



Increasing youth employability through boosting foreign language skills.



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## OUR OBJECTIVES

Increased awareness of potentials of Language Exchange and foreign language competences for increased youth employability among target groups;

Fully functional, sustainable and inclusive 4 regional Language Exchange offices and centres in Serbia (Niš, Novi Sad, Kragujevac, Belgrade) with the overall capacity of 12.000 persons annually;

Increased foreign language competences and skills of young unemployed people, (6.000, 30% low income, 20% NEET (not in employment, education or training) and 50% women);

Youth participants of LX events provided with professional practice in target language by the participating organizations (50 persons x 3 months).

## OUR VISION

The demand for foreign languages and communication skills is steadily rising on the European labour market. In order to reduce the gap between offer and demand of language skills and to increase the motivation of learners, the EU is encouraging the development and dissemination of new, more effective, affordable and inclusive methods of practical foreign language skills and competencies acquisition. These methods should be learner-focused, practically oriented and more applied to professional contexts.

## OUR MISSION

Fostering smart, sustainable and inclusive foreign language practice opportunities for unemployed youth in Serbia through introducing, establishing and promoting structures for Language Exchange (LX) in Serbia.