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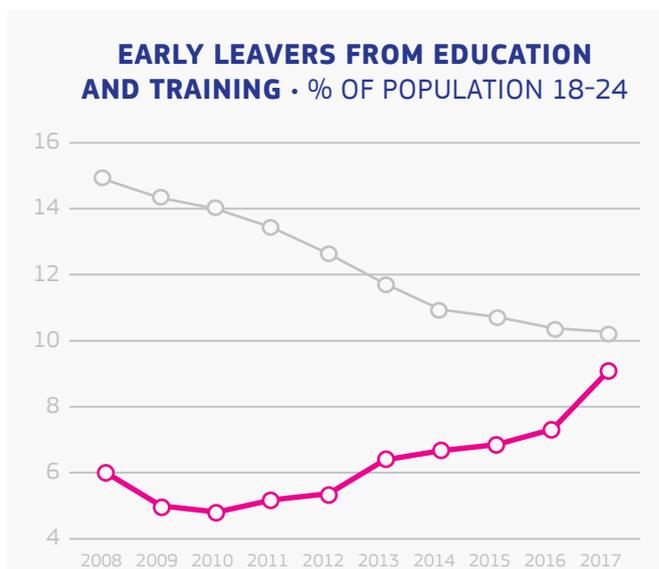
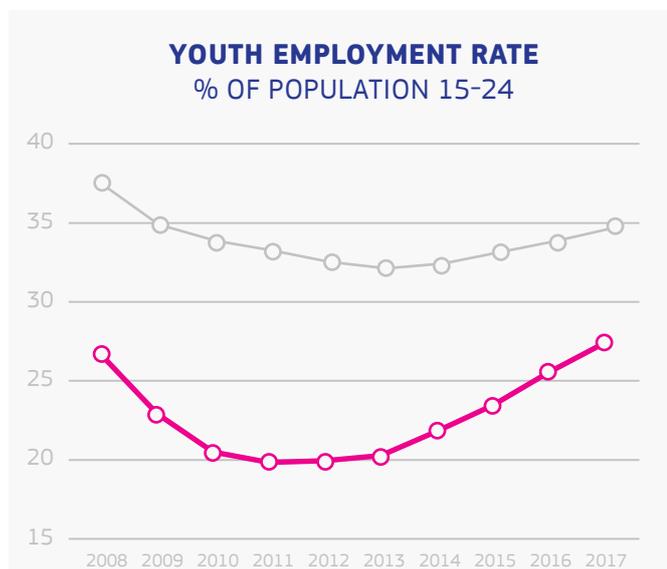
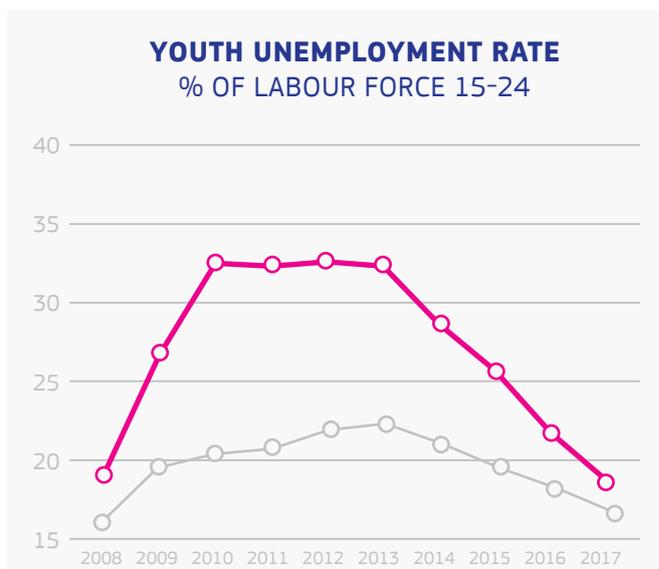
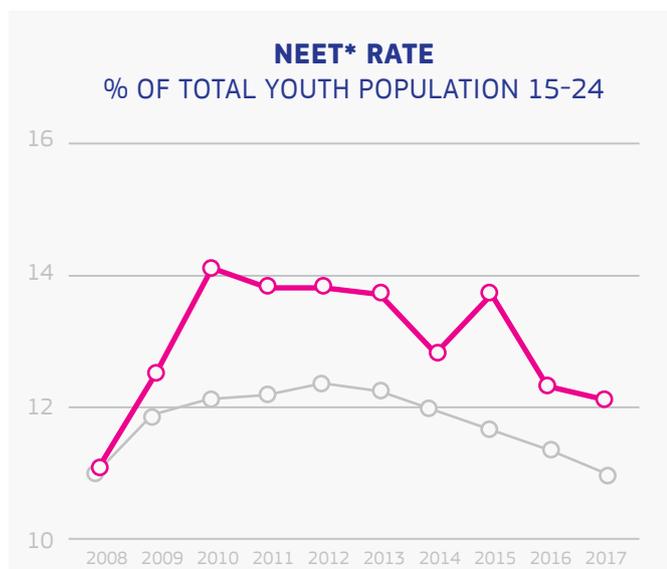


YOUTH GUARANTEE & YOUTH EMPLOYMENT INITIATIVE

SLOVAKIA

YOUNG PEOPLE'S LABOUR MARKET PERFORMANCE (2008 > 2017)

○ National average ○ European average



* NEET = Not in Employment, Education or Training



YOUTH GUARANTEE PERFORMANCE (2017)



40.7%*

YOUNG PEOPLE **TOOK UP OFFER**
WITHIN 4 MONTHS

* % OF TOTAL EXITS



37.2%

PROPORTION* OF NEETs
REACHED BY
THE YOUTH GUARANTEE

* ESTIMATED



YOUTH EMPLOYMENT INITIATIVE (2013 > 2017)

YEI ALLOCATION**

84,539,823 euros

matched equally by
European Social Fund support

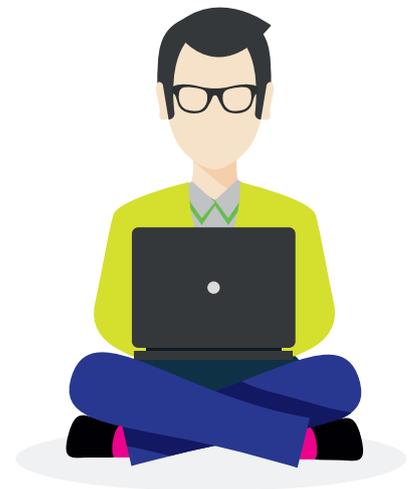
YEI COVERAGE

**Number of persons in
YEI-supported actions**

40,176

**Number of persons who
completed a YEI operation**

18,857



(These data refer to intervention completed or still ongoing.)

** Member States that are eligible for the YEI are those with regions that have youth unemployment rates of 25% or higher in 2012 (for the initial allocation), and in 2016 (for the YEI increase).

EXAMPLE OF A MEASURE SUPPORTED BY **THE YOUTH EMPLOYMENT INITIATIVE**

Practice to Employment

The YEI-funded 'Practice to employment' (Praxou k zamestnaniu) project is based on an innovative approach that combines support for the acquisition of professional skills through job mentoring, followed by subsidised part-time employment for at least nine months. The national project aims at equipping young people with the professional skills they lack for the workplace and to enable employers to select employees who best meet their needs. Implementation of the national project is planned from autumn 2015 until December 2019 and the overall amount allocated for this flagship initiative is EUR 48.9 million.

The target groups are unemployed jobseekers aged 25 to 29 years, who have been on the jobseekers register for at least six months. Unemployed jobseekers under 25 years are also eligible if they have been on the register for at least three months. The project will support 16,000 jobseekers by offering them on-the-job training and part-time employment.

During the first mentoring period of three to six months, each young person will be provided with a 'work mentor', typically an experienced employee. After completion of the mentoring period, the subsidised part-time employment will continue for a maximum nine months. Subsequently, the employer may decide to continue with an offer of employment.