



## 2nd National Selection Conference of EYP Denmark Horsens 2017 – Greener Together

### About the organisation:



**The European Youth Parliament (EYP)** is a unique **educational programme** which brings together young people from all over Europe to discuss current topics in a parliamentary setting. As a network of independent associations, EYP is present in 40 European countries and organises almost 600 events every year, summing up as almost 1.500 days of EYP activity every year, involving close to 35.000 participants. EYP is a non-profit organisation held alive by thousands of young volunteers all over Europe, making EYP a programme truly for young people, by young people.

The European Youth Parliament's mission is to inspire and empower young Europeans to become open-minded, tolerant and active citizens. You can read more about the association on the website <http://eyp.org/about/> and discover more with this short video: <https://vimeo.com/98538385>.

### Why Horsens:

Horsens is selected as a host city for the 2nd National Selection Conference (NSC) of EYP Denmark for several reasons. Seeing that Horsens is one of the fastest growing cities in Denmark, and that Aarhus is the European capital of culture this year, we want to partner up with both cities in this project. If you want to see what an event can look like, you are welcome to check out the Facebook page for our first big event [here](#), (hosted by Odense and SDU) and have a look at [this](#) reportage made by TV2 Fyn.



### The event:



We are volunteers chosen as Head-Organisers of this event, and have set the preliminary dates to be from 25th to the 29th of October this year. A NSC is a 4-day event that brings together in total around 120 young people, of which ca. 70 are young danes in their final years of gymnasium. The rest are set to be international officials from all over Europe, also volunteering students. The theme of the conference is "Greener together", and we wish to have a very high level of academic preparation also thanks to the cooperation with the Student Research Association of VIA University College.



**Thank you for your attention,**  
Best regards.  
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