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## Young Europeans are Contributing to the Reconstruction of Ukraine

At **Berlin's Café Kyiv on 23 February 2026**, the Rebuild Ukraine Ambassadors will present the result of months of work, youth-led policy proposals outlining priorities for Ukraine's reconstruction and European integration amid renewed EU accession momentum.

At a pivotal moment for Ukraine's recovery and EU accession process, 30 young ambassadors from Ukraine and across Europe will present policy proposals addressing reform, governance, and long-term resilience. Developed under the [European Youth Parliament's \(EYP\) Rebuild Ukraine Ambassadors Programme](#), the publication "Rebuilding Ukraine: A Youth Policy Agenda for Recovery and EU Accession" writes about recommendations designed to accelerate alignment with EU standards, and strengthen democratic institutions.

The Rebuild Ukraine Ambassadors Programme, an annual initiative of the EYP since 2022, creates opportunities for young Europeans to engage with decision-makers on Ukraine's recovery and integration. Previous editions of the programme have resulted in policy papers that were presented to Members of the European Parliament, national stakeholders, and civil society representatives.

The official presentation will take place at [Café Kyiv 2026](#), a Berlin-based platform dedicated to dialogue on Ukraine's freedom, security, reconstruction, and European future, the event gathers decision-makers, civil society representatives, and international media.

*"As Rebuild Ukraine ambassadors, we engage with young people to foster a sense of shared responsibility for the country's recovery and advocate for long-term, sustainable solutions that go beyond immediate reconstruction. Through dialogue with European stakeholders, we ensure that youth perspectives are not only heard but integrated into decision-making, reinforcing Ukraine's integration into the EU."*

– Kateryna Korpalo, EYP Rebuild Ukraine Ambassador

Journalists and policymakers may request early access to the publication "Rebuilding Ukraine: A Youth Policy Agenda for Recovery and EU Accession", as well as interviews with the Rebuild Ukraine Ambassadors, by contacting [communications@eyp.org](mailto:communications@eyp.org). Four of the Ambassadors will be present at the event and available to engage.

The [European Youth Parliament](#) is a peer-to-peer educational programme that connects young people across Europe and creates space for political debate, personal development, and the exchange of ideas. Since 1987, the EYP empowers thousands of Europeans annually to be active citizens, and currently involves around 25,000 young people from over 40 European countries in its activities each year.