

**IPA- EU SUPPORT TO THE COORDINATION AND
IMPLEMENTATION OF BOSNIA AND
HERZEGOVINA'S NATIONAL YOUTH POLICY**



**SEMINAR
"EU YOUTH STRATEGY 2010-2018"**

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**YOUTH POLICY IN
POLAND**



Poland



Population:
38,501,000
Youth population:
22,4 %
Year of entry in the
EU/EC: 2004



Poland



- **No specific stand alone strategy** for young people in Poland
- youth policy is understood **in a very wide strategic meaning of the term**
- Awareness raised first time through a Youth Report in 2011
- Mainstreaming the issue of youth policy is missing yet!



Central Instrument



“National Strategy for Youth 2003-2012”

equal opportunities

conditions for development of own activities

Combating marginalization

Developing international cooperation

Education of the adults working with youth.

Building youth information system

Open Method of Coordination (OMC)



Central Instrument (II)



“Youth 2011” a part of the Strategy “POLAND 2030”

Analysis and recommendations on:

1. Youth, their aspirations and expectations,
2. demographic problems facing the country,
3. education,
4. labour market,
5. family life,
6. consumption,
7. leisure and presence in the public sphere of life,
8. health and social cohesion.



Actors



**Marshall Offices
(Regions)**

Higher Education, Social exclusion

**Other Ministries:
Science and Higher Edu.
Health
Labour and Social Policy
Sport and Tourism**

**Ministry of
National
Education**

**Youth and
NGOs
Department**

**Polish Federation of
Youth Organisations
(PROM)**



Budget



- No specific budget related to youth identified on central level.
- Budget mainly for Education, Employment, social exclusion and marginalization, Health (addressing youth)



European Dimension



- Youth in Action + Eurodesk
- Long-Term Policy for Volunteering Development in Poland 2011 (volunteering and youth information)
- Strategy for Development of Social Capital (volunteering and participation)
- Report "Youth 2011" (greater understanding and knowledge of youth)
- support to setting up Polish Federation of Youth Organisations (PRÓM)
- actions of Polish Presidency in the field of youth during the second half of year 2011 focused on the Youth and the World





Thank you for your attention!

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