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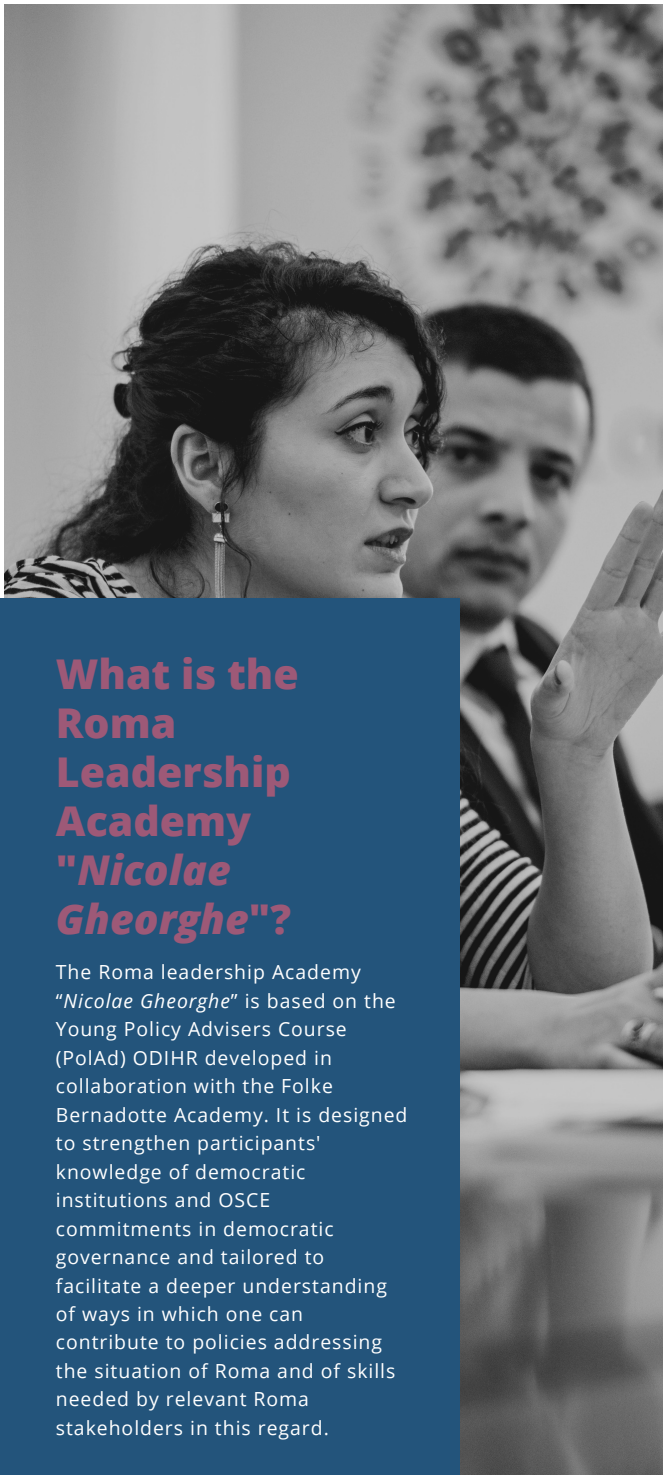
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2019 ODIHR Roma Leadership Academy "Nicolae Gheorghe"

For participants from Bulgaria,
North Macedonia, Romania,
Slovakia, and Ukraine

2 - 6 December 2019
Warsaw, Poland



What is the Roma Leadership Academy "Nicolae Gheorghe"?

The Roma leadership Academy "Nicolae Gheorghe" is based on the Young Policy Advisers Course (PoAd) ODIHR developed in collaboration with the Folke Bernadotte Academy. It is designed to strengthen participants' knowledge of democratic institutions and OSCE commitments in democratic governance and tailored to facilitate a deeper understanding of ways in which one can contribute to policies addressing the situation of Roma and of skills needed by relevant Roma stakeholders in this regard.

The Roma Leadership Academy "Nicolae Gheorghe" aims to strengthen democratic institutions and governance by building the capacity of Roma in elected and appointed office, potential Roma candidates for public office, including experienced Roma civil society advocates.

Details

Eligibility Criteria

Roma in elected and appointed office at central, regional and local levels, potential Roma candidates for public office, and representatives of Roma civil society involved in advocating for policy change and interested in to engaging in political participation are invited to apply. The applicants should come from one of the following countries: Bulgaria, North Macedonia, Romania, Slovakia, and Ukraine.

Course Costs

Tuition, course materials, full board accommodation, as well as round-trip travel costs to Warsaw, Poland will be covered by the organizers.

Application Process

The application form is available at the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/y5f8pfs5>

Application deadline: **22 September 2019**

The organizers encourage all eligible candidates, irrespective of gender, disability, and religious backgrounds to apply. Please let us know should you require assistance related to disability in order to complete the application process.