

The Starachowice commune has started the implementation of another international project called "Cities for YOUTH", co-financed by the European Union under the Erasmus + Program. This time we will focus on the exchange of good practices between various European countries in the field of youth policy and the development of soft skills among young people.



# CITIES FOR YOUTH

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The project is implemented in an international partnership, where the Starachowice Commune is the leader, and the partners are: the City of Santarem (Portugal), the City of Klaipeda (Lithuania), and two non-governmental organizations - the Institute of Research & Training on European Affairs IRTEA from Greece and ACD LaHoya from Spain.



Project activities include:

- 3 international project meetings on project coordination, youth policy, Youth City Councils, youth activities and non-formal education. The meetings will be attended by city authorities, officials, decision makers and young people.
- Training for young people in Spain in soft skills and generating ideas.

- Online work on a joint initiative of youth groups from partner countries that will promote social activity and non-formal education among young people.
- International Youth Initiative in Lithuania, presented jointly during the celebration of the European Capital of Youth in 2021 in Klaipeda.
- Development of publications and reports presenting the description of youth policies in various European countries and methods of non-formal education (Blended Mobility).