



TIME TO BE WELCOME

SECTOR

Inclusion of migrants

COUNTRY

Europe (Athens & Paris)

DURATION

12/2016 – 11/2018

FUNDING

Total budget: €546,920

EU: €492,223

Private: €54,697

PARTNERS

Bureau Européen du Scoutisme ASBL, Soma Hellinon Proskopon, Scouting Ireland, Scout association of Macedonia, Youth for Exchange and Understanding international, European Federation for Intercultural Learning, British Red Cross Royal Charter, SkataMot efh, Eclaireurs et Eclaireuses Unionistes de France, SINGA France

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SUMMARY

To tackle populist trends and promote openness and tolerance towards migrants, refugees and asylum seekers, the Time to be Welcome project encourages young volunteers and youth organisations all over Europe to support integration processes through non-formal education and youth work.

Volunteers are involved in activities on the ground at different sites, ranging from refugee centres, to family hubs, to shelters. They are also active in local communities in Athens and Paris where there is a high concentration of newly-arrived migrants. Activities take many forms, such as workshops, sports, recreational activities and language courses.

The project helps young newly-arrived migrants to be better prepared to integrate into European society through a grassroots and bottom-up approach, and supports youth organisations to

improve their capacities and their youth work practices in order to ensure long-term integration of migrants into their membership and activities.

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world ... indeed, it’s the only thing that ever has.”

- Project participant