

## **INTERNAL DEVELOPMENT**

### **Strengthening cohesion inside the Organization**

- To ensure regular information flow between MOs with YEE being a platform for exchange of the latest news and developments;
- To aim at participation of MOs in activities of one another;
- To have at least one capacity-building annual event aimed at strengthening ties between MOs, building new partnership and planning future activities;
- To provide newly accepted MOs with all the necessary information and other assistance in order to help them get quickly involved in the Federation's activities.

### **Maintaining continuity and handover of knowledge and expertise**

- To create a pool of experts composed of people who have been actively involved with YEE in the past;

### **Strengthening cohesion inside the Executive Board**

- The Executive Board shall be looking for new efficient ways of keeping in touch and updating each other on the ongoing and forthcoming activities;
- There shall be made maximum use of currently existing communication tools, such as Skype, e-mail, shared documents, Dropbox etc.

### **Strengthening cohesion between the Executive Board and the Secretariat**

- To ensure a smooth and efficient cooperation between the Executive Board and the Secretariat, where both share responsibility on implementation of a work plan and assist each other when needed;

### **Smooth change of the Executive Board**

- To ensure smooth transition and transfer of knowledge from a previous to a newly elected Executive Board, as well as sufficient training to the latter.

### **Financial stability**

- To look for alternative sources of funding apart from the European Youth Foundation and European Commission grants, including private donors, business sector, embassies, YEE seniors etc.

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## **Publications**

- To encourage MOs to actively contribute to contents of YEE publications;
- To have current YEE studying materials e.g. booklets translated into as many as possible languages of MOs;
- To look for additional channels of dissemination of YEE publications apart from those already in use, as well as for additional tools of YEE promotion.

## **EXTERNAL DEVELOPMENT**

### **Making YEE a stronger organization in the international arena**

- To look for possibilities of getting involved in political discussions relevant to the topic of environment on a high political level.

### **To benefit from YEE membership in partner organizations**

- To make maximum use of holding membership in the European Environmental Bureau, European Youth Forum and Taiga Rescue Network;
- To explore YEE capacity of being involved in activities of other similar organizations on the international level.

### **To increase external representation capacity of YEE**

- To create a functional pool of representatives actively assisting an External Relations Officer in carrying out his/her functions;
- To encourage MOs to share with the Executive Board and the Secretariat information in regard to external events taking place in their country and to represent YEE there when possible;
- To have people appointed by the GA to follow separate priority topics or/and organizations next to an External Relations Officer.

### **Impact on environment**

- To modify the existing policies with the view of decreasing the impact on environment caused by YEE projects and other meetings;
- To look for other ways of dropping the negative effect evoked by YEE activities.

### **Building partnership**

- To look for opportunities of building partnership with organizations concerned with the topic of environment with the view of getting those organizations involved in YEE activities;
- To look for active environmental organizations that might potentially be interested in joining YEE.