

YiP works in detention centres and other closed spaces.

Using Urban Arts and Sports, YiP invites you to make a positive twist and find an alternative path without crime.



I want to...

"I feel stressed and don't want to be here. But when I rap, paint or box, I remember what it's like to be free.

The people of YiP are just like me, but so different at the same time.

Their stories trigger new ideas: My life can change and be better too."

Urban Arts and Sports workshops

Workshops and modules for closed (forensic) youth care.

I am able to...

"Inside I made a positive switch, but in the outside world nothing changed.

My YiP mentor says: 'Do you remember the things you told me? Together we make a plan: what pulls you back and who helps?'

I take steps forward, and sometimes one backwards too. Small moments of success are guiding my way."

Mentor programme

Volunteering mentors for young people who are (about to be) released.

I am worthy...

"I found my best path, because of the choices I made myself.

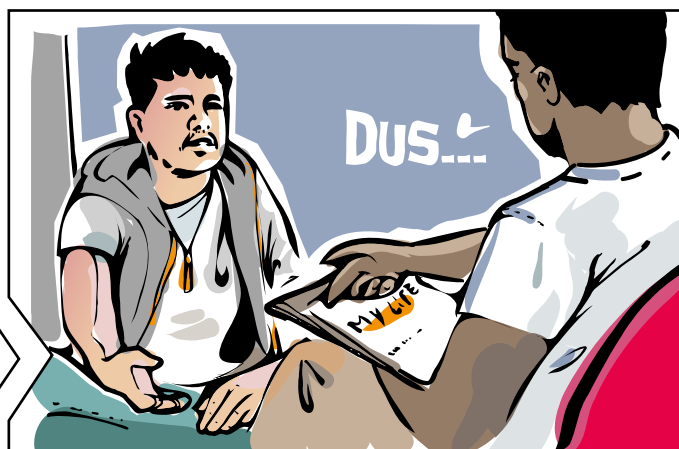
My experiences are of value when I meet prosecutors, judges and lawyers.

The beautiful and hard lessons, what I messed up and accomplished, they are all part of me.

And my story is only just beginning."

Youthlab

Young experience experts train and advise justice professionals.



YiP works with Urban Arts and Sports to reach young people in closed (forensic) care since 2002.

The artists and athletes, the role models of YiP, connect intuitively with young people. They work as a critical ally of the formal judiciary system. The **5 Play Cards of YiP** are anchored in everything they do ►



Energy A contagious vibe, something you want to be a part of



Imagination Alternative and positive ideas about the future



Competences Learning something new, not too easy and not too difficult



Relatedness Feeling part of something bigger



Autonomy Your own choices in what and how you learn

Internationally, YiP designs training programmes for NGO's, governments and other organisations who aspire to contribute to the reintegration of young people with arts and sports.

YiP has been previously active in South Africa, Malawi, Kenya, Colombia, Kosovo, Albania, Belgium and Italy.