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Dear Partners,

I is with great pleasure that I am informing you that our seminar, action 4.3. „Emerging businesses and good governance. How young entrepreneurs expand democratic growth in Europe" was awarded co-funding from the Youth in Action Programme!

„Emerging businesses and good governance. How young entrepreneurs expand democratic growth in Europe" is a youth seminar, action 4.3., jointly designed by members of six youth NGOs across EU. It will be targeted at leaders identified by partner organizations and young entrepreneurs to discuss the link between youth entrepreneurship, European citizenship and growth of democracy in EU. It will enable young people to share knowledge on how to spark an entrepreneurial spirit among young people and how to use their motivation in improvement of democratic traditions and good governance. In this sense it will explore the layer of European citizenship.

The project objectives reaches out to youth NGOs far beyond the limited number of seminar participants, but the event will greatly contribute to the self-development of participants too. It will be run by 23 participants, 3 facilitators and support staff from 5 EU countries and open to young people from the region. Active contribution of participants will enrich mostly non-formal working methods aimed at unleashing creativity and innovation in youth work. Importantly, this event aims to strengthen cooperation between youth NGOs to run many youth projects in the future.

As a result there will be a transfer of knowledge between participants on European citizenship with strong focus on entrepreneurship education and its linkage with the growth of democracy in Europe. In addition quality follow up projects will emerge and organizations' cooperation will be strengthened. Participants will achieve their own individual results by participating in the high quality learning process.

The seminar will take place in Warsaw, Poland from 16-21 September 2013.

For now, the most important is to identify participants to the project within your organizations. Please pay attention we would like to make the project for people aged 25+ years old with experience in running NGOs and projects and gender balanced. Leaders of organizations are very much welcomed as we are offering a highly attractive programme and social events in the capital of Poland, Warsaw! We are trying to bring also experienced young professionals from Poland to this seminar and a lot of networking possibilities! Please stay in touch with us to consult your nomination for this event.

Do not buy flight tickets yet! After the list of participants will be agreed upon there will be a green light for you to make travel arrangements after 8 August 2013. Please see below how many seats your respective organizations have for this training course. We will send you soon detail information about the logistics, travels and agenda soon.

Romania, Adamos Association: 4 (dragos.apostu@adamos.org)
Great Britain, The Hive, Nottingham Trent University: 3 (christopher.hall@ntu.ac.uk)
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plus trainers, guests and support staff this will make a diverse group of some 30 people.

Please note: if you experience difficulties in nominating the above presented number of participant per your organization please let us know, and we will fill in the vacant posts trough alternative recruitment, but please let us know as soon as possible!

Organizers will cover 100% of accommodation and board during the project, local transportation and will reimburse 70% of the international travel costs (economy flight ticket). There will be a **modest fee of 30 Euros** to contribute to the highest quality of the programmatic activities. In exceptional cases the fee can be lifted.

Looking forward to hearing from you soon!

Best regards,

Piotr Uhma
President, European Institute Pro Futuro Europae