKA2-CBY-EP-CSF | ASOCIATIA OBSTEASCA ASOCIATIA DE DEZVOLTARE VOLUNTARIAT SI INFORMARE PENTRU TINERET EUROPA FARA FRONTIERE |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-AT02-ESC13-002460 | Verein 4YOUgend |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-DE04-ESC11-018056 | Sonntags-Club e. V. |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-ES02-KA105-013805 | Aktive Kosmos |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-ES02-KA105-013424 | Asociación "Eo, Eo" |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-HR01-KA105-061071 | Ocean Znanja U Republici Hrvatskoj |
| Erasmus+ | 2019 | 2019-2-TR01-KA105-078146 | [Youth Work Association](https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/eplus-project-details/#project/2019-2-TR01-KA105-078146) |

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Best regards

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