
**Report of
YEE Member Organisations Officer 2015-2016
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Dear Colleagues,

This is my first mandate as Member Organisations Officer and the first year of my involvement with Youth and Environment Europe. I started like a complete rookie, but now, after almost a year on the position I learned quite a lot about how YEE functions.

But, let us start from the beginning. I was elected on AM 2015 where I had the opportunity to meet with previous MOs Officers and hear what have they done until now. After coming home, I started to learn more about my tasks and responsibilities. Here I had help from previous MOs Officer, Lira Hakani. After the welcoming phase, I discussed my Work Plan 2015/2016 with Chairperson and Secretariat. This helped me tremendously to see what are important points in being in the Board.

I realized that my role is to support the Secretariat in their work while respecting YEE values.

My first task on the position was informing new MO about its opportunities, responsibilities and rights in YEE by providing them with the corresponding excerpts from the Statutes, Rules of Procedure and Policies. Also, I continued the work from Lira with updating the MO database. Here I got a good feedback, however the database is still not finished. I tried to have a regular communication with the Board and Secretariat and to be active in BMs. I was working on "Training for Trainers: Train for Future" that was applied on 2nd February to the Erasmus+. Unfortunately, project went to the reserve list. I was trying to coordinate the HR Policy Work group – we had a shared folder and email with our WG ideas on how to construct the Policy – but we moved with baby steps. We couldn't make the document due to my illness. Once I got back, everyone else were too busy to continue working on this. However, I still think that this would be a good thing for YEE and I would support and help with it in future.

This year was challenging but your support helped me grow. I'll be forever grateful for everything that I learned from YEE.

If you'll need additional information, I'll be at your disposal.

Best regards,
Marieta Baričević