

Call for Application
think.BDPST Young Leaders' Forum
Budapest, 26-29 March 2018

The **Antall József Knowledge Centre (AJKC)** cordially invites you to participate in the Young Leaders' Forum (YLF) of *think.BDPST*, Hungary's strategic conference on regional development and the perspectives of research, innovation, and future technologies. The conference is organised on **26-29 March 2018** in Budapest.

The Young Leaders' Forum (YLF) will feature outstanding young scholars (aged 24-38), who are professionally active in the field of transport, innovation, automotive industry, informatics, urban design and connected social sciences and legal studies in order to make it possible for them to meet with the current decision makers and learn about new trends and developments in their fields through workshops and roundtable discussions.

The main topics of the four-day event are the current developments in automotive industry, reduction of transport poverty, integrated personal mobility, smart cities and urban planning as well as legal and social issues connected to the development of transportation.

YLF encourages outstanding **young professionals** coming from **different segments of science, research and politics** to learn more about new trends and innovation in the fields of mobility development, transport, smart cities, urban planning and connected legal and social issues.

The Forum welcomes also those **young innovators, inventors and entrepreneurs** whose ideas and innovations are aimed at **tackling current challenges in the field of transport poverty, integrated personal mobility and urbanisation**.

During the Forum, participants will have the opportunity to exchange ideas about the best possible practices, experience, and knowledge in order to create a common standpoint regarding the main topics of the Forum via debates, group works and other interactive forms of discussion. On the other hand we also focus on the development of participants' leadership skills and potentials with seminars and special workshops.

Note: For those coming from the V4 and the CEI region, as well as the EU 28, the following expenses are covered by the Knowledge Centre: accommodation with breakfast included, lunch for three days, and travel.

For those coming from any other countries, the following expenses are covered: accommodation with breakfast included, lunch for the three days. Please note that travel costs are not covered.

Application requirements:

To be considered for this program, interested parties should submit the following materials:

- Current CV (uploaded in PDF format, including the applicant's age)
- High-resolution profile photo (min. 2000 pixels)
- Online application form (available [here](#))

Deadline for application: 5 January 2018, midnight CET

For further information please contact: ylf@think.bdpst.org