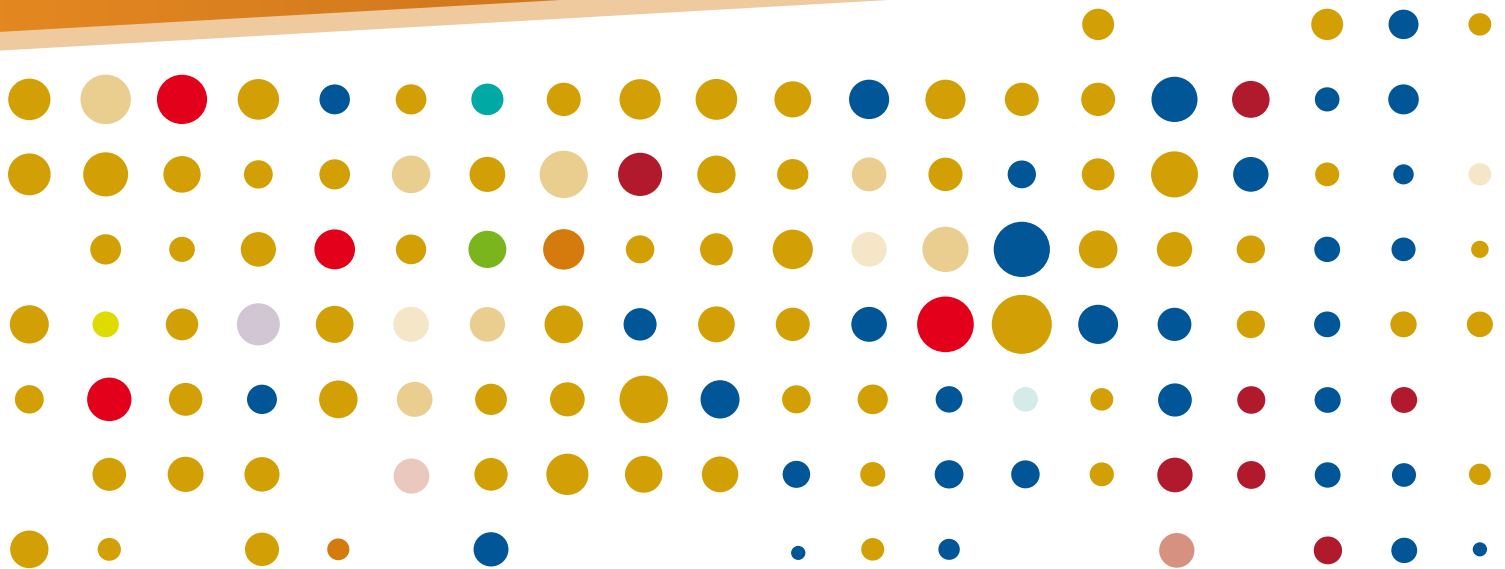


Youth at a Crossroads

CURRENT TRENDS AMONG CROATIAN YOUTH



Tuesday, 5 March 2019 at 11.00 am
Novinarski dom, Perkovčeva 2, Zagreb



How do young people in Croatia spend their free time? Which values are important to them? What do they want to achieve and what do they fear the most in life? How much do they trust the Government and the European Union, and how much responsibility are they willing to take themselves? And most importantly: do they see their future abroad or in Croatia?

These are some of the questions to which young Croatians responded in a brand new empirical **Youth Study Croatia 2018/2019** conducted by the Friedrich Ebert Foundation: in a representative sample 1,500 young people aged 14 to 29 were asked about their attitudes, expectations, and anxieties.

The study is the second youth study the Friedrich Ebert Foundation has conducted in Croatia (the first one was in 2012). It not only describes how youth in Croatia see their future, but also gives recommendations as to how the society at large should assist them and provide opportunities in Croatia. Interesting regional comparisons will be presented as the study is part of the Friedrich-Ebert Foundation's international youth research project, which involves 11 simultaneous studies in Southeast Europe: ten national studies plus a regional study.

We kindly invite you to the first presentation of the main findings of the **Youth Study Croatia 2018/2019**. Join us and share your opinion.

10:30	Registration & Welcome Coffee
11:00	Welcome: Türkan Karakurt , Director of Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung Zagreb Dr. Robert Klinke , German Ambassador to Croatia
11:10	YOUTH STUDY CROATIA 2018/2019: KEY FINDINGS AND KEY MESSAGES Prof. Vlasta Ilišin , Ph.D., research manager, Institute for Social Research in Zagreb
11:30	PANEL DISCUSSION: WHAT SHOULD POLITICS AND THE SOCIETY AT LARGE DO TO ASSIST THE YOUTH IN CROATIA? Josip Miličević , president, The Croatian Youth Network Sabina Glasovac , MP and Vice-president of the Education, Science and Culture Committee of the SABOR Prof. Vlasta Ilišin , Ph.D., research manager, Institute for Social Research in Zagreb Miran Lavrič , PhD, research manager of regional Youth Study, University of Maribor Moderator: Dora Kršul , journalist
13:00	End of the panel discussion

The conference will be conducted in Croatian and English. Simultaneous interpretation will be provided.