

Training for Members

Project Writing and Fundraising

Date: 15-17 February 2024 (*arrival on 15 February, departure on 17 February late afternoon*)

Location: Brussels, Belgium

This intensive 1.5-day training program on project writing and fundraising for anti-racist organizations is designed to **empower participants with the knowledge and skills necessary to drive meaningful change within their communities**. Through a comprehensive exploration of project writing essentials, participants will learn how to craft compelling narratives grounded in anti-racist principles. The activity will aim to go beyond traditional fundraising approaches, delving into community-centric strategies that prioritize inclusivity and engagement.

Participants will hopefully leave inspired and equipped to lead initiatives that not only secure funding but also meaningfully contribute to the broader goals of promoting diversity, equity, and justice within their organisations and society at large. The training underscores the importance of building strong and resilient organisations, emphasizing the role they play in sustaining impactful anti-racist efforts over the long term. Additionally, it highlights the **significance of diversifying funding sources to create resilient and strengthened organisations** that can adapt to changing landscapes and remain steadfast in their commitment to anti-racist goals.

We understand how crucial it is to also grasp the **basics of fundraising** as well as aim to explore **potential opportunities for EU funding** and using the knowledge in the room to share some potential local and regional resources. By sharing insights into diverse funding channels, the training aims to provide basic knowledge needed to empower and encourage organisations to continue exploring and applying for different financial support at various levels after the training.

The training won't cover every detail of project writing, project management, and fundraising. Instead, it serves as a starting point, offering essential information to build a strong foundation for organisations involved in the anti-racist movement.

Throughout the training we want to:

- Provide the participants with a foundational understanding of project writing, emphasizing key elements and best practices.
- Introduce basic concepts and techniques in project management, enabling participants to initiate and oversee anti-racist projects effectively.
- Familiarise the participants with essential principles of fundraising, including strategies for identifying, approaching, and securing financial support for anti-racist initiatives.

- Foster collaboration among participants, encouraging the sharing of experiences and insights on potential collaborative projects.

At the end of the course the participants should:

- Develop the ability to construct well-defined and impactful project proposals, incorporating anti-racist principles into their design.
- Enhance the skills needed to effectively plan, implement and monitor anti-racist projects, ensuring they meet objectives and deadlines.
- Acquire basic knowledge and skills necessary to identify potential funding sources, and successfully secure financial support.
- Establish connections within the anti-racist community, fostering a network of support and collaboration for future projects and initiatives.

Registration

Apply through Glue Up **till 10 January 2024**. Please get in touch with pia@enar-eu.org with any questions.

Registration is open for **one representative per organisation**. ENAR will cover the accommodation expenses and travel costs within Europe for that representative. Please make sure that the membership fee 2024 for your organisation is paid in order to participate in the training.

There is no participation fee for the event. However, please be aware that participants should purchase their own travel tickets and reimbursement will be done after the event and presentation of the original documents. **Please hold off on purchasing tickets until you receive confirmation of your participation.**

As ENAR we aim to ensure that financial constraints are not a barrier for your participation. Should you face difficulties in prepaying your ticket, kindly inform us as soon as you register. This way we can make the necessary arrangements in time. Please do not hesitate to contact Pia at pia@enar-eu.org and Irene at irene@enar-eu.org.

Code of Conduct

ENAR is dedicated to creating and protecting safer spaces for people, online and residentially. We strive to treat people with dignity, decency, and respect, and to build a community for everyone, free of intimidation, discrimination, or hostility — regardless of race, ethnicity, religion, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, nationality, origin, age, disability, or physical appearance. We do not tolerate harassment in any form. This Code of Conduct embodies our commitment to uphold these principles and outlines our expectations and our response. We also hope that this policy will promote values of equality, well-being, and respect, and will enable each

of us to contribute to an atmosphere of positive and constructive friendliness and safer and inclusive shared spaces.

By registering to this meeting, you confirm your agreement with ENAR's code of conduct at ENAR meetings and events. You can download the full document [HERE](#).

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