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What is the EUSTORY Summit?

The EUSTORY Summit is an international youth history festival, taking place from 28 September to 02 October 2023 in Prague. It will bring together 100 young prize winners from national history competitions from Europe and beyond to discuss their shared past, present and future. Participants will work on different topics in simultaneous workshops organised in cooperation with partners from academia, the arts, politics, media and education. An additional cultural programme will ensure dialogue, international encounters and fun across the workshops.

Who can apply for the EUSTORY Summit 2023?

Prize winners and alumni from national history competitions of the EUSTORY Network are warmly invited to apply. But there will also be space for young people aged 16 to 26 from partner networks, and there may as well be a few places available for anyone enthusiastic about international exchange as well as history and identity in Europe and beyond.

Is there anything I need to consider if I am under 18 years old?

Yes. Workshop applicants born after 28 September 2005 need to hand in a Declaration of Consent signed by legal guardians. Please find the document [here](#).

How can I apply?

Please fill in the [application form](#) to apply. If you have any questions regarding the application procedure, please contact the Summit Coordination Team via eustory@labconcepts.de.

Can I apply for more than one workshop?

Yes, applying for more than one of the Summit workshops is possible and advisable. When filling in the [application form](#) online, you will be asked to give preferences and select the workshop of your first, second and third choice.

As the workshops overlap in time, you will only be able to participate in one of them.

How are the participants selected?

In cooperation with the workshop partners, we will select the most suitable candidates. How well you scored in your competition and your language proficiency is just as important as your motivation and your personality. We also try to select candidates representing a wide range of countries.

Am I covered by insurance during the Summit?

Körber-Stiftung will arrange and cover a medical travel insurance for all non-Czech participants. Additionally, we recommend all participants to individually take out insurances like liability protection, casualty insurance and a theft insurance for their luggage.

I have specific dietary needs. Will this be taken into consideration by the catering?

Yes, as a participant you have the opportunity to specify your dietary needs during the application process. The Summit Coordination Team will try to meet your needs and will contact you should this not be possible.

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Do I need to prepare for the Summit?

Your workshop moderator will get in touch with you prior to the Summit in early September, so you and your workshop group can start communicating regularly in your secure and closed off virtual classroom on the [EUSTORY History Campus](#). You might be asked to work (max 1 hour/week) on selected materials connected to your workshop topic, conduct some research in your home country and possibly bring other materials or equipment to the Summit. **This preparation is obligatory** and requires an account on the [EUSTORY History Campus](#) in due time.

What happens if I confirmed my participation, but I am not able to attend the Summit?

Once confirmed, your participation in the Summit is binding and your attendance is obligatory. A later cancellation will only be possible under certain circumstances, and we reserve the right to charge a cancellation fee of 100 € if we cannot fill your space (cf. [Terms and Conditions](#)).

How does the war in Ukraine affect the EUSTORY Summit 2023?

At the EUSTORY Summit 2023, we will not accept people who are supporting the Russian war in Ukraine. For decades, Körber-Stiftung and EUSTORY were and still are in close working relations with partners from civil society in [Ukraine](#) and in [Russian exile](#). Together they organise programmes for critical, future-orientated history and civic education.

Any questions left?

Please contact the Summit Coordination Team via eustory@labconcepts.de

Who will cover the costs of my participation?

Participation in the EUSTORY Next Generation Summit 2023 in Prague is free of charge. However, we will ask you to pay some travel expenses in advance, which will be fully reimbursed by the organiser, Körber-Stiftung, shortly after the event in Prague (see below).

The organiser will cover the costs of food and accommodation in Prague from the beginning of the event on 28 September until your departure on 02 October 2023. Breakfast, lunch, snacks, dinner and drinks will be provided during your stay. Meals taken during leisure time are to be paid by the participants themselves.

Körber-Stiftung will cover the costs of your outward and return journey between your nearest international airport, train or bus station and the Summit location in Prague. For ecological reasons, train or bus connections, if possible, should have priority to air travelling, and direct flight connections will be prioritised to connecting flights. We may ask you to arrange and cover the costs for local transport within your own country yourself. The Summit Coordination Team will contact all participants after their confirmation of their application to arrange the individual itineraries.

Please note: We will ask participants living in the Czech Republic and those whose costs for an outbound ticket to Prague are less than 150 €, to book the outbound journey individually and at their own expense, if possible. **The costs of the ticket will be fully reimbursed to the participant during or shortly after the event in Prague.** We introduced this measure to stress the binding nature of an accepted registration.