

# Youth and Sport for All in the Adriatic and Ionian Region



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**29** SUNDAY  
SEPTEMBER  
h 4.30 p.m.

**ANCONA**  
Piazza Cavour  
Youth Games Village

In case of bad weather, the event will take place at INFORMAGIOVANI (Piazza Roma - ANCONA)



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# EUSAIR Youth Games



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# About us



The Forum of Adriatic and Ionian Cities (FAIC) is a non-profit international association open to municipalities of the Adriatic-Ionian basin.

It was founded in Ancona in 1999, upon the initiative of the Municipality of Ancona and of the

National Association of Italian Municipalities, with the approval of the "Charter of Ancona", establishing a set of principles aiming at creating a place for intercultural dialogue and political mediation and fostering a peaceful Adriatic and Ionian community, open to Europe. Today it represents a tool for economic, political, cultural and human cooperation, broadly in line with the European Union Strategy for the Adriatic Ionian Region (EUSAIR).

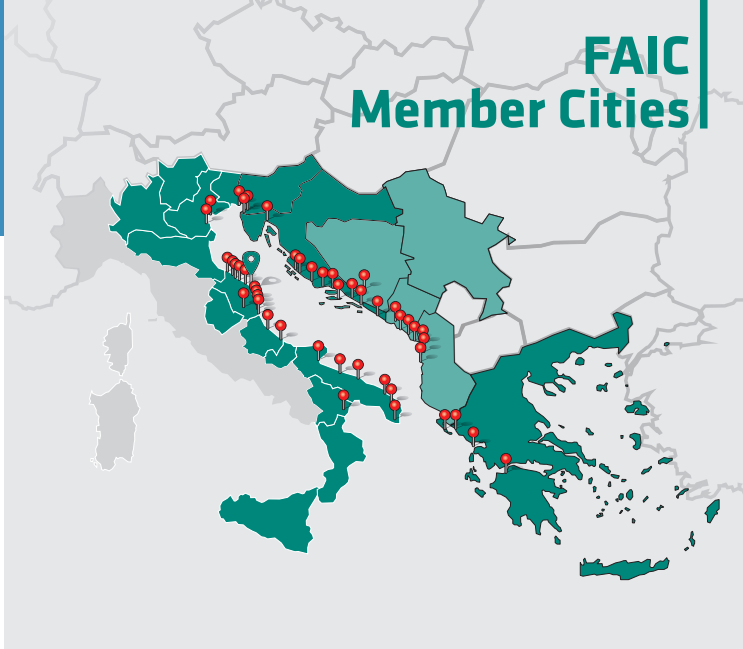
It brings together local authorities of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Greece, Italy, Montenegro, Slovenia, and it is open to those from Serbia.

## EUSAIR

EUSAIR is the European Union Strategy for the Adriatic and Ionian Region. Home to more than 70 million people in 8 countries, the Region plays a key role in strengthening geographical continuity in Europe, creating an area of cohesion, collaboration, solidarity. The FAIC has been officially recognised as key actor of the implementation of the Strategy, fully supporting it through all its activities and collaborating with the European Commission and the other relevant institutions.

The FAIC is also formally involved in the Adriatic Ionian Initiative (AII) Round Tables works, fostering the EUSAIR Thematic Steering Groups.

## FAIC Member Cities



## AI-NURECC Initiative



The Adriatic Ionian Network of Universities, Regions, Chambers of Commerce and Cities involves the key stakeholders of the AI Region that have joined their efforts to support the

EUSAIR implementation. The 18 months project is co-financed by the EU and brings together 5 partners: FAIC, UNIADRIAN, ForumAIC, CRPM and AIE. The final goal is to promote a structured dialogue and a stronger cooperation among Regional & Local Authorities, Universities, Chambers of Commerce, youth networks, entrepreneurs and civil society. Actions integrate and follow the relevant work prepared by the Presidency of the EUSAIR/AII.

The following four preparatory actions are set up: Youth Action; Creative & Cultural Industries Action; Task Force on Tourism & Cultural Heritage; Skills Development & Training Action.

Two further specific actions, developed in synergy with the AI Stakeholder platform, aim at fixing the conditions to operate across the whole macro-region: Communication Campaign and Observatory on Multilevel Governance.

The AI-NURECC "EUSAIR YOUTH GAMES", organised by FAIC with the support of all other project partners, represent a unique outstanding sport, social and cultural event reinforcing synergies among Adriatic and Ionian local, regional, national and international actors, sport and other voluntary associations, schools, young people.

## AI-NURECC Info-Kiosk

## European Sport and Social Inclusion Policies in the Adriatic and Ionian Region

**Youth Games Village,  
Piazza Cavour, Ancona, Italy**

**Friday 27 September**

**16-19.30**

**Saturday 28 September**

**10-13 | 15-19.30**

**Sunday 29 September**

**10-13 | 15-19.30**

Representatives of the following associations will be available in order to inform about the project and their work:



CPMR  
Conference of Peripheral Maritime Regions



FORUM  
della Camera di Commercio dell'Adriatico e dello Ionio  
of the Adriatic and Ionian Chambers of Commerce  
Gospodarskih Komora Jadransko-jonskog področja



will be also present and available  
to inform about EUSAIR and its work