

PROTECTING HUMANITY 2024
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27th and 28th March Padova
13th and 14th April Peraga di Vigonza

PROJECT LEADERS

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THE PROJECT IS ADDRESSED TO

University master and senior bachelor students and Red Cross volunteers.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

Provide a basic knowledge of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement for the students and consolidate the volunteers' knowledge;

Provide deeper knowledge regarding the CRI Strategic Objective n.4: "Disseminiamo il Diritto Internazionale Umanitario e cooperiamo con gli altri membri del Movimento Internazionale";

Using a practical approach, reinforce the notions students have acquired in the fields of human rights, humanitarian and criminal international law, refugee human rights, and the rights of vulnerable communities, in collaboration with several areas of the Italian Red Cross Strategic Objectives (Sanitary branch, Social support, Emergencies, Red Cross Youth, Founding and International Cooperation).

EDUCATIONAL CONTENT

The origin and development of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement

The structure of the Movement

The fundamental principles

The structure of the Italian Red Cross National Society

The IHL and its principles

Climate Change and Risk Reduction: humanitarian crises

Basic Life Support practices

Red Cross Emergency response

Social vulnerabilities

Peer-to-peer education

Italian Red Cross: Military corps and voluntary nurses - Auxiliaries of the Armed Forces

National Societies and external communication

LANGUAGE

English

MODE OF ORGANISATION

The workshop lasts a total of 4 days:

The dates are Wednesday 27th and Thursday 28th of March, Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th of April

The first and second parts (27th and 28th of March) will take place at the Red Cross Padua Local Branch, Via della Croce Rossa, 112 - 35100 Padua, from 14:30 to 18:00.

27th March

The first part of the seminar will illustrate the structure and origins of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement

28th March

The second part of the seminar is dedicated to principles. The fundamental principles that are at the root of every single Red Cross action worldwide and the principles of the International Humanitarian Law.

The third and the fourth part (13 and 14 April) will take place in the Castello dei Da Peraga Park, Via Arrigoni 1 - 35010 Peraga di Vigonza, with the overnight stay in tents within the park, with the following timetable: 13th April from 15:00 to 23:00 and the 14th April from 08:00 to 16:00.

13th April

After the Check in, the participants will perform the roleplay assigned during the theoretical part of the workshop, supported and guided by the Red Cross Volunteers.

14th April

In order to get to know the National Societies, a series of stations will be set up across the Da Peraga's park, which will give the chance to the participants to learn more and practice with specialized Red Cross staff the everyday tasks and actions that the volunteers undergo to protect and help humanity across the world.

The activity will be followed by a final debriefing in the Council Hall of the Comune di Vigonza

End at 16:00.

TIMETABLE AND LOCATIONS

Red Cross Padua Local Branch in Via della Croce Rossa, 112 - 35100 Padua:

Wednesday 27/03/2024

- 14:30-15:00 Registration
- 15:00-15:15 Welcome
- 15:20-16:40 Red Cross and the IHL - the beginnings
- 16:40-16:50 Break
- 16:50-18:00 The International Movement of the Red Cross and Red Crescent in action

Thursday 28/03/2024

- 15:00-16:20 The fundamental principles of the Red Cross
- 16:20-16:40 Coffee break
- 16:40-18:00 Principles of the IHL

Castello dei Da Peraga Park, Via Arrigoni 1 - 35010 Peraga di Vigonza, with the overnight stay in tents within the park:

Saturday 13/04/2024

- 15:00 Check in
- 16:00 Roll play: Students as RedCross Personnel
- 19:00-20:30 Dinner
- 21:00-23:00 Feedback and Question time

Sunday 14/04/2024

- 07:00-07:45 Breakfast
- 8:00-10:00 Italian Red Cross:Real life scenario Part 1
- 10:00-10:15 Break
- 10:15-12:45 Italian Red Cross:Real life scenario Part 2
- 13:00-14:30 Lunch
- 15:00-15:30 Final debriefing