



The International Careers Festival arrives in Rome from the 5th to the 8th of March

The “*INTERNATIONAL CAREERS FESTIVAL*” will take place from the 5th to the 8th of March 2016 and will be the first event in Italy dedicated to those who want to gain a competitive edge in the world of international careers. The Festival is organized by the *Giovani nel Mondo (GnM)* Association with the support and patronage of eminent institutions, amongst which are the **Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Roma Capitale, the European Commission, the World Food Programme (WFP) and IFAD.**

The project will see, in its entirety, the participation of **30,000 young people** from all over the world, high and university students alike, who want to enter into the competitive world of international careers, focusing on the professional goal most suited to their needs and identifying the best course of action with which to reach it.

During the 4 intense days of workshops and simulations, the students participating will have the opportunity to meet and interact with experts of their respective industry – academics, diplomats, international officers, journalists, managers and CEOs, HR representatives – and will work in teams as they undertake the role of UN delegates, journalists, translators, and business managers. They will put their skills to the test while, simultaneously, acquiring new ones, essential in order to work in an international and globalized environment.

The event will be divided into 4 didactic/training “paths” from which the participants can choose to join:

- **ROME MODEL UNITED NATIONS:** for those interested in International Organizations, the UN and diplomacy (1000 spots available);
- **ROME BUSINESS GAME:** for those interested in International Markets, Business and Marketing (300 spots available);
- **ROME PRESS GAME:** for those interested in Communication, Journalism, Web and Social media (200 spots available);
- **ORIENTATION COURSE FOR INTERNATIONAL CAREERS:** for those interested in the learning and/or refining essential skills required such as soft skills, how to draft a proper CV/Cover Letter, how to act during interviews, etc.

The participants of the first 3 “paths” can also choose to follow certain modules of the Orientation Course. Furthermore, 2 days of the Festival will be dedicated to the International Careers Fair, at which all participants are welcome and encouraged to attend, and will be host to 200 exhibitors presenting study and work opportunities in Italy and abroad.

The goal, therefore, is to create innovative activities which focus on the **learning by doing** approach to have young people acquire the proper knowledge, and above all the proper practical skills, necessary to enter into a world of new opportunities and professions. Precisely for this reason, the goal of the Giovani nel Mondo Association is to expand its network of contacts and to develop partnerships with institutions, nonprofit organizations and associations, in Italy and abroad, interested in Youth, Employment and Internationalization.

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