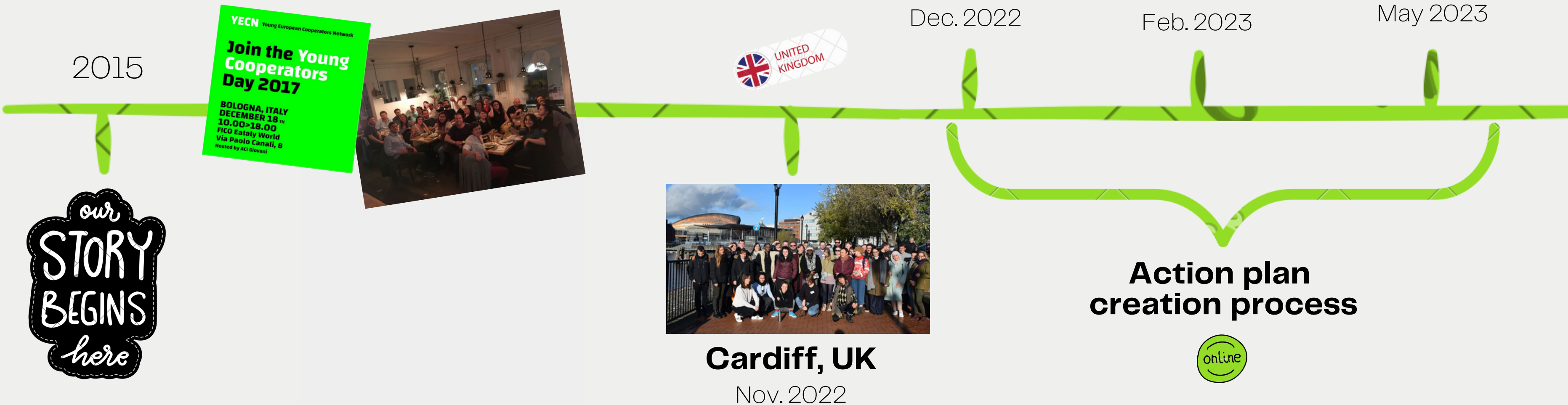


Action Plan 2023 - 2024

YECN is an informal network composed of young co-operators under the age 40 coming from more than 10 countries across Europe.

We gather to foster exchanges, teach about the cooperative model, share best practices, advance the interests of young cooperators and foster new opportunities for them, within the movement and beyond.

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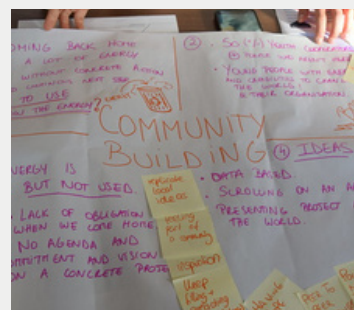


Q Cardiff Conference



★ Conference on youth & the future of cooperation

☆ More than 60 youth participants



★ YECN relaunch meeting

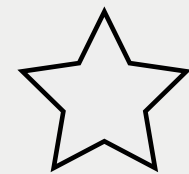
☆ Coopathon & brainstorming



Action Plan



GAINING RECOGNITION



INCREASING SIGNIFICANCE



BUILDING RESILIENCE

Q Gaining recognition

- to gain new members;
- to connect the YECN with national partners and gain recognition at national, European and international levels;
- **to map and understand the youth cooperative movement in Europe.**

Key Actions n°1

🔍 Sending surveys

To gather information about other national youth cooperators networks in Europe with a survey.

are there others? how do they work?

how many people they gather?

🔍 Follow-up meetings

Connect with young cooperators at national level

introduce YECN to all European contacts, gain new members.



The creation of a **state-of-the-art** of national youth cooperator networks in Europe.

Q Increasing significance

- to improve the relevance of our network in order for our messages to get amplified
- to engage with young cooperators and decision-makers across Europe;
- **to focus on online visibility and facilitating cross-country communication.**

Key Actions n°2

🔍 Visual identity

Create YECN visual identity
and boost social media
presence.

🔍 Communication channels

Create external communication
channels
to spread information about
cooperation and youth-led
initiatives.

🔍 Shared event calendar

Share national and international
events between each other
to showcase YECN and create
synergies.



To have a consistent **YECN brand identity** and create an **active and stable community**.

Q Building resilience

- to build a long-lasting network: this year's work plan dedicates some efforts towards strengthening the YECN to make it sustainable and viable in the long run.
- **to reach for an internal organisation that facilitates our activities and ensures continuity while not overburdening the network.**

Key Actions n°3

Q Structure the YECN

Define membership and
voting policy
within the YECN

Q YECN Assembly

In-person event
to elect representatives
and to connect
in person



The creation of the **statutes** and/or a **Manifesto** with our values,
vision, objectives and main structure.

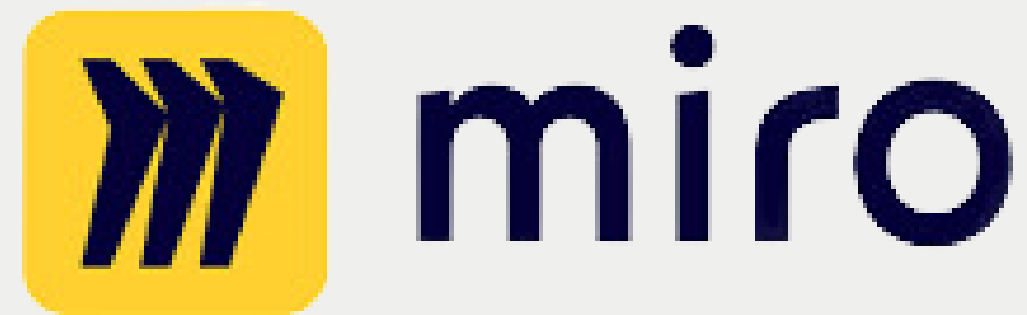
Q Join YECN

Keep in touch



Join and share YECN Community on
WhatsApp to connect with all members

Get involved



Participate in YECN projects and discussions, share
your ideas and knowledge to grow our network

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