

This is the First Newsletter of the Let it hAPYN! project

[View this email in your browser](#)

# Let it hAPYN



This action arises from the project "Let it hAPYN" which has received funding from the European Union in the framework of the Health Programme.



The Let it hAPYN project is a direct outcome of consultations with young people across Europe and the scientific community call for more evidence-based interventions in the youth sector across the Old continent. Together with STAP, Eurocare and Utrip, APYN is leading the project to empower young people to become better researchers, advocates and project leaders on alcohol and youth. Read more about the project and the recent developments [here](#).



After a successful Kick-off Meeting among Associated partners of the project in Luxembourg, the youth organizations as collaborating partners met in Bursa, Turkey to get the glimpse of the upcoming work in the Let it hAPYN program. The Turks have proven again to be excellent hosts, also by putting up amazing social programme and assuring visibility of the project at the local level including a national policy consultation on alcohol consumption and an amazing cultural performance. [More about the happening](#)

# Welcome to Let it hAPYN!

## A foreword about the APYN president and project leader, Jan Pelozá



Dear members, partners and other APYN supporters,

We are very happy to announce that the European Commission has identified our actions in the last years as promising and therefore decided to support the Let it hAPYN! project, which will assure capacity building for over hundred youth organizations that are currently working on alcohol and alcohol-related topics across Europe. APYN was established in 2011 as an outcome of a European Commission supported project with the same name and co-funded by the Alliance House Foundation. Also with the help of the current project, APYN is becoming the representative of youth organizations that work on prevention or reduction of alcohol related harm in Europe. Also without the help of Eurocare, IOGT International, Actis and the European Youth Forum, that were present in the first non-yet-established years, this wouldn't be possible nowadays, so a big Thank you goes also to them!

We are looking forward to the next three years with big hopes and expectations and believe that also with our help the youth landscape on alcohol-related harm projects in three years will change to the better. Thanks also to you, dear reader, for supporting us grow, leaving us time to do so and believing in us!

Hope to see you all on Let it hAPYN upcoming events!

**Join the Alcohol Policy Youth Network!**



APYNetwork



APYN.org



APYN.org



info@apyn.org

*Copyright © 2013 Alcohol Policy Youth Network, All rights reserved.*

This newsletter was possible due to the European Commission Funding under the Health 2.0. Programme

**Our mailing address is:**  
info@apyn.org

[unsubscribe from this list](#) [update subscription preferences](#)