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EU EQUALITY AND ANTI-DISCRIMINATION POLICY

Brussels, 2-6 June 2025

Deadline:
06 April 2025

WHAT YOU WILL GET



The TEPSA Academy on EU Equality and Anti-Discrimination Policy and Skills Lab will give young people insight into EU policy-making in this field, bringing them into direct contact with the stakeholders shaping policy developments in this field. The seminar will be an occasion not only for learning but also for exchange between youth, policy-makers, experts and civil society representatives, with an emphasis on two-way communication and active engagement in the debate of all those involved.

Participants will have the chance to share their perspectives and conduct internal reflection on the challenges faced by the EU in this realm, to foster productive discussions and create platforms for youth input into these important debates.

By attending this Academy, you will:

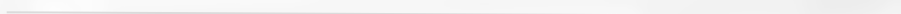
- Acquire and deepen your knowledge of EU equality and anti-discrimination policies, gaining insights into the practicalities of policy-making in Brussels;
- Visit key institutions, meet high-level professionals and learn from their experiences;
- Meet and exchange views with students from different disciplinary and national backgrounds;
- Access networking opportunities with high-level practitioners from EU institutions, academia and think tanks;
- Improve your analytical and argumentative skills;
- Enhance your employability.

**GET FIRST HAND EXPERIENCE OF THE
INNER WORKINGS OF EU POLICY-MAKING**

**LEARN FROM POLICY PRACTITIONERS
AND HIGH-LEVEL PROFESSIONALS**

**EXPAND YOUR KNOWLEDGE ON EU EQUALITY
AND ANTI-DISCRIMINATION POLICIES**

**OBTAIN NEW SKILLS AND BENEFIT
FROM NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES**





KEY INFORMATION

The TEPSA Academy and Skills Lab will take place in **Brussels** from **Monday 2 to Friday 6 June 2025**.

The first four days will feature a programme of expert lectures, panel debates, and visits to key EU institutions. Dedicated sessions for analysis and discussion within the group will take place throughout the week, with the goal of reflecting critically on the insights gained during lectures and meetings. The last day will be devoted to a hands-on skills training lab with an expert trainer. A draft agenda can be found [here](#).

Full participation in all elements of the programme is compulsory. You will receive a certificate of attendance on the final day.

The **participation fee is EUR 400**. Successful candidates will have one week to transfer the participation fee upon notification of their acceptance into the TEPSA Academy and Skills Lab. Failure to do so in time will result in exclusion. In case of non-participation, the fee cannot be refunded.

Participants travelling from within the EU will receive a **reimbursement for their travel and accommodation costs up to EUR 400** upon presentation of the original receipts and tickets.

HOW TO APPLY



The TEPSA Academy and Skills Lab are designed as **interdisciplinary activities** and are open to university students and recent graduates from different disciplines interested in learning more about EU equality and anti-discrimination policy. Participants will be selected by a review committee.

FILL OUT THIS FORM TO APPLY

Applications are open to both EU and non-EU citizens, but **only participants travelling from and to EU Member States** will be eligible to receive a reimbursement of their travel expenses.

Applications are open until Sunday, 6 April 2025 (midnight). Early applications are highly encouraged, as they will be reviewed on a rolling basis.

MORE ABOUT TEPESA

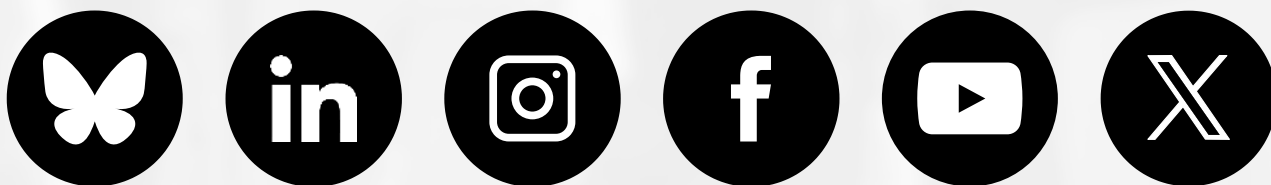


The Trans European Policy Studies Association (TEPSA) was established in 1974 as the first transnational research network in the field of EU affairs. Our network comprises 49 leading research institutes in 37 European countries, with an office in Brussels.

Our aim is to provide high-quality research on a number of European themes to stimulate discussion on policies and political options for Europe. This is achieved by the interaction between the European and national institutions as well as the academic and research community, and citizens.

TEPSA is active on a wide range of topics, focusing on differentiated integration, the EU's external relations, democratic participation and citizens' engagement.

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