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## International Forum Bosnia

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*The IFB's members adhere to the principle of the sustainability of Bosnia and Herzegovina as a plural society with a very rich political and cultural heritage. This heritage is a significant resource for the development of a unified polity that exemplifies the best aspects of the European spirit. IFB members believe that the development of the country on these lines requires the formation of a new intellectual community to pioneer the analysis of social and political behaviour and views and the development of new understandings as the basis for the restoration of trust across society.*

*The IFB approaches these goals in a twofold manner. The first path involves the deconstruction of the divisive political and social ideologies based on ethnicity, religion, and other exclusive world-views, which have been underlying causes of mistrust, intolerance, and social exclusion, and major generators of social tension and conflict in the region. The second path involves the systematic development and promotion of a new synthesis for Bosnia and Herzegovina which incorporates a vision of social development free from fear, hostilities, and tensions. Accordingly, the members advocate research into the all aspects of Bosnia and Herzegovina from the widest possible range of perspectives. In this way, the IFB seeks to contribute to a new understanding of Bosnian unity in diversity through a long-term research project covering all aspects of society, especially geopolitics, education, cultural and religious traditions and dialogue, environmental and ecological perspectives, advanced and information technologies, energy policy and responsible use of natural and renewable resources, gender issues, regional co-operation, distributive justice, sustainable development, the rule of law, human rights, social inclusion, and other issues related to the efficient transition of Bosnia and Herzegovina towards harmonious membership in the community of European countries.*

*One major way in which the IFB works towards its objectives is through the organisation of intellectual gatherings and undertakings (workshops, panels, symposia, conferences, public lectures, exhibitions, the advancement of knowledge about Bosnia and Herzegovina, etc.), and the presentation of significant perspectives on culture, society, scholarship, and politics related to Bosnia and Herzegovina and its place in the world through its journal Forum Bosnae, working documents, and the IFB web page: <http://www.ifbosna.org.ba>.*

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Lëtzebuenger Guiden a Scouten  
The Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association

*The Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association [LGS] is present throughout the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg, with some 60 local branches and more than 5000 active members, and represents Luxembourg's largest youth organization. The LGS are open to everyone without regard to nationality, religion, or physical or psychological condition. The Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association have no political affiliation.*

*The basic methods applied are those launched by the founder of the international Scout movement, Lord Baden-Powell of Gilwell: the local groups are autonomous, with work and fun taking place in branches organized by age-unit [Beavers/under 6, Wolfs/7-10, Aventures-Explorers/11-13, Caravelles-Pioneers/14-16, and Rangers-Rovers/17-23 years of age, 23+]. Guiding and scouting activities take place according to the basic principles of "learning by doing" and "ask the boy/girl", discovering and respecting the natural environment, learning to live in harmony with nature, serving our fellow citizens, and experience through engagement, cooperation, and taking responsibility.*

*All children, youngsters, and experienced guides and scouts aim to express themselves, to work together, to exchange, to have fun taking part, to serve, and to take responsibility in Society. Guides and scouts are assisted by more than 600 responsible leaders who take care of the different age-units.*

*The Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association are recognized by both world associations WAGGGS [World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts] and WOSM [World Organization of the Scout Movement], which have more than 35 million members all over the world.*

*The Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association attains its goals and aims as an educational youth movement open to everyone willing to discover guiding and scouting methods. Individual development of the personality and behaviour is shaped by the principles of the founder, in line with the positive message of religion.*

*The Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association was founded on the 15th of May, 1994, when the former associations of the Luxembourg Girl Guides and the Luxembourg Boy Scouts merged into a single federation. The leadership of the Luxembourg Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Association is assured by a team of three persons [General Commissioner, Assistant Commissioner and a spiritual and religious leader], leading a federal headquarters composed of nearly 150 volunteers and assisted by 7 permanent office members. More information at [www.lgs.lu](http://www.lgs.lu).*

# Map of Bosnia-and-Herzegovina



## Program summary

Ćuprija 2010 will be the fifth International Youth and Heritage Summer Camp to be organized by International Forum Bosnia and its partners. Like its predecessors, it will be held in Stolac (Bosnia and Herzegovina) during the end of July and beginning of August.

Reflecting the shared values of the International Forum Bosnia and the *Lëtzebuenger Guiden a Scouten*, the aim of the Camp is to build tolerance among young people from different backgrounds by instilling a greater understanding and appreciation of the diversity and plurality of world cultures, particularly those present in Europe. It is envisaged that approximately 100 young people will attend the camp, with an appropriate number of adult support staff from the scouting movement and International Forum Bosnia, as well as visiting professors and specialists in the promotion of cultural and religious dialogue, specific areas of Heritage preservation and promotion, and similar fields. Approximately half the young participants will be from Stolac and other parts of Bosnia and Herzegovina, while others will come from other countries. The faculty will also come from both Bosnia and Herzegovina and abroad. This mix in itself ensures a lively encounter between members of different cultures, with very different outlooks on history, society, and life in general.

Ćuprija 2010 will thus be an integrated project, involving seminar work, fieldwork, practical activities, and recreational activities. The project is a practical development of many years of research on the key issue of tolerance and the development of a fresh, healthy, and responsible appreciation of our common heritage, as well as the richness of our differences. Participants will be encouraged to think about and debate how socially cohesive, but fundamentally open communities can be developed and maintained, welcoming diversity, while keeping strong roots in their local traditions and heritage. Particular attention will be given to identity under conditions of European integration, the various forms of globalization, and the reaction to them of cultural and religious prejudice, xenophobia, and nationalist chauvinism.

The camp will involve seminars and workshops on these issues of cultural dialogue, the complex interrelationships between cultures, and the causes and effects of conflict that targets cultural or religious difference and results in a general impoverishment of society. It also acts as a forum for exploring certain aspects of traditional culture actively and at first hand, through a series of practical workshops on traditional woodworking, restoration, and preservation, traditional bookbinding, the preservation of archival materials, ways to approach local history, in particular through oral history projects, and experience of traditional lifestyles (e.g. traditional cooking and traditional household activities such as carpet weaving, soap making, candle making, leather working, etc.). Educational and workshop activities will place special focus on the creativity and innovation of all participants.

Fieldwork and practical activities will focus on the renovation and rehabilitation of the damaged cultural and natural heritage of Stolac, as a particular example of the general impoverishment of a community, and on developing an understanding of and

respect for the traditions of craftsmanship and workmanship that went into developing that heritage in the first place.

The program organisers are International Forum Bosnia and *Lëtzebuenger Guiden a Scouten*. In previous years, the program has also been supported by the Stolac Youth Forum, the Association for the Restoration of Civic Trust in Stolac Municipality, the Stolac Church Parish Council, the Franciscan Seminary (Teologija) in Sarajevo and the other Franciscan Friaries of the Silver Bosnian province, the Scout Association of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, the “Orhideja,” “Dažd,” and “Privrednik” associations from Stolac, BH Telecom, Old Town Sarajevo Municipality, as well as a number of international donors and organisations, including the European Commission, the Olof Palme International Centre, and the Croatian Helsinki Committee for Human Rights.

### *History*

The first International Youth and Heritage Summer Camp took place between July 23<sup>rd</sup> and August 9<sup>th</sup> 2006. It was a unique endeavor both for Bosnia and the world more generally, involving 80 participants from seven countries living together in a tent city. The program was judged to have been exceptionally successful. All the organizers and participants committed to developing the project as a long-term annual gathering of young people.

The second International Summer Camp took place between July 28 and August 11, 2007. This camp was considerably smaller than the first one, with around 30 participants from five different countries.

The third International Summer Camp took place between July 31 and August 9, 2008. Program activities were held at the newly designated as the International Youth Centre for Cultural Heritage and Education, located in the Hadži Junuz-aga Mehmedbašić House in the Brade quarter of Stolac. This camp involved 31 participating young people from Bosnia, Great Britain, Denmark, Japan, and Kosovo.

The fourth International Summer Camp took place between July 31 and August 9, 2009. There were more than forty youth participants, together with eleven lecturers, five professional assistants and eight staff members. The core of this year’s activities was once again in the Brade House, where participants from all around the world first gathered and all activities were coordinated from. Some camp activities were also organized at other locations in Stolac, Mostar, Sarajevo, the Franciscan monastery of Šćit in Rama, and in Počitelj. Camp participants from outside of Stolac were accommodated in the above mentioned house in Brade and in the Human Rights Centre of the Youth Forum of Stolac, both of which were rehabilitated during International youth camp activities in previous years.

## 1. Introduction

The IYHSC *Ćuprija 2010* is a joint enterprise of International Forum Bosnia and *Lëtzebuenger Guiden a Scouten*. In previous years, the program has also been supported by the Stolac Youth Forum, the Association for the Restoration of Civic Trust in Stolac Municipality, the Stolac Church Parish Council, the Franciscan Seminary (Teologija) in Sarajevo and the other Franciscan Friaries of the Silver Bosnian province, the Scout Association of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, the “Orhideja,” “Dažd,” and “Privrednik” associations from Stolac, BH Telecom, University “Džemal Bijedić” Mostar, Unipromet, Termomatik, Energoinvest, Old Town Sarajevo Municipality, as well as a number of international donors and organisations, including the European Commission, the Olof Palme International Centre, and the Croatian Helsinki Committee for Human Rights.

The program has three complementary aspects:

1. a set of coordinated working activities,
2. a series of workshops and educational activities, and
3. a recreational aspect for informal socializing and cultural encounter.

Work activities in previous years have involved supervised reconstruction work on a number of historic buildings in Stolac, as well as communal works on the Bregava River, the beautification of cultural monuments through the development of town garden spaces, and the protection of local natural heritage. These activities are carried out under the supervision of professional architectural and environmental restorers, each year’s rehabilitation and renovation activities building on those that preceded them. In 2010, participants will perform a range of tasks, learning both the how and why of responsible conservation and reconstruction. All reconstruction activities will be accompanied by the appropriate technical documentation.

Educational activities will include a series of related lectures, workshops, and discussions on the plural features of the contemporary world and, in particular, on the themes of plurality and community as elements of European identity under increasing European integration.

There will be a series of elective workshops to introduce the participants to active, hands-on experience of traditional crafts. The workshops, which will be taught by master craftspeople, will be on traditional woodcarving, bookbinding and restoration, and traditional cooking. In previous years, some participants have carved traditional chests, furniture, and doors for use in the buildings whose restoration forms part of the working activities, while others have provided much needed first aid to neglected journal collections and other archival materials of importance for the local history of Stolac. These activities will continue, while other participants are introduced to practical approaches to local history, through experience of the traditional culture of food, with a particular emphasis on the culinary traditions of Bosnia and Herzegovina, including the making of jams and preserves and similar household products (e.g. soap making, candlemaking, etc.), and training in the techniques of local research and oral history gathering.

The recreational part of the program will encourage participants to express themselves through various activities, including poetry, music, plays, and outings. As will be the case with the first two, this section of the program will also encourage participants to suggest, plan, and implement activities on their own initiative. This will contribute towards their ability to cooperate, helping them develop attitudes of responsibility for peace and reconciliation in the world.

The program is entitled *Ćuprija 2010*, because *Ćuprija* means “bridge.” Just as a bridge connects two banks of a river, it can also connect different people from various backgrounds. This international gathering will help all the participants embrace change as an opportunity, remain receptive to new ideas, and respect and appreciate the values of others.

### *About Stolac*

Stolac is a town situated in the southern part of Bosnia and Herzegovina, 30 km from the Adriatic coast. It is located at the juncture of a three-point valley traversed by the Bregava River in an East-West direction. Stolac municipality includes a number of villages situated on the neighbouring hills and plateaus. This area has a rich cultural heritage, with components that can be traced from the Palaeolithic era onwards. These include remnants of old roads, Illyrian forts, and Roman settlements, as well as various forms of Christian, Islamic, and Jewish cultures. Until the war against Bosnia and Herzegovina of 1992 to 1995, Stolac was a typically pluralist society. It was extensively damaged and very nearly destroyed during this time; most of its heritage was devastated. Since the war, Stolac has passed through a difficult process of restoration and social rehabilitation. Restoration of cultural memory and history is crucial to the building of its future, which requires a change in public opinion and in currently dominant attitudes and behaviour. This will require international help and cooperation.

### *2. Aim*

The aim of IYHSC *Ćuprija 2010* is to bring together young people from across the globe. The environment fostered at IYHSC will provide participants with the opportunity to take part and contribute in the rehabilitation of a local plural community devastated by war and by ideological images of irreconcilable religious and ethnic difference.

The main intention of the program is to influence prevailing concepts of pluralism. Changing these conceptions will influence current attitudes and behavior, making them better suited to strengthen both local and global civil society based on collective tolerance and trust among individuals from different backgrounds.

### *3. Basic Data*

IYHSC *Ćuprija* was initiated and developed by a wide range of intellectuals, social activists, and friends from the global community. Its general framework suggests searching for more suitable and efficient foundations of tolerance between the

members of different world cultures. Along these lines, a number of projects have been initiated, among which the following deserve special mention: Tolerance and Tradition, Tolerance/School Curricula, The European Dimension of Bosnia Humanist Studies (curricula development), and the International Summer School on Religion and Public Life.

Since 1987, the Luxemburg's Guides and Scouts have regularly organized community development projects all over the world. Recently projects in India, Senegal, Bolivia, Haiti, Bosnia, and many other places, have been successfully realized.

#### *4. Accommodation*

A tent camp will be established for the duration.

#### *5. Working activities*

The working activities of those participating in IYHSC Ćuprija 2010 will be funded in large part by public and private sponsors from Luxembourg and relate to Stolac's heritage and public services.

The working sites are split up into three different types of working activities: rehabilitation, reconstruction and construction works. Work is envisaged on the following sites:

1. Site preparation and reconstruction works at the ancient watermills along the course of the Bregava river bed and the town mill in particular.
2. Continued rehabilitation activities at the International Youth Centre for Cultural Heritage and Education, at the Hadži Junuz-aga Mehmedbašić House in the Brade quarter of Stolac.
3. Rehabilitation of the Uzinovići International House for Reconciliation and Dialogue.
4. Public service (cleaning river bed, planting green areas, etc).

In order to support overtone and to stimulate intercultural behaviour, young people from Stolac adults will be invited to join the working activities.

Each working group will include 8 persons, including the group leader.

#### *6. Education*

The educational aspect of the summer camp has two components.

The first is the number of seminars or discussion groups on themes of cultural understanding, dialogue, and the sources of cultural and religious conflict. These workshops will be led by experienced academics and activists. In 2009, for example, this included committed academics from Sarajevo, France, and Great Britain, as well as leading members of human rights organizations from Bosnia, Croatia, and Great Britain.

Topics proposed include:

- Intercultural Games
- Cultural Memory
- Preservation of Cultural Heritage in BiH
- Tolerance
- All different, all equal
- Religion and heritage
- Religion and Media
- Religion and Human Rights
- God and the Otherness
- Siege of Sarajevo
- The Balkans: past, present and future

Young participants in this way are provided an opportunity to develop their understanding of and apply tolerance in discussion, while at the same time gaining a deeper understanding their own background through discussion and solidarity with others from diverse backgrounds. The educational component will also involve films, site visits, and exhibitions.

The second component comprises a number of practical workshops involving hands-on experience with traditional skills. In 2009, this included workshops on traditional woodworking and traditional bookbinding and the preservation of archival materials.

The practical or learning-by-doing workshops proposed for 2010 include:

- A 3<sup>rd</sup> Woodcarving Workshop,
- A 2<sup>nd</sup> Workshop on the Protection and Conservation of Library and Archival Material,
- An Inaugural Workshop on Local History, with two components:
  - i. An Introduction to the Traditional Culture of Food,
  - ii. An Introduction to Local Research and Oral History Techniques.

The Culture of Food component will include hands-on preparation of traditional foods, the making of jams and preserves, and the preparation of similar household products (e.g. soap making, candlemaking, etc.). They will also include a theoretical aspect, introducing the ethics of natural food production and contemporary life-style and cultural movements based around how we consume and how and what we cook (e.g. the slow food movement).

The Local Research and Oral History component will include both theoretical and practical introduction to the sources for local history and the techniques of fieldwork, including workshops on interview techniques and recording and filming interviews.

These workshops will have a competitive aspect and participant will receive awards for creativity.

Overall, it is envisaged that:

- A cycle of four different seminars or workshops will be offered every afternoon for 100 persons.
- Every participant will chose one activity/workshop each afternoon.

Background and learning materials will be prepared for participants in the workshops, and discussions will be organised in different locations (on site, during outings). Participants will also be invited to prepare their own presentations within the educational program.

Supplementary activities will also be held in Stolac, involving the local population:

- Kid's & youngsters animation program in the old town and in the new Stolac settlements
- New Games/ Intercultural Games
- Special guides tours (the citadel, Bogomil sites, the Bregava mills, Daorson, Vjetrenica Cave, etc.)

There will also be a number of field trips to more distant locations, e.g.:

- Afternoon trip to Mostar by bus/van (departure after lunch)
- Afternoon trip to Trebinje by bus/van (departure after lunch)

### *7. Provisional schedule for IYHSC "Ćuprija 2010"*

An advance party from the Scouting movement will travel to Stolac, departing the 19<sup>th</sup> July 2010. Over the following several days they will set up the camp infrastructure (electricity, water supply, sanitation, showers, fireplace, entry, flags, kitchen tents, mess tents, information point, office facilities, spiritual tent and other common facilities ...). The main group of participants will arrive on the 25<sup>th</sup>.

The camp itself will take place from 26<sup>th</sup> July to August 14<sup>th</sup>. The following provisional schedule has been drawn up:

Date	8.00-12.00 <b>Camp duties</b>	13.00-14.30	14.30-16.30 <b>+ Staff meeting</b>	16.30-18.30 <b>Camp duties</b>	19.00-20.15 <b>Camp duties</b>	20.30-22.30 <b>Camp bar Closing 24.00</b>
July 26 <sup>th</sup>	Arrivals, registration, lunch and camp-settling & organisation of the working groups				Welcome Dinner	Jam-fire
July 27 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites	Lunch	Stolac Discovery & Rallye	Information	Opening Dinner	Official Camp Opening
July 28 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ①</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Public BH Dinner in Stolac-Center	Traditional BiH songs & dances in the Stolac Center
July 29 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ②</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Dinner	Interreligious prayer
July 30 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites Muslim Praying Time	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop	Dinner	Dance-Party in Stolac
July 31 <sup>st</sup>	Sarajevo City Visit Optional Sarajevo mountains hike				Dinner Ratovika	Chill Out time
August 1 <sup>st</sup>	Catholic-Orthodox services in Stolac Visits to Blagaj (lunch) and Mostar (bridge jumping)				Dinner	Jam-fire
August 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ④</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Dinner	Public Movie Screening in the City Center
August 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑤</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Inter-national camp Dinner	International contingents evening
August 4 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑥</i>	Lunch	Kravice Waterfalls Optional Trebinje City Visit		Dinner	Interreligious prayer
August 5 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑦</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Dinner	Poetry evening
August 6 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites Muslim Praying Time	Lunch	Public camp afternoon fare with food , info, discovering ...		Dinner	Dance-Party in Stolac
August 7 <sup>th</sup>	Dubrovnik via Hutovo Blato Nature Park, Dubrovnik City Visit & transfer to Montenegro/Kotor				Dinner	Bay of Kotor „Gospa od Milosti“
August 8 <sup>th</sup>	Catholic-Orthodox services in Kotor and Montenegrin Seaside				Dinner	Jam-fire
August 9 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑧</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Dinner	Quizz evening
August 10 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑨</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Dinner	Parlor Game evening
August 11 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑩</i>	Lunch	Leisure Time	Workshop Workshop Workshop Workshop	Stolac town Dinner	Goodbye Cuprija 2010 Stolac party
August 12 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites <i>Cuprija On Tour ⑪</i>	Lunch	Bosnian Seaside Optional Rama Skit Visit		Dinner	Official camp Closing
August 13 <sup>th</sup>	Working sites Closing visiting working tour Muslim Praying Time	Lunch	Leisure Time	Evaluation of ISCYH -Vision on the future	Dinner-Fiesta	Internal Closing
August 14 <sup>th</sup>	Deconstruction of the camp	Lunch-packet	Camp departures			

The camp participation fee for Luxembourg and International participants fixed to approximately 700 €.

## 8. Recreation

As the schedule makes clear, recreational activities are an integral part of the whole IYHSC Ćuprija 2010 program. Planned recreational activities will include poetry readings, dancing, music, and inter-religious prayer. They form an extension to the working and education program parts in order to achieve a higher level of community and sharing mutuality amongst the participants. Participants will be invited to offer suggestions to this list. Their creativity will be rewarded.

Short term and longer duration outings are also planned, for which transportation for all participants will be organized and provided.

## 9. Participants

Academic participants and volunteer staff in previous years have included:

Amel Alić(Sarajevo),Philippe Ackermann (Luxembourg), Mile Babić (Sarajevo), Paul Ballanfat (Lyon/Istanbul), Dalibor Ballian (Sarajevo), Dino Balavac (Stolac), Bakir Behmen (Stolac), Edin Buzaljko (Stolac), Edvin Burina (Stolac), Mead Bajramović (Stolac), Sadik Burek (Stolac), Semir Behram (Mostar), Anel Bajraktarević (Mostar), Ivo Banac(Zagreb), Jovan Bojanić (Crna Gora), Merima Balavac (Sarajevo), Jean Claude (Luxembourg), Haris Cerić (Sarajevo), Milica Cimbalević (Crna Gora), Rebeka Ćilović (Crna Gora), Ivan-Zvonimir Ćičak (Zagreb), Ivona Ćelebić (Sarajevo), Ozana Marija Ćičak (Zagreb), Ibrahim Ćamdžić (Lukavica), Nihad Ćengić (Sarajevo), Muharem Ćamdžić (Lukavica), Tarik Ćengić (Sarajevo), Eliza Ćengić (Sarajevo), Vehbija Ćengić (Sarajevo), Samra Ćerkez (Stolac), Adela Ćusto (Blagaj), Jadranka Dizdar (Stolac), Nerin Dizdar (Stolac), Džemil Dizdar (Stolac), Adnan Dostović (Banovići), Metty Dockendorf (Luxembourg), Anes Dukanović (Sarajevo), Amir Đuderija (Foča-Ustikolina), Elsen Luc (Luxembourg), Amela Frenjo (Stolac), Eric Feltz (Luxembourg), Hector Gullan(UK), Tareq Hashem Abu Ghazaleh (Jordan), Danile Godart (Luxembourg), Sandi Golubić (Slovenia), Miha Grilć (Slovenia), Mujo Gubelj (Stolac), Ivan Gakić (Sarajevo), Kristina Grgić (Sarajevo), Amra Hadžimuhamedović (Sarajevo), Amar Hadžić (Doboj Istok), Mirsad Hajdar (Sarajevo), Edin Hodžić (Foča-Ustikolina), Marc Hubert (Luxembourg), Šejla Hukara (Sarajevo), Timur Haračić (Stolac), Dževad Hozo(Sarajevo), Dženir Huremović (Sarajevo), Maria Fernanda Hevaca (Argentina), Ayumi Hasebe (Japan), Adnan Hajdar (Sarajevo), Nermin Ibrulj (Sarajevo), Rusmir Ikanović (Banovići), Haris Idriz (Stolac), Brano Jakubović (Sarajevo), Tom Jung (Luxembourg), Ajdin Jakupović (Stolac), Armin Jašarević (Banovići), Selma Jakić (Stolac), Medina Hadžihasanović-Katana (Sarajevo), Reza Shah Kazemi (UK), Lejla Kolenović (Crna Gora), Emina Kutlovac (Sarajevo), Suada Kapić (Sarajevo), Samir Koso (Stolac), Nathalie Keipes (Luxembourg), Jill Kugener (Luxembourg), Jacques Kremer (Luxembourg), (Tine Klajder (Slovenia), Emin Kurtović (Foča-Ustikolina), Chantal-Hubert Lutgen (Luxembourg), Edin Ljubović (Stolac), Rok Novak (Slovenia), Semir Nedžaković (Zenica), Rusmir Mahmutćehajić (Sarajevo), Halida Mahmutćehajić (Sarajevo), Krsto Mijanović (Sarajevo), Amer Medar (Stolac), Alen Medar (Stolac), Anisa Medar (Stolac), Rašid Medar (Stolac), Harun Medar (Stolac), Sanel Marić (Stolac), Ariane Missuweit (Luxembourg), Alma Mujić (Klokotnica), Mirjana Marsenić (Crna Gora), Haris Mekić (Crna Gora), Ed Marques (Geneva), Emina Mujkić (Klokotnica), Steve

Massard (Luxembourg), Laurent Momper (Luxembourg), Alm Obradović (Stolac), Marielle Probst (Luxembourg), Anel Premilovac (Stolac), Sanjin Penava (Mostar), Teufik Pezo (Stolac), Simone Turmes (Luxembourg), Agnes Rausch (Luxembourg), Sanjin Rogonja (Stolac), Jasmin Repeša (Stolac), Midhat Ridanović (Sarajevo), Stephanie Richmond (Canterbury), Azer Rudić (Stolac), Kurt Andres Richardson (Hamilton), Srebren Sidran (Stolac), Pol Schummer (Luxembourg), Šaban Smajlović (Sarajevo), Merima Sadžak (Stolac), Linda Schuster (Luxembourg), Belma Sarajlić (Sarajevo), Carmen Schares (Luxembourg), Delphine Schumacher (Luxembourg), Mikkel Sohn (Denmark), Aarif Sarigat (UK), Murtaza Shibli (Northolt), Aida Šunje (Sarajevo), Jasmin Škamo (Foča-Ustikolina), Alem Šuko (Stolac), Almir Šuko (Stolac), Antonella Trivingo (Luxembourg), Aldin Talić (Zenica), Benjamin Talić (Zenica), Berina Talić (Zenica), Eldina Talić (Zenica), Sadin Tica (Stolac), Vesna Varunek (Sarajevo), Asim Zubčević (Sarajevo), Arnel Zečo (Stolac), Sena Zečo (Stolac), Vasija Qendresa (Prishtine), Feyzullah Yilmaz (Turkey), Caroline Wisler (USA).

### *10. Useful information*

The average temperature in Stolac in July and August is 27<sup>0</sup> C (81 F), but temperatures can be considerably higher. During this period, the local youth spend much of their time at the riverside for swimming and sunbathing. Stolac is some 160 km from Sarajevo and 100 km from Dubrovnik. The road from Sarajevo to Stolac passes through the towns of Konjic, Jablanica, and Mostar. During summertime, most of the Stolac youth wear shirts or T-shirts and shorts. They often wear flip-flops or sandals or go barefoot. Throughout its history, Stolac has been a very open town, renowned for its rich cultural heritage. Many visitors also remember Stolac for the hospitality of its inhabitants. During July and August, the Stolac-region celebrates the fig and welcomes the ripening of the grape, watermelon and muskmelon. Flocks of goats can be seen on the surrounding hills.

The currency in Stolac, as throughout Bosnia and Herzegovina, is the convertible mark (KM). It is a stable currency, pegged to the Euro at an exchange rate of 1 EUR = 1.955 KM.

### *11. Follow up*

Participants at IYHSC Ćuprija 2010 are expected to build long-lasting friendships, which it is hoped will be continue to grow in the future, as participants become involved in similar enterprises across the world. The organisers believe that the entire program can be expanded and developed as an important contribution to developing new approaches, building tolerance, and increasing understanding between people from different cultures and religions. The implementation of IYHSC Ćuprija 2010 will be used to explore different possibilities and options for future continuation.