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## Workshop on Youth Participation and Social Media

2 - 4 July 2013, Hammamet, Tunisia

### Programme

#### DAY 0 (Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July)

11:00 Opening Session of the 1<sup>st</sup> Euro-Mediterranean University on Youth and Global Citizenship

15:00- 19:00 Round table on Youth and Social Media organised by the Council of Europe North South Centre in cooperation with the EU-CoE youth partnership (separate programme)

#### DAY 1 (Wednesday 3rd July)

09:30 Welcoming words on behalf of the institutions (Philipp Boetzelen, EU-CoE youth partnership)

09:45 Introduction to the Workshop ( Karima Rhanem, Matina Magkou, facilitators and social media experts )

10:00 Getting to know each other

10:30 Presentations of participants & expectations

*Facilitation: Matina Magkou*

**11: 30 coffee break**

**12: 00 Social media and youth participation: statement exercise and debate**

*Facilitation: Matina Magkou*

**13:00 Lunch**

**14:30 Debate on the potential of social media and youth participation**

*Keynote inputs*

- 1) Social Media is becoming a must-have tool for communications in terms of grassroots and Non-Profit (NGO) Khalid El Ahmed, Social Media Instructor**
- 2) How can social Media increase participation, Elise Drouet, European Youth Forum**
- 3) An insight from practice Nikolas Stambouloupoulos, New Diaspora**

*Followed by discussion & debate*

*Facilitation: Karima Rhanem*

**16:00 Coffee break**

**16:30 Impact of social media on youth participation and change - what is my role? (Radu Cosmin Seuche Youth trainer and Social Media expert, Romania. Ismail Alaoui, Social Media expert, Morocco)**

*Input and reflection*

*Facilitation : Matina Magkou*

**18:30 end of Day 1**

**19:30 Dinner**

## **DAY 2 (Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July)**

**10:00 Ethics in social media and youth participation  
(Adil Aklei, Onmagharebia)**

- Awareness raising exercises**
- Input on Social Media & Privacy (Silvio Heinze, Social Media expert)**

*Facilitation: Karima Rhanem*

**11:30 Coffee break**

**12:00 Youth participation and social media from a research point of view (Inputs by Robert Thomson, PEYR, Sofia Laine, Finnish Youth Research Network, Badi Melki, Institut of Applied Science in Humanities, Tunis University)**

*Facilitation: Matina Magkou*

**13:00 Lunch**

**14:30 Effective youth participation and social media- recommendations**

*Facilitation: Matina Magkou*

**16:00 Combatting Hate Speech online, Rui Gomes, Council of Europe**

*Facilitation: Matina Magkou*

**16:30 Follow up & evaluation**

*Facilitation: Matina Magkou and Karima Rhanem*

**18:00 Closing**