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# OUR MISSION



To **EMPOWER** young people to **PARTICIPATE** actively in the shaping of Europe and the societies in which they live.

To **IMPROVE** the **LIVING CONDITIONS** of young people as European citizens in today's world.

# **POLICY AREAS**



**Education**

**Youth Policy in Europe**

**Employment and Social Inclusion**

**Human Rights and Equality**

**Sustainable Development**

**Health**

**Training**

**Mobility**

**Global and Regional Youth Cooperation**

# YOUTH POLICY



**Increase the participation of young people in the shaping of the European policies concerning them and improve the qualities of youth policies and programmes.**

**EURO-MED  
EURO-ARAB  
BROADER EURO-  
MED?**



**Our contribution to the youth policy advancement in the past 15 years**

**The recent strategy adopted in 2007**

# EACMYO PROCESS



- LAS forum 2007
- Preparation in Rome 2008
- 1<sup>st</sup> EACMYO 2008



# EACMYO RESULTS



**- Principles for euro-arab cooperation amongst youth organisations:**

***Be based on and meet the needs of young people by involving them in all stages of action***

***Be built between democratic, independent and membership-based organisations***

***Respect the principles of equality, autonomy and reciprocity***

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## - Recommendations:

***Advocate for the granting of legal status to youth organisations in the arab region;  
Support the Arab youth organisations' initiative of establishing a representative and democratic pan-Arab youth platform  
Map existing youth initiatives and organisations in the Arab Region  
Foster bilateral cooperation projects***