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Contacts between people



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**The winners of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum Working Group-4  
Photo Contest "Youth Creates Contacts between People!" are determined**

To the **Photo Contest "Youth Creates Contacts between People!"**, which was conducted in October-November 2015 in the framework of the priorities of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum (EaP CSF) Working Group 4, were submitted 94 photographs.

**SALTO Eastern Europe and Caucasus Resource Centre** (<http://www.salto-youth.net/eeca/>) is the partner of the contest.

**The main objectives of the competition were:**

- to promote contacts between people through presentation of youth project's experience of civil society organizations in EaP countries within the Youth in Action Programme (2007-2013), Eastern Partnership Youth Window (2012-2013) and Erasmus+ Programme (2014-2020);
- to raise visibility and awareness of the ERASMUS+ Youth opportunities in the field of youth for the Eastern Partnership countries;
- to promote non-formal learning approach and international youth cooperation with the Eastern Partnership countries.

Young people from Armenia, Belarus, Republic of Moldova and Ukraine who participated in youth projects with partners from EaP countries within the Youth in Action Programme (2007-2013), Eastern Partnership Youth Window (2012-2013) or Erasmus+ Programme (2014-2020) took part in the contest by presenting through their photos their experience in facilitating contacts between people.

The photos were published on FB group of the Working Group-4 of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum (<https://www.facebook.com/groups/525592474155838>) and made available for public voting.

By decision of the members of the selection committee, which consisted of representatives of the Working Group 4 of the EaP CSF and Resource Centre SALTO Eastern Europe and Caucasus, the winners of the contest were determined as follows:

**1st place:** Photo № 7 «FREEDOM» and photo №8 «TREE OF LIFE», author - Olesia Kurylo, Institute of Ukrainian Studies (IUS), Ukraine

**2nd place:** Photo № 86 «THE SAME», author - Khachatur Tovmasyan, Dreamshots.am, Armenia, Paweł Szczegryn, Foundation Window to the East, Poland

**3rd place:** Photo № 65 «TWO LITTLE GIRLS MAKE FLOWERS BY THEMSELVES AS A PRESENT FOR THEIR GRANDFATHER», author - Olena Sheremet, Youth NGO "ISKRA", Ukraine

**The Viewer Choice Award:** Photo № 51 «IN CHECKIN' GIRAFFE – A SOCIAL ENTERPRISE IN SCOTLAND», Diana Hrytsyshyna NGO Kreativ, Ukraine

The winners were awarded at the 7th Annual Assembly of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum in Kiev, and the best photos were presented at the photo exhibition during the Assembly held from 19 to 21 November 2015. The main prize of the Resource Centre SALTO Eastern Europe and Caucasus is the participation in an international youth event in 2016.

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