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Languages

The official languages of the Joint Conference are English and French. The European Regions of WOSM and WAGGGS will make all Conference Documents available in both languages. In the event of a conflict arising out of the interpretation of this Conference Document or any other official document, the English text shall prevail.

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- 1. Ensure a minimum of **two learning and exchange opportunities** between World Scouting and WAGGGS members at the Regional level per year, either in person or online.
- KPI: two joint in-person or online events/year.
- 2. Ensure the transversal implementation of the concept in regional events to strengthen youth empowerment and leadership in Scouting and Guiding.
- KPI 1: Review existing toolkits for event planning with a "Youth Empowerment and leadership lens".
- KPI 2: All joint events will include a Youth Empowerment and leadership programme section or a training opportunity and will be planned with a Youth Empowerment and leadership lens.
- 3. Joint events 2026-2028 respect World Scouting and WAGGGS policies on mental health and wellbeing, Safe from Harm/ safeguarding and sustainability.
- KPI 1: Develop guidelines for the joint event planning teams that establish the minimum requirements for planning, executing, and evaluating joint initiatives following World Scouting and WAGGGS policies.
- 4. Conduct a review of the concept of the IC Forum by the end of 2026.

Planned Joint Events

The Scout and Guide Academy 2025

Host: Greece

Coordinating organisation: WAGGGS

The Scout and Guide Academy 2026

Host: To be defined through an open call in 2025/2026

Coordinating organisation: World Scouting

The Scout and Guide Academy 2027

Host: To be defined through an open call in 2025/2026

Coordinating organisation: WAGGGS

Roverway 2028

Host: Bidders defined through an open call in 2025

IC Forum 2027/2028

Host: To be confirmed

Coordinating organisation: WAGGGS

Planned joint initiatives

Ensure collaboration between regional teams working on similar topics in WAGGGS and World Scouting

Collaborate where strategic opportunities arise, ensuring alignment and cohesive approaches (e.g. External Relations/Representatives).

Support self-organised joint networks

The Overture Diversity Network and the Centers Managers Conference are joint networks, self-organised, composed of Scouts and Guides from across Europe, working on implementing all aspects of Diversity and Inclusion and, respectively, centres management. As these topics remain extremely important for WAGGGS and World Scouting, the regions will support these networks in staying relevant and updated in terms of topics, resources produced by both organisations and the needs of our members.

Resources Estimations

The following section was developed to estimate the resources required for each event type and initiative. These estimations are standardised and can vary based on location, host support and project development requirements.

The Scout and Guide Academy

Estimated Budget: EUR 100.000

- Sources of income:
 - o EU Funding
 - Participation Fees
 - World Scouting/WAGGGS regional contributions
 - Event, funding, sponsorship, communications and logistics support:
 - Staff: three to four
 - Volunteers:
 - Planning Team: three to four
 - Facilitators: About 20

IC Forum

Estimated Budget: EUR 80.000

- Sources of income:
 - o Participation Fees
 - World Scouting/WAGGGS regional contributions
 - Event, funding, sponsorship, communications and logistics support:
 - Staff: two to three
 - Volunteers:
 - Planning Team: four to five
 - Facilitators: five
 - Committee members: 12

Roverway

Estimated Budget: EUR 3-3.5M

- Sources of income:
 - Institutional funding
 - o Donations
 - o Sponsorhip
 - Participation fees
 - World Scouting/WAGGGS regional contributions
 - Event, funding, communications and logistics support:
 - Staff: six to seven
 - Volunteers: 50
 - Planning Team: four to six
 - Regional Team: 50

Joint Platforms (WeConnect and others)

Hosting costs - EUR 2.800/year