# WOmentorship for Dialogue

>>> September - December 2019

The OSCE Dialogue Academy for Young Women\* alumnae project



## What is the WOmentorship for Dialogue programme?

The OSCE Dialogue Academy for Young Women (DA) alumnae have united with the goal of sharing their knowledge and experiences with young women from Prishtinë/Priština and Belgrade through Womentorship for Dialogue programme, so that they can become agents of social change in their communities, and enhance their professional and personal skills through a mentorship programme based on peer learning and dialogue.

#### How does it work?

The program will match mentors and mentees from Prishtinë/Priština and Belgrade based on shared interests and skills. Each mentoring pair will follow individually established framework and a curriculum for their mentoring relationship, supported by resources focusing on gender equality, leadership, dialogue and a set of practical skills chosen by mentors. All materials will be available in Albanian and Serbian, in addition to English.

#### When and where?

The programme will start in September with the first meeting of all mentors and mentees on 27-29 September in Niš. Mentor to mentee meetings will take place from September to November via Skype or in person, depending on location of mentoring pairs. The second meeting of all mentors and mentees will take place in late December in Prishtinë/Priština, where results of the programme will be presented.

#### Who should apply?

Girls who are in high school and are between 16-18 years of age, and who live in areas covered by the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe (OSCE) Mission in Kosovo and OSCE Mission to Serbia are eligible to apply.

### How to apply?

Interested candidates should fill out the application form in English (Albanian/Serbian) and send it to the email address dialogueacademy@osce.org by 13 September 2019. The application form can be found on the OSCE Mission in Kosovo website. The OSCE Mission in Kosovo will cover all costs of meetings during the programme.

<sup>\*</sup>The OSCE Dialogue Academy for Young Women is a 10 day academy taking place annually since 2015 under the auspices of the "Follow Us" Initiative, bringing together young women from Prishtiné/Pristina and Belgrade over the topics of dialogue, confidence building, leadership and women empowerment.



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### Application form<sup>1</sup>

Name and Surname:	
Date of birth:	
Place of residence:	
Community (optional):	
High school:	
High school grade (starting in academic year 2019/20):	
E-mail:	
Phone number:	
Native language:	
Indicate level of proficiency in English:	☐ fluent ☐ intermediate ☐ basic <sup>2</sup>
Please provide a short paragraph on your motivation to apply to the WOmentorship for Dialogue programme and what do you expect to gain from it?	
Opposite you will find a list of skills that our mentors will share with you during the WOmentorship for Dialogue programme.  Please choose a maximum of 4 skills you would be interested to gain:	☐ Increasing self-awareness for gender equality; ☐ Public speaking; ☐ Basics of research, analysis and writing of policy papers; ☐ Basics of project management; ☐ Responsible usage of social media and critical thinking; ☐ Critical thinking and argumentation; ☐ How to write a CV and motivation letter; ☐ Writing journalism articles; ☐ Time management.

<sup>1</sup> Please note that data from this application form will be processed only for the purpose of WOmentorship for Dialogue selection process.

<sup>2</sup> Please note that the level of your English language proficiency will be taken into consideration during the process of composing mentoring pairs.