



## MIND THE GAP

### The added value of International volunteering to Youth employability in Europe

#### *Round table*

Rome, 15<sup>th</sup> February 2018  
*Casa Ospitalità Bakita*  
*Via della Stazione di Ottavia, 70 \_ Roma*

Is international volunteering a learning experience to young people? Which are the competences they acquire through an international volunteering experience, such as the Civic Service, the European Voluntary Service, the EUAVI, ... ? Could these experiences enhance Youth employability in modern days? Which contribution former volunteers could bring to the labour market? How about the role of youth workers in this process?

**70 youth workers** from Italy, France and Portugal will meet for **5 days training** in Rome on “**Soft Skills competences in International Youth Volunteering**” in the frame of an ERASMUS Plus Innovation project, titled *EaSY - Evaluate Soft skills in international Youth volunteering*. On **15th February 2018, from 9:30 to 13:00**, FOCSIV is promoting the Roundtable “**MIND THE GAP - The added value of International volunteering to Youth employability in Europe**”, to discuss on the social and economic added value of non formal experiences, namely international volunteering, to youth employability in Europe.

List of the relevant speakers:

- **Mr. Calogero Mauceri** - Head, *Department of Youth and Civic Service - Presidency of the council of the ministers\_ Italian Government*
- **Mr. Giacomo D'Arrigo** - Director, *Agenzia Nazionale per i Giovani*
- **Ms. Giuseppina Tucci** - Steering committee member, *Lifelong Learning Platform*
- **Mr. François Grolier** - Coordinator, *Forum des Acteurs et des Initiatives de Valorisation des Engagements FAIVE - France Volontaires*
- **Ms. Elena Marta** - Professor in Social Psychology and Community Psychology, *Università Cattolica Milano, Osservatorio Giovani - Istituto Toniolo*

*Moderator: Mr. Attilio Ascani, FOCSIV*