

The Pan-European Movement

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## Where are you calling from?









What are the challenges we will face tomorrow?

The world needs global solutions...





... but politics in Europe is rooted in the national.

## That's why we've founded Volt...





60.000 Volt supporters



**27.000 Members** 



5.000 Active Volunteers



Active in 31 countries

...because we believe that only a Europe that acts together can solve our shared challenges.

## Our shared challenges:









## Our mission

A united, federal Europe where everyone has equal chances to fulfill their unique potential.







## Our Call to Action

Empower people to change politics and unlock Europe's potential together.

## What we stand for

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Equal opportunities Human dignity

Justice Sustainability

Liberty Solidarity





# **Our Identity**

**European** Progressive

Sustainable Pragmatic

**Innovative** 

### What do we do?

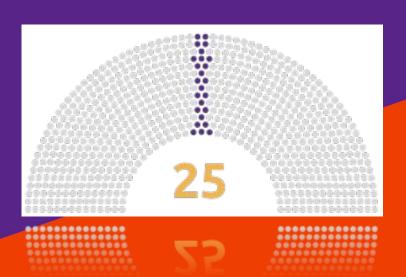


- > Strive for one Europe with one democracy
- Stand against nationalism and populism!
- > Act on all levels: European, national and local
- > Formulate and enact evidence-based policy
- Use practises from all over Europe as a powerful solution tool
- Organise communities to work towards shared goals
- Win elections and implement our policies
- Run social innovation campaigns

# Our goal



Our own political faction in the European parliament.



25 European Parliament Members elected from 7 different countries.

## Impact and Successes





100+ elected representatives across Europe



Damian Boeselager First MEP Volt Europa

Two Volters in the Dutch national parliament



Volt in Europe: >1'500'000 votes

Best practice approach



Over 1 million worth of relief supplies donated through 'Europe cares'



"Change isn't one big step taken by one person somewhere in the future....



It's thousands of small steps, that thousands of people take. Starting today." (Laurens Dassen)

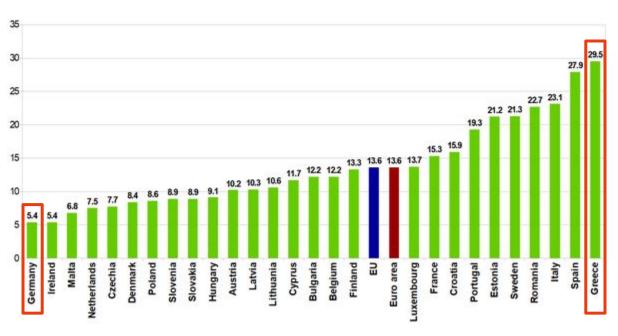


## Why are "the Germans" here?



#### EU Youth Unemployment June 2022

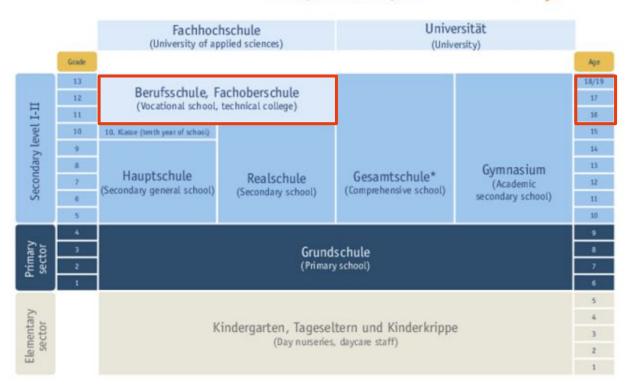
Seasonally adjusted youth (under 25s)



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# The Greek system



Compulsory Edu	ucation			
6 7 8 9 10 11	12 13 14	15 16 17	18	Age
1 2 3 4 5 6	7 8 9	10 11 12		Grade / Class
	Compulsory Secondary Education (Gymnasio)	Post Compulsory (Upper) Secondary Education (Enieo Lykeio)		University (Panepistimio)
				Technical Education Institute (TEI)
Primary Education (Dimotiko)		Post Compulsory (Upper) Secondary Education  (TEE) Technical Vocational Educational School (A & B Cycle)	Post Compulsory Secondary Education  (IEK) Vocational Training Institutes	Higher Education – Non University
				Hellenic Open University (Anoikto Panepistimio)
Special Needs School				
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## **Germany: VET-System**



#### **Process**



#### **Dual Learning at two venues**

#### 70 % Training in the company

- Structured training under real work conditions
- Trainees participate in actual business activities
- ► Trainees receive a remuneration

#### 30 % Lessons in vocational school

- Lessons in class
- Occupation related (2/3) and
- General (1/3) subjects









## Germany: VET-System



- VET = Vocational and Educational Training
- School + Work = Certification after 2 or 3 ½ years
- 1.32 Mio. trainees p. A. in 325 recognised professions
- That implies: 5 % of all employees are trainees

Around 93 % pass their training successfully.

## **Germany: VET-System**



- Every year, around 20% of all companies engage in training (ca. 430,000 of 2.2 Mio.)
- Around 500,000 new trainees p. A.
- 74 % of them will be directly taken over after the training



## vs 🧥 ? Yes and no



- Keep people in the regions > no brain drain!
- Give perspective to the youth
- Strengthen companies / economy through qualified people
- Quality of companies increases > Qualified staff ensures trust among customers in Europe & worldwide
- Knowledge and expertise enrich Greece

# Support & solutions



- Exchange of knowledge, for example from Germany
- Fundings from the European Union > reserved money for \( \bigsize \)
  - much more possible
- Reduce bureaucracy and organise more information

## **European Youth Guarantee**



The EU created the Youth Guarantee for young people living in the EU under 30. in 2013. It has since helped over 24 million people. Based on a Commission proposal, the (...) Youth Guarantee keeps the pledge that if you sign up, you will receive an offer of employment, education, apprenticeship or traineeship within four months.