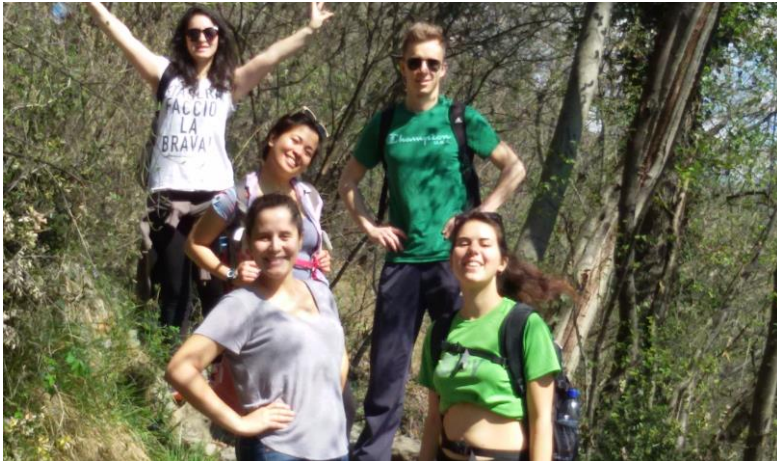




## INTERNATIONAL YOUTH CAMP- ITALY 2017



**...HEY!!! ARE YOU A YOUNG SERVAS MEMBER 18-30 YEARS OLD?  
ARE YOU READY FOR A SERVAS YOUTH SUMMER CAMP?**

- **WHERE? IN THE MOUNTAINS, IN BREMBANA VALLEY (BERGAMO, NORTHERN ITALY)**
- **WHEN? FROM 20 TO 27 AUGUST 2017**

### **SERVAS ITALY**

**with the collaboration of the SERVAS SPAIN YOUTH COMMITTEE are inviting you to the ALPI BERGAMASCHE (Alps near Bergamo) to take part to a self-managed summer camp!**

### **What does it mean “self-managed”?**

The young people that participate to the camp will be managing the camp in an independent way: from planning the indoor and outdoor activities and trekkings, until running the workshops; they will cook, tidy-up the summer camp house, and manage all the concrete aspects of the daily life; they are inviting other youngsters to hold workshops (also musicians). The Spanish Youth Team will bring their precious experience in the previous international Servas Summer Camps.

There is space for you, too! Do you want to give a hand? Do you have some skills to share? Or simply are you curious and want to take part to the experience? We are waiting for you.

## And... which are the themes of the Camp?

Well, just imagine a tree: the roots are the Servas ideals to build peace. And what about the leaves and the flowers? ...That is us!!!

- **The Human Rights Declaration** is the starting point... and being nowadays a Peacebuilder is the point of arrival;
- **to live in contact with the nature**, to get to know and respect nature (walking in the woods, trekking, riding a bike or a kayak, doing outdoor activities);
- **to get to know the local culture and the multi-cultures**: we will meet the locals and their history, the music (local and multi-cultural), we will cook, and also get to know more about the alpine realities in the territory (cheese factory, etc).



## Workshops and activities:

- Some Servas young people will be sharing with us their experience in volunteering in associations such as Amnesty International, Welcome Refugees, Libera (against mafia), Emergency, and others;
- Immigration: a problem or an opportunity? Multi-cultural music and dance and a workshop on how to make music with recycled material
- Mediterranean and multi-cultural cooking (let's learn how to prepare the local dumplings!)
- Theatrical improvisation, story telling, video and photos.
- Creativity and manual skills with environmental-friendly materials: stones, woods, flowers, paper...
- Trekking and tours on different levels (orienteering, stars and constellations, and more...), visit to cultural sites full of Italian history

The detailed programme with the day-by-day activities will be available soon.



## Places and accommodation

There will be 40 - 50 places reserved to Young people between 18 and 30 years old. The accommodation is in a building with 2 floors, in shared bedrooms. The location is the small village of Trabuchello (790 meters above sea level) in the Alpi Orobie, "high" Val Brembana (in the province of Bergamo). A beautiful place full of nature!



## Costs and reservation

The total cost is **135 Euro** and includes lodging and food and the activities during the camp. Some optional activities such as kayak and bike rental will have an additional cost.

**The registration will be possible starting from the 20th of April** using this link:

<https://goo.gl/forms/nE2aXrLgPqedXFXm2>

Once you will have filled the form, you will be contacted and the payment (bank transfer) is requested within 15 days from the confirmation of registration. You will receive details of the bank account. Your participation to the camp will be confirmed when the payment is done.

(Please note: priority is given to those who fill the form sooner).

For more info, you can write to [servasworkingcamp@gmail.com](mailto:servasworkingcamp@gmail.com)

**How to reach the place:** Trabuchello (Isola di Fondra) is 43 km north of Bergamo. From the Milano Bergamo Orio al Serio Airport (BGY) you can take the shuttle bus to Bergamo train station and then the bus from SAB company to Valle Brembana. Of course we will give all the details to facilitate the logistic of your arrival.

***We want you in Brembana Valley!!! Arrivederci!***

