

YEFF! 2009 - FAQ's

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: When will we know that YEFF!2009 is really going to happen?

A: Before the 20th of may the National Agency in Stockholm will inform us,
And when we have sufficient funds we will inform each organisation!

SO DO NOT BUY OR RESERVE ANY TICKETS NOW!

Q: What means Yeff! and who organises YEFF!?

A: Yeff! is a bi-annual Young European Film Forum for Cultural Diversity
In 2009 YEFF! is happening in Sweden and organised by FilmCentrum-Väst
(FCV) together with the other Film Centrum organisations in sweden.
YEFF!2009 is under the supervision of the RAA, the international YEFF! coordinator
in Berlin.

YEFF! Gothenburg is unique just like YEFF!2007 in Paris or YEFF! 2005 in Berlin

Q: Where will we be in sweden in which town?

A: The first week we will be four groups in four different cities.

The last week we will be all together in the gothenburg area.

If you want to know where you are going the first week see the table below. .

Q: What is expected from the partner organisations and the participants?

- A:
- 1 – That we have received your partner III form by fax before the 30th of march 2009 and the original by mail to FCV before the 15th of april 2009.
 - 2 – You have informed us about the expected costs for door to door travel based on economy flights and public transportation for each of your participants.
 - 3 – That your organisation has forwarded your filmmaterial and TV-clips with either english spoken dialogue or with subtitles in english.
 - 4 – That your groupleader is either a mediatrainer or has mediaknowledge and can bring a little TV-camera and tapes.
 - 5 – Inform us as soon as possible about the details of your participating group
 - 6 – Send name and photo of each participant and copy of passport page with photo in order to prepare your visit and communicate with the visa authorities.
 - 7 - To prepare the theme from the City to which group you belong and make clips!

Q: What is expected from me as a young participant of a partnergroup?

A: That you have participated in the film(s) or the videoclips that your partner sends to FCV before the first of june 2009

Q: What is the participation fee or are there other costs?

A: The participation fee is symbolic 20 Euros for both weeks for each participant and each groupleader. 30% of the travelcost will have to be paid by all participants and leaders. However we and the partners should try to cover these costs by local funding and other applications!

Q: What is a TV- or Videocli?

A: In general, a communication or proclamation or a question with answer to a person, or a filmed observation.

In short: a clip that adds vital information to a film about a certain theme.

Q: From what year the Film has to be and on what format?

A: Produced and finished after the summer of 2007. **LABEL on all films with contact details!**

As format: DV, DVCam, DVC-pro, DVD-, DVD+, preferably on DV or DVCam.

DV and DVCam are the formats we edit in. Please do not use rewrite DVD's

Q: May we use music in the film?

A: No, all music is copyrighted and the project cannot pay the three types of copyrights:

- the right for using the music.
- the right to include the music in a film.
- the right to make a certain amount of copies of that film.

If there is music in your film it will not be possible to show it on TV or in a cinema. So you have to make the music yourselves or ask a band to play a "Live" song that is not already copyrighted..

Q: Whith how many youngsters can we come from each organisation?

A: One groupleader over 21 and four youngsters preferably between 18 and 25, at least not under 15 and with special accepted motivation up to 30.

We expect you to bring both male and female participants

Q: What language are we going to speak?

A: We expect each participant to be able to communicate fairly well in english!

Q: Film & videoclips, how many and how long?

A: Each participating organisation may bring 30 minutes of film.

Each participating organisation may bring not more than 10 videoclips of max 2 minutes each on the subject and the theme for their group. (see to wich city and what theme you are going to belong to)

Q: Do I need a visum, I am from a non EU-country?

A: If you are from outside the EU, you need a visum. In order to apply for a visa, you need an invitation from FCV, so ask your Organisation to contact us and send us all information and FCV will send your invitation directly with instructions to you.

You must already now send us the costs of the visum so that we can apply for that money in our application from the commission and pay you back during your stay.

Q: Can I bring a laptop and or a videocamera?

A: Yes you may, but remember that FilmCentrum cannot take any responsibility or has insurances for such equipment. You will have to take care of the equipment yourselves.

Themes for YEFF! 2009 in the regions:

UMEÅ = FilmCentrum Norr (NORTH) - **Xenophobia**

STHLM = FilmCentrum Stockholm - **Peace & European Citizenship**

GBG = FilmCentrum-Väst Göteborg - **Climate & Environment**

MALMÖ = FilmCentrum Syd (SOUTH) – - **Democracy & Tolerance**