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How can YOU contribute in developing the young institutionalized people from Romania? To answer to this question I invite you to look over this report which put in the spotlight all the projects and activities done by our association in 2014.

I thank to the DVT Team for all the efforts in achieving the mission of our association. A great respect I have for all the supporters, donors and DVT partners without which we could not have results this year.


For us, the challenge for 2015 remains the establishment of the Youth Center EDFOR-SO – Education, Formation, Society.

Enjoy!

With open heart and warm,

PREȘEDINTE
Visinel Balan

I. CAMPANII DESFĂȘURATE:

 2% Campaign: Campaign image with soprano Felicia Filip;



During the “2% Campaign”, Felicia Filip Soprano supported us strongly and showed great dedication. With Mrs. Filip’s support we prepared a video which was launched on online media in order to raise awareness amongst the public in order to stimulate them to contribute 2% of

their annual income to the new Youth Center EDFORSO – Education, Formation, Society. Because of this campaign we managed to collect almost 100 standard 2% forms and 5.000 RON donated by SC Inkorporate Print SRL.

 Launch of the donation website “Tinerii Viitorului”

“We draw your future” association launched the donation website YOUTH CENTER EDFORSO, which can be accessed on the following link www.edforso.ro.



EDFORSO participation on the crow funding platform “Bursa Binelui”:

EDFORSO (Education, Formation, Society) youth center is:

- a pilot project of “We draw your future” association;
- a day center for advice;
- an educational, recreation and social center which works on a voluntary basis;
- a center that assumes or claims the mission of providing a structural framework (secure area)
- a center which through its programs and activities done so far lets young institutionalized people between 14 to 26 years old benefit of the workshops for independent life skills development; Also for young people without a permanent residence/less privileged young people.



Be Santa Claus for a child who lives in a shelter:


Between November 14th and December 24th 2014, “We draw your future” association held the “Be Santa Claus for a child who lives in a shelter” holiday campaign. Through this campaign, the foundation wanted to collect candies and toys as many as possible for all children and young people

institutionalized in Bucharest.

During this campaign, almost 360 institutionalized children from Bucharest, 26 families from Giurgiu, Bacau, and Ialomita benefit from the presents offered by BCR – coordinator Irma Marasescu and Oana Stoian, World Class – Simona Negrila Coordinator, therapist at World Class, Zaher Das, Victor Ionescu, SOTER & PARTNERS – Rodica Bivolaru, coordinator, Sara from Anchor of Hope, and many other which prefers to remain anonymous.




II. CONFERENCES AND TRAININGS

 Advocacy on local and central level, organized by “VOLUM” Federation;

On 26 and 27 July 2014, the “Advocacy on local and central level – challenges, solutions and examples of best practices” training took place.

The event brought 28 representatives together of non-governmental organizations who are part of the “Volum” foundation. Discussions on topics, such as what advocacy is, what is involved in an advocacy plan and ways of implementing an advocacy plan were held during the event.

The training was part of the “Volunteering catch VOLUM in Romania” project, financed by 2009-2014 “Granturile SEE”, in the NGO Fund from Romania and implemented by “Volum” foundation. The foundation was represented by Virgil Balan, Chairman of the Association.

 Contact-making event for the mobility of youth workers projects - POLONIA;

From 20 to 24 October 2014, the “We draw your future” association attended the “Contact-making event for the mobility of youth workers projects” training which was held in Konstancin,

Poland.

The “We draw your future” association was involved in the planning and development of two potential projects:

- A Youth workers mobility project in partnership with Lamek NGO (Armenia);
- A bilateral project having two shifts of youth as a main activity, in partnership with Yozgat Lifelong Learning Association (Turkey).

The association was represented by Mariann Arkosi, Manager of the Programs and Projects Department.



Recognition of competencies acquired through volunteering – “VOLUM” Federation;

The “Volum” Federation organized an international training on 22 October 2014 in Bucharest. The training was named “Recognition of competencies acquired through volunteering - European challenges and solutions”.

The five invited organizations are part of the CEV Network (European Center of Volunteering), in which the “Volum” federation is a full rights member.

During the training, 5 models were presented of volunteering skills certifications from 5 EU Member States in which such a system was already implemented.

This event is organized within the project “Volunteering Map in Romania”, financed by EEA Grants 2009-2014 within the NGO Fund in Romania. The foundation was represented by Ovidiu Tita, Secretary General, and Visinel Balan, Chairman of the Association.

Connection 2014;

The “We draw your future” association took part in the “Connection 2014” conference, it was the third edition organized by Impact Hub Bucharest with the help of Erste Foundation and Romanian Commercial Bank.

Connection” is an interaction place, designed with the purpose of creating and generating ideas which lead to interesting actions within more or less standard alliances.

The event took place in the village Bran, from 10 to 13 July 2014.

Our participation in this event was possible due to the success of winning the right to participate in the “Bursa Binelui’s” Final organized by the Romanian Commercial Bank.

The foundation was represented by Visinel Balan – Chairman of the Foundation.

Inauguration of the Regional Office of Francophonie International Organization for Central and Eastern Europe (OIF);

On 16 September, the “We draw your future” association participated in the inauguration ceremony of the Regional Office of Francophonie International Organization for Central and Eastern Europe. The event was attended by Clement Duhaime - Francophonie International Organization Administrator, Chantal Moreno – Regional Office Director of Francophonie International Organiza-

tion for Central and Eastern Europe, ambassadors, members of the Ambassador Group, members of the Francophone delegations and institutions, as well as diplomatic corps' members, public institutions representatives and non-governmental associations.

The foundation was represented by Ovidiu Tita – Secretary General and Visinel Balan – Chairman of the Foundation.



Summer School – Health, Sport and Recreation module realized by MTS;

Every year the non-formal education project Summer School is organized by the Programs and Projects Division for Youth and Students from the Minister of Youth and Sport. The project was financed through the support program of youth's actions: P2.

P2 is a program dedicated to youth and young people with ages between 18 and 35 years. This year, the project was held at Costinesti, from July 10th to September 2nd. The courses were organized in several thematic modules of seven days each.

Between 5 to 12 August, “We draw your future” association was represented by Ovidiu Tita – General Secretary and Visinel Balan – Chairman of the foundation at the Health, Sport and Recreation Module.


The purpose of this module was to promote a healthy life style among young people, to raise awareness and to improve the understanding of the benefits of physical exercise. The workshop lasted a week and was attend by 50 young people at national level.

 ANPCDEFP – organizational development through the “Erasmus Plus” program;

The “We draw your future” association attended the forming pilot course organized by ANPCDEFP together with National Network of Erasmus+ Trainers in order to support all the eligible organizations in the development process. The eligible organizations are the organizations eligible for the European Program of Financing Erasmus+.

The course mentioned above took place at Politehnica University Library during September 12 to 14.

The foundation was represented by Visinel Balan – Chairman of foundation.

 ANPCDEFP - Writing project in the context of the “Erasmus Plus” program;

During the course, the following topics were presented: working with Erasmus+ Program Guide and other relevant documents for the area in which the project is going to develop, identification of the needs the project should develop, planning of the learning activities, the organizational roles involved in projects, risk management, eligible costs and other relevant themes for writing and managing of an Erasmus+ Project.

The foundation was represented by Mariann Arkosi - Manager of the Program and Project Department.

III. PROJECTS:

 “My story” Conference – project supported by the Romanian Commercial Bank;



On 20 November, the first edition of the “My story” Conference took place at the Bucharest Student house. The event was organized by the “We draw your future” association and supported by Romanian Commercial Bank – BCR.

Almost 300 persons were present at the event including media representatives, public institutions representatives, civil society’s representatives, children and young people from orphanages and social apartments located in Bucharest, community members, foundation’s volunteers which are working

with children from orphanages, but also students of the Social Science Faculty who wanted to deepen their knowledge of the phenomenon.

The main purposes for the event organization were:

- increasing the self-esteem and self-confidence level among children and institutionalized young people who attended the event;
- community empowerment of those who shared, at some point in their life, the orphanage experience by encouraging them to claim for themselves the right of respect,
- increasing the awareness level among the community besides the specific challenges that this vulnerable group faces.



“White Angel” – recreational location – project sustained by the we draw your future donators;



Sunday 28 September 2014, at the headquarter of Children House “White Angel” the inauguration of the multifunctional recreational space took place. A space in which The donators of the “We draw your future” association also contributed in this space using the “Bursa Binelui” platform in the 2013 competition, a BCR project.

During the whole year, the “We draw your future” association organized activities with the children from “White Angel”. All this was possible due to the Theater and Movie club created by the foundation.

 “Teach me to learn” – project supported by Mega Image Fund for Community;



Between 1 January and 30 April 2014, the “We draw your future” association developed the “Teach me to learn” project, which was financed by Mega Image Fund for Community (managed by Bucharest Community Foundation).

In this project more than 100 people were involved out of which nearly 20 were volunteers.

The numbers of this project’s beneficiaries exceeded our expectations, the volunteers working with more than 50 children from the social apartment of Bucharest, Districts 3, 4 and 6.

We have managed to achieve hundreds of creative papers during the meetings with volunteers: paintings, inventions and compositions.

We collected all this creative work and showed it to the entire world at the end of the project, during the open exhibition from Easter, called “I like to do homework”.

This exhibition was open for public from 13 to 30 April, at the Metropolitan Library Ion Neculce, in Bucharest, district 3.


 “Theater workshops” – Cosoba Secondary School, self-financed;

Bimonthly, the “We draw your future” association organizes theater workshops in partnership with Number 1 Middle School, in Cosoba village, Giurgiu County. Following these workshops, an improvisation show will be organized starting from real situations. The show will be presented at the end of the school year.

 Internship Academy in collaboration with COFACE Romania;

In the project 8 young people are involved and four of them are being taking care of by the General Division of Social Assistance and Child Protection – District 1 and four of them are students at “Sf Sava” National College.

During 5 months, they had the chance to participate in different sessions of workshops, interactive trainings and mentoring & coaching sessions. The project had the purpose to support and motivate young people so that they can continue to study and to finish their university studies.

 “We draw your future” in non-formal education – project supported by the European Commission;

The DVTEN project brought 12 young people from high schools together, both children from


an environment almost without a chance to live and young people from regular families, civil society members, but also employees of the General Division of Social Assistance and Child Protection from Bucharest.

We wanted to facilitate an exchange of ideas and experiences by putting the accent on the multiperspectivity concept, so that we manage to create efficient communication channels through all involves parties.


Shorts films made in the DVTEN want to give them an artistic way of empowerment and to accomplish the creation of a framework of fair social dialogue. They offer everyone involved in the project the necessary tools to make them be heard The public protection of shorts films offered 3 distinct visions, which were the basis and the starting point for a debate between NOGs, General Division of Social Assistance and Child Protection from Bucharest with the general public who attended the event.



IV. STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT:

 To pilot the ‘Voluntary certificate’ – activity organized by “Volum” Federation;


From November 2014 to May 2015, “Volum” federation aims to implement a new evaluation system of the skills acquired through volunteering. 100 NOGs and public institutions from Romania, in which the “We draw your future” association also takes part, will pilot the “volunteering certificate” proposed by the National Working Group, which is managed by “Volum” federation. The theme for obtaining the certificate is “Certification of the Experience”.

 Partnership “ People’s Lawyer related with Government Emergency Ordinance no. 48/2014”;

Our association has started a collaboration protocol regarding the implementation of “Preventing the Torture Mechanism”, recently established within the Lawyer’s People , through Government Emergency Ordinance no. 48/2014.

In this regard, the NGOs will be involved in the prevention process of the abuses of people who are in institutions without freedom such as orphanages, residential centers for adults with disabilities or psychiatric hospitals and prisons.

V. INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS:

 Turkey;



The first step to make your dreams come true – international exchange experience with young people in Balıkesir, Turkey.

“We draw your future” association sent 4 young people with ages between 18 and 28 years (out of which one was with minimum possibilities because he was coming from an orphanage) accompanied by a team leader, so that they can take part in the International Exchange Experience Project called “First step to make your dreams come true” which was held in Balıkesir, Turkey, between November 5 and 14.

“First step to make your dreams come true” was financed by the European Commission through Erasmus+ Program and was implemented by GESOGED in Balıkesir, Turkey.

VI. MEDIA COVERAGE, RECOGNITIONS, AWARDS;

The activities of the “We draw your future” association were taken over by more than 24 publications from our country and abroad.

We mention a few of the publishers that presented the foundations activities: The Guardian, “Ad-evarul” – Romanian Publication, “Gandul” – Romanian Publication, Agerpress, iqool, Crainicul, Jurnalul de Bucuresti, Café Gradiva, Rnews, 121.ro, amosnews, X-treme radio, Kanal D, PRO TV, Decat o revista, Digi 24, Mediafax, Al treilea Sector, Hotnews, Rasunetul, MediPedia, Realitatea TV, Ziare Live, Ziare.com, Antena 1 etc.

“We draw your future” association was nominated at the Volunteering Festivity 2014, for “Social for the Children House White Angel project” section, in which we established the multifunction recreational space and non-formal education.

Thank you for all your support showed to the “We draw your future” association.

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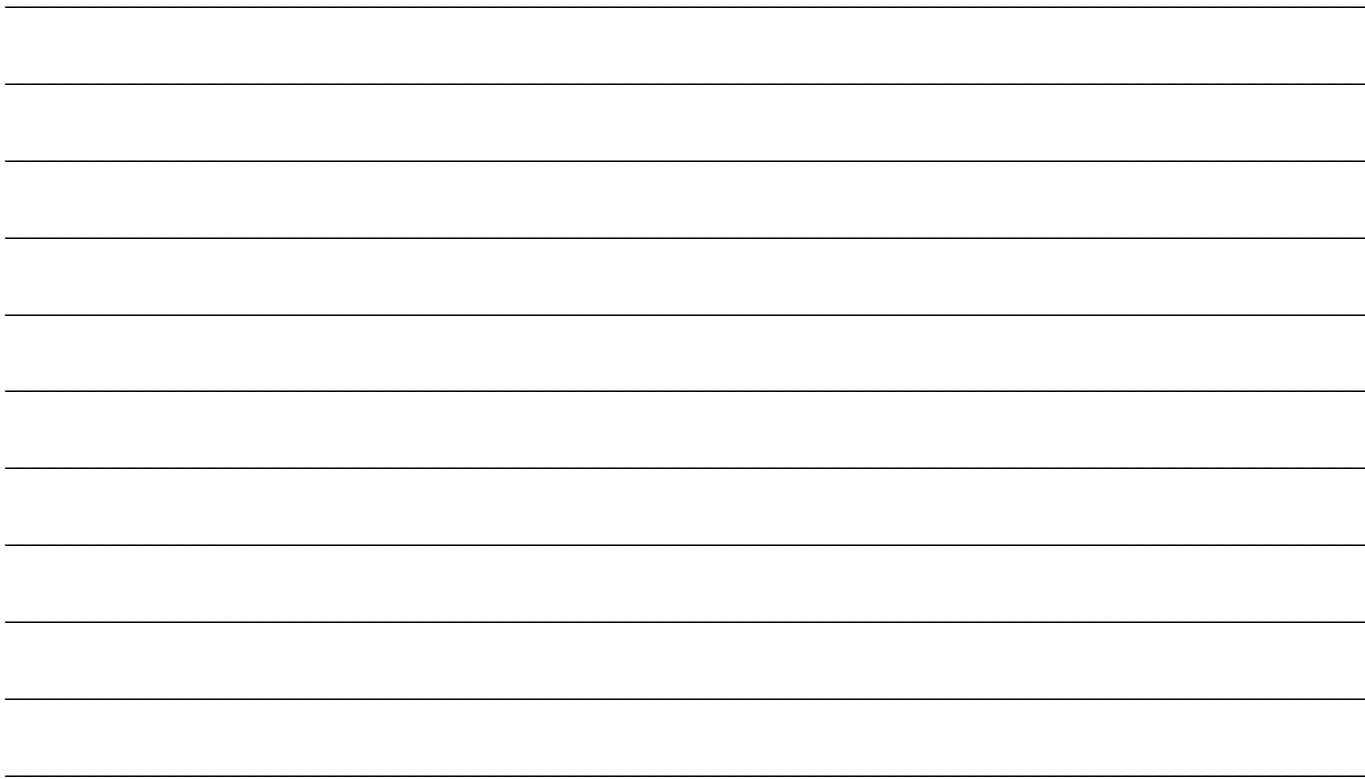
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