



Invitation - YEN Hybrid Extraordinary General Assembly 2021

9 October 2021

Dear YEN Member Organisations, dear Supporting Members,
Dear Friends!

The Board of the Youth of European Nationalities is pleased to invite you to an **Extraordinary General Assembly** in accordance with paragraphs 10.2 and 10.3 of the Statutes of YEN which will take place **on 6 November 2021 starting at 9.30 am**.

Due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic and the varying restrictions in place around Europe, the Extraordinary General Assembly will take a **hybrid form**: attendance will be possible both online and in-person in **Lorient, Brittany (France)**.

Along with this invitation we send you in the attachments the draft Agenda and the Decisions List of the General Assembly held in May 2021.

The reason for calling an Extraordinary General Assembly is the election of two Board positions, which remained vacant after the General Assembly in May 2021. Following Board positions are to be elected: **Vice-President for External Relations** and **Convenor for Member Integration**.

To continue the effective and successful work of YEN, the Board needs to be complete and we ask you to address these positions in your organisations and to motivate potential candidates for these positions. Please check the whole [election procedure](#) on our platform dedicated for the Extraordinary General Assembly.

The **registration of delegates is open until 31 October**. Every Member Organisation can nominate up to three official delegates using this [form](#). All the votes of one ordinary Member Organisation should be held by one delegate, the two others will have the status as extra delegates. If an ordinary Member Organization cannot participate at the Extraordinary GA, please consider that according to the Rules of Procedure section D.5, for minorities who are represented by more than one organisation within YEN, the organisation is permitted to **transfer the votes** to the other organisation from the same minority who is able to attend and to vote on its behalf using this [form](#).

Whether you participate online or physically in Lorient, speaking rights will be ensured for all attendees and we encourage you to be active during the Extraordinary General Assembly. In addition, we urge every Member Organisation that wishes the General Assembly to adopt a resolution, to send it to office@yeni.org prior to the Extraordinary GA, until 31 October. By adopting a resolution, you can raise awareness of issues relevant



to your minority or organisation and give YEN the opportunity to disseminate/strengthen that position at the European level.

A file with the necessary documents will be distributed to all YEN Member Organisations and registered delegates prior to the Extraordinary General Assembly. For any further information, we have created a [website](#) regarding the Extraordinary GA with all necessary information that will be updated regularly. Go and have a look - all the information and candidatures for the two Board positions will be presented on this site!

It will be our great pleasure to welcome you all at the Extraordinary General Assembly 2021. If you have any questions regarding registering your delegates, the open board positions or anything else, please contact the Board (board@yeni.org) or the Office (office@yeni.org) directly.

Best wishes,

Andor Barabás
President

On behalf of the Board.

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