

## Project in a nutshell

POWERYOUTH aims to empower young people to play an active role towards the energy transition.

## objectives

- 1 Effectively engage young people and other key stakeholders in collective actions
- 2 Develop a toolkit that facilitates the empowerment of youth in energy communities
- 3 Create and execute a comprehensive and easily replicable capacity building programme to train young people in green energy skills
- 4 Mobilise youth organisations and local authorities to replicate the POWERYOUTH approach across EU
- 5 Formulate policy recommendations and develop exploitation plans for accelerating youth energy communities' adoption

## Approach

- ⚡ Development of digital participatory tools and capacity building programmes
- ⚡ Training of Youth Energy Community Leaders through capacity building programmes
- ⚡ Focus on increasing youth participation in energy communities
- ⚡ Creation of innovative business and financing schemes tailored to youth energy communities
- ⚡ Facilitation of meaningful dialogue between youth and local stakeholders
- ⚡ Implementation of local pilot programs in 5 target EU countries, aiming to establish youth-empowered energy communities
- ⚡ Involvement of at least 1000 young people and stakeholders who will act as multipliers across the EU

## Key outputs

- ⚡ Analysis of the barriers and local conditions for youth energy communities
- ⚡ Release of POWERYOUTH Toolkit
- ⚡ POWERYOUTH Capacity building programme and learning modules
- ⚡ POWERYOUTH Engagement Campaigns
- ⚡ Production of National and EU policy recommendations and policy briefs

## Impacts

- ⚡ Multi-level impact engaging diverse stakeholders
- ⚡ Broad geographical scope (5 pilot countries)
- ⚡ Involvement of various organizations: Young organizations, Existing energy community Energy agencies, Representatives of regional/local authorities, European network, ICT experts, Research institutes
- ⚡ Collective actions in key areas: Energy Generation and Supply, Energy Efficiency, Comfort, Ease & Wellbeing
- ⚡ Training of Youth Energy Community Leaders