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**Project: OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES FOR TERTIARY EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM IN PROMOTING EVIDENCE-INFORMED GOOD GOVERNANCE SOCIETY (ACRONYM: ACTIVEGOVEDU)**

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# AGENDA

## *Learning module / Training in Advocacy*

### *MAY 10-11, 2016*

*This event is implemented within the framework of the Project “Opportunities and challenges for tertiary educational system in promoting evidence-informed good governance society - ActiveGovEdu”.*

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## Learning module/training in advocacy Venue

Timis County Youth Foundation

Str. Arieș, nr. 19, 300579, Timisoara, Timis County, Romania  
Timisoara Youth House/Casa Tineretului Timișoara

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## Description

In this event, participants will learn about advocacy, as a general principle that governs relations in democratically-lead systems and organizations, but also about the specific expressions of advocacy in higher education, youth work and the non-profit sector.

Advocacy in all its forms seeks to ensure that people, particularly those who are most vulnerable in society, are able to make their opinions heard and to defend their rights.

The objective of the training is to ensure the mission`s transparency and performance of higher education institutions, quality growth, governance improvement and diversification of funding sources and human rights. It also aims at fighting against school segregation, discrimination and other potential social risks.

## Learning module/training in advocacy Participants

A number of 40 Undergraduate students, Master students, PhD students and Youth have the possibility to learn about advocacy methods and practicing selfadvocacy.



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## General Programme:

### May 10, Tuesday

**9:30 - 9:50 Registration**

**Opening Session: 9:50 - 10:00**

**Lectures: 10:00 - 13:00**

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|---------------|--------------|
| 10:00 - 11:20 | Lecture      |
| 11:20 - 11:40 | Coffee Break |
| 11:40 - 13:00 | Lecture      |

**13:00 - 14:00 Lunch break**

**Lectures: 14:00 - 17:00**

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| 14:00 - 15:20 | Lecture      |
| 15:20 - 15:40 | Coffee Break |
| 15:40 - 17:00 | Lecture      |

### May 11, Wednesday

**Lectures: 9:00 - 13:30**

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| 9:00 - 10:20  | Lecture                       |
| 10:20 - 10:40 | Coffee Break                  |
| 10:40 - 12:00 | Lecture                       |
| 12:00 - 13:30 | Institution Visit and lecture |

**13:30 - 14:30 Lunch break**

**Applied Study Visits: 14:30 - 17:30**

*The number of participants is limited, so the general rule is first come, first served!*

**Registration for participation:** before 1 May 2016 by completing the registration form available [here](#) or the Registration available on the Learning module webpage at <http://www.activegovedu.proiecte-feaa.ro/events/learning-module-training-in-advocacy/registration/>.

