



EYES - WHO WE ARE

EYES arose from the European YPSSI network- Young People and Science in Society Issues. YPSSI is an open network formed in 2009 that unifies many organisations and institutions involved in the participation and empowerment of young people in the building of a European knowledge-based society. In 2011 young people began to take on a more independent role in building a space for empowerment and freedom of expression, resulting in the creation of EYES.

EYES IS

A network of young European citizens pursuing active self-empowerment in order to become actors

A space and a process to promote self-reliant action by and for young people

An open and permanent network by and for young citizens in Europe organizing by itself the training and support needed to achieve its goals (trainings, seminars, meetings, street action, campaigns ...)

A tool that gives us the opportunity to share experiences, ideas and propositions of actions in order to act at global, European, national and local level

A network connected to many other organizations all across the world

WHY EYES?

Because youth is probably the first resource European societies are wasting and in order to change this we, young citizens of Europe, need to take our future in our hands

Because we see the European crisis as not only economic, but also social, political, environmental, educational, and last but not least as a crisis of European identity

Because we want to be actors rather than spectators of our time; we want to be part of the decisions and actions that affect our lives and society as a whole

Because we have understood that alone, we cannot do anything

OUR ACTIVITIES

Numerous camps have been held in France, Greece, Romania to connect European youths across many themes such as water, over consumption, recycling and sustainability from 2009 until today.

We presented ourselves at the World Water Forum and the Alternative World Water Forum in Marseille 2012.

We represented the voice of EYES at the People's Summit for Social and Ecological Justice that was held in parallel to the UN Rio+20 Rio de Janeiro 2012.

We will represent EYES and the EuroPie project at the World Social Forum in Tunisia, March 2013.

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