

Partner Information Form
Please complete **FULLY** all parts

Name of Organisation	Zift Organizasyon
PIC Number	946235874
Organization ID (OID)	E10093733
Full legal name (National language)	Zift Organizasyon
Full legal name (Latin characters)	Zift Organizasyon
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Type of organization ⁽¹ Choose only one from the below list)	Informal Youth Group
Public body yes/no	NO
Non profit yes/no	NO
Have you received any type of accreditation before submitting this application	NO

Newcomer organization [Yes/No] <i>(Note: newcomer is the organization that has less than two years EU presence or experience)</i>	
Less experienced organization [Yes/No]	
First time applicant [Yes/No]	

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BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

1. Please briefly present the organization.

Zift Organisation was established in 2009 under the leadership of two lawyers. Zift Organization has supported institutions, organizations and individuals interested in youth projects by providing training on project writing, project implementation process and reporting phases of youth projects. Zift Organization supported these communities interested in youth projects by providing training on project writing. Currently, we have 275 active and approximately 500 passive members in 7 different cities and universities.

Our organization that guides the communities studying with us, supported its communities regarding Erasmus Plus projects about education, health and sports, human rights, women's and children's rights, refugee rights, culture and arts, environment, society and entrepreneurship, personal development training and social awareness seminars.

Our organization aims to create the formation of a society that adopts lifelong learning and self-renewal as a principle, involves in sports and physical activities, sensitive to culture and art, respecting human rights, to serve the society equipped with these qualities.

Our organization is loyal to Mustafa Kemal Atatürk's principles and reforms, and works according to the founding purposes of the Republic of Turkey, secular, democratic, and productive. However, our organization continues its activities in order to contribute to the formation of a society that is sensitive to the problems of our country and the world and produces solutions for these problems.

Basic Values of Our Organization;

Continuous improvement,

- Reliance,
- Sustainability,
- Accountability,
- Political objectivity,
- Collaboration,
- Improvement of our nation,
- Improvement of the world's nations.

Our vision is to support active participation in the lifelong learning process, to integrate the healthy life philosophy into the lives of young people and to become a voluntary organization that aims to be the foundation of a healthy society.

Our general goal is to work on determining the education and learning needs of the society, to ensure all individuals especially young people to benefit from all opportunities, to complete basic education, and to raise personal awareness to show

sports are a means of refreshment and energy, to support the necessary skill acquisition, to develop and implement training programs for improving people's mind, concentration, reduce their stress and depression with projects based on sport and health.

Apart from our foundation objectives, another goals that will support our development are as follows;

1. Conducting scientific research within the scope of Lifelong Learning and encouraging young people in this direction,
2. Conducting professional needs determination studies for the education and learning needs about enhanced self-confidence and health of young people, children and women,
3. To develop training programs and awareness projects for every individual to adapt a lifestyle with engaging in a satisfying challenge that improves physical abilities,
4. To carry out activities that encourage individuals to be physically active for their mental health and reducing stress,
5. Preparing, managing and being a partner of projects based on education, health and sports, entrepreneurship, habits to live a longer and beautiful life, human rights and freedoms, environmental awareness and social awareness published on international and national platforms.
6. To support the development of youth work and non-formal education opportunities with sustainable studies,
7. To direct young people to increase their concentration with good sleep habits, healthy nutritions and sport activities,
8. To support cooperation and communication between youth groups living in different countries and cultures,
9. Act with the principle of social inclusion in combating prejudiced attitudes.

To sum up; the basic principle of Zift Organization is to prepare projects that will benefit the national and international society, to implement these projects, to provide trainings on this subject, to carry out awareness studies about the benefits of sports to life, to work on youth and to cooperate with people and organizations that create social awareness and to do these activities with volunteer individuals.

II. What are the activities and experience of your institution / organization in the fields related to this application?

Our organization has provided training with the lifelong learning principle and voluntary service understanding and has taken part as a supportive umbrella organization in many projects within the scope of Erasmus Plus. Our organization carries out many projects in order to raise the awareness of young people on issues such as the significance of sports in human life, healthy life, proper nutrition, first aid, diseases, correct sports methods, as well as raising young people in project writing and project management. Our organization guides many young people to acquire healthy nutrition,

sleep and exercise habits for the sake of their mood, mental concentration and self-esteem. In other words, the Zift organization plays the role of a guide.

- Our organization has been involved in and supported by more than 150 projects in the last 10 years.
- Our organization has developed international partnerships and networks by taking part in voluntary activities and Erasmus projects related to almost every global problem and social problem.
- Our organization has also participated in many seminars, conferences and workshops.
- Our organization, which aims to keep young people at the forefront in terms of Erasmus Plus projects, has organized project writing camps and encouraged young people on projects.
- Our organization, which supports host organizations in many projects and provides project management, has also helped to report projects when necessary.

Our Activities

We can define the activities of our organization under two headings as general activities and special activities.

The context specific activities of the organization

Our Erasmus Plus projects consist of the projects supported by the management of Zift Organization and the projects that our other organization SHAFT Youth Community participates in. We can show the following projects as an example to the educational projects of the host organizations we supported;

YEAR	PROJECT NAME	TOPIC
2011	THE IDENTITY DISC OF DEATH	HEALTH
2011	TIPS FOR HEALTHY LIFE	HEALTH
2013	GOODBYE CARBOHYDRATE, HELLO HEALTH!	HEALTHY NUTRITION
2013	OBESITY IS SIMPLY A SORROW!	OBESITY
2014	VIOSPORT	SPORTS AND HEALTH
2014	HEALTH FROM NATURE	HEALTHY LIFE AND NATURE
2014	NON-STOP RUNNING	HEALTHY LIFE AND SPORTS
2014	YOU ARE HEALTHY NOW BUT TOMORROW	HEALTHY LIFE
2015	FIT 4U	HEALTHY LIFE
2016	FIRST STEP FIRST AID	FIRST AID
2016	FATALITY	OBESITY
2016	BIKE TO LIFE	BIKE AND HEALTHY LIFE
2016	LOVE YOURSELF	HEALTHY LIFE
2016	SPORTS FOR PEACE	SPORTS AND HEALTHY LIFE
2017	LIFE IS A BEAUTIFUL SPORT!	SPORTS AND HEALTH
2017	OBESITY IS A HUGE PROBLEM	OBESITY
2017	MOVE FOR HEALTH!	HEALTHY LIFE
2017	FAST FOOD CAN BE LAST FOOD	HEALTHY NUTRITION

2017	BRAIN ON	ALZEHEIMER
2018	DIABETES MELLITUS; NOTICED AND MOVE	DIABETES
2018	OBESITY; A GROWING EPIDEMIC	OBESITY
2019	DON'T CONTINUE SMOK-ING	HARMS OF CIGARETTE

In addition to Erasmus Plus projects, we attended various activities;

- In October 2018, our organization members participated in the march, which was organized by Esenyurt Municipality in Istanbul with the aim of paying attention to healthy and active life with the participation of 20 thousand people.
- On September 22, 2019, our organization members participated in the walking and cycling activity within the scope of the European Mobility Week organized by the Kahramanmaraş Metropolitan Municipality.
- 3 of our organization members attended the 2nd International Healthy Nutrition Congress held at The Ankara Hotel on October 10-12, 2019.
- A group of our members participated in the Nutrition and Dietetics Congress organized by Etkin Campus in Ankara Anemon Hotel on 20 October 2019.

The general activities of the organization related to Erasmus Plus;

- Project Writing Camps;
Our organization organized various youth and project writing camps between 2013-2015. These camps are as follows in terms of their dates and locations:
 - 22/27 August 2013-Kuşadası, Aydın, TURKEY-Number of Participants: 30
 - 31 Jan/ 6 Feb 2014 - İzmir, TURKEY - Number of Participants: 26
 - 3/8 August 2014 - Kuşadası, Aydın, TURKEY - Number of Participants: 28
 - 9/14 August 2014 - Kuşadası, Aydın, TURKEY -Number of Participants: 32
 - 5/9 Feb 2015 - Pamukkale, Denizli, TURKEY - Number of Participants: 28
- 98 school principals were trained on KA1 projects by our key personnel Barış BAYTOK through the Sakarya-Serdivan National Education Directorate. In this training, the achievements of Erasmus Plus for young people were mentioned.
- On May 11, 2016, 57 students were given KA1 project writing training by Barış BAYTOK, the key staff of our organization, at Bilkent University.
- Our key staff, Barış BAYTOK, provided training to a student community on "Erasmus, Sustainable Activities and Volunteering Studies" at Osmangazi University.
- A training on "Youthpass Competencies and Erasmus Plus Gains" was given by our key personnel at Istanbul Aydın University.
- A training on "EU Grant Supports and Erasmus Plus Projects" was given by our key staff at Istanbul Medipol University.

III. What are the skills and expertise of the key staff / persons for this application?

1. **Our first key staff, Barış BAYTOK**, graduated from Çanakkale 18 Mart University, Faculty of Education, Department of English Language Teaching. After working as an English teacher under the Ministry of National Education for a certain period of time, he graduated from the Faculty of Law and resigned from his teaching position. He is still working as a lawyer in Ankara.

Our key personnel has been the founding member and leader of the Barış Scout Community at Çanakkale 18 Mart University for 5 years. He has supported the recognition of scouting in Çanakkale with other leaders by contributing to the training of numerous scout leaders. The development of our key personnel in the field of scouting brings the leadership feature to the fore.

Our key staff worked as a table tennis referee during his teaching years, and played volleyball as a licensed player in his high school years. His interest in sports activities enabled him to be coordinated and disciplined in team games. In addition, Barış BAYTOK directs all community members to donate blood to the Red Crescent every year.

Our key staff's advanced knowledge of the English language significantly enables him to be effective in the dialogues with foreign participants in the projects they manage.

Moreover, our key staff has managed 144 projects in Turkey since 2009 and has participated in more than 50 projects abroad. Some of the projects he participated in abroad can be listed as follows;

2018	NATURE ON
2018	THE MAZE
2018	GENDER IN FAIRY TALE
2019	ANTI OBESITY MOVEMENT
2019	RECYCLING ART IN CONSUMING WORLD
2019	ANTI-DEATHRESSANT
2019	REDUCE FOOD WASTE
2019	HORMONE WORLD
2019	CHILDREN OF HEAVEN

Certificates:

In personal development field:

- Turkey Scouting Federation Leadership Training Certification
- Sakarya National Education Directorate Computer Aided Education Certificate

- National Education Chess Instructor Certificate

In professional development field:

- Ankara Bar Association CCP Foreigners List Practices Training
- Ankara Bar Association AVSA Law and Internship Academy Certificate of Concordat Commissioner
- Turkey Bar Association CCP Training Seminar on Vocational Training Certification
- Ankara Bar Association AVSA Advocacy and Internship Academy Legal Aid Training Seminar Certificate
- TOBB Etü University Mediator Training Certificate
- Atılım University Mediation Training Seminar Certificate

2. Our second key staff, Ertan DERİN, graduated from Çanakkale 18 Mart University like Barış BAYTOK, who we mentioned above, worked as a teacher and resigned from his profession and started his lawyer career. However, Ertan Derin's field is not English Teaching, his profession is Computer Teaching. Ertan Derin also participated in all the activities we mentioned for Barış Baytok, as our two key personnel studied the university together and became very close friends. He will play an important role in the management of our projects with the training he received in his teaching career.

Our key staff who is interested in scuba diving have improved his coordination skills thanks to this activity. Our key staff wants to support the orientation of young people to sports by keeping the concepts of health, sports and hobbies together. In addition, he worked as a weightlifting referee during his teaching years and reached the status of National Referee.

Certificates:

In personal development field:

- *Turkey Scouting Federation leadership training
- *Weightlifting Referee Training
- *Weightlifting National Referee Training
- *Turkish Aeronautical Association Free Flight Guide Teacher

In professional development field:

*Turkey Union of Bar Associations of the CCP on Vocational Education Training Seminar

*Intel Tutor Program

*Intel Expert Trainer

3. Our third key staff member, Nuri Bilirgen, completed his high school education in Istanbul Vefa High School. Afterwards, he studied Mechanical Engineering at the University of Osnabrück (Hochschule Osnabrück) in Germany. He still continues his education in the Department of German Language Teaching at Istanbul University.

Our key staff mentored foreign students during his student years abroad and took part in orientation studies. Thus, he will support the participants who are foreign to each other and the project city they are in, in the process of getting used to the project.

Our key staff played table tennis professionally in the German 3rd League between 2008 and 2010 years. This sport branch has improved the coordination skills of him. These skills aim for our key staff to act in cooperation with the participants in the projects with the team spirit of sports activities.

Turkey and abroad has directed over 100 Erasmus Plus KA1 projects and worked as a trainer. He coordinated these projects and managed the training contents.

Certificates:

Germany – Braunschweig Fire department: Emergency response Certificate

Germany – Osnabrück University: First Aid Certificate

Catia 3D and Solid Works drawing programs certificates

Youthpass certificates obtained from over 100 Erasmus+ projects that he participated in and managed