



# YOUTH BLOG

The MIMY youth blog is made up of contributions from youth with experiences of migration and integration, and their allies, to build understanding of young people’s role in research about their lives.

PEER RESEARCH REFLECTIONS

LEARNING FROM PREVIOUS GENERATIONS

INSIGHTS ON MIGRATION AND INTEGRATION



“This experience was the beginning of a journey that I believe will never end.”

**Marie,**  
Luxemburg

“Almost immediately after participating in the MIMY project, I felt how my attitude and worldview regarding migrants, not only from my native country, but also others, had changed.”

**Oksana Breitreits,**  
Poland



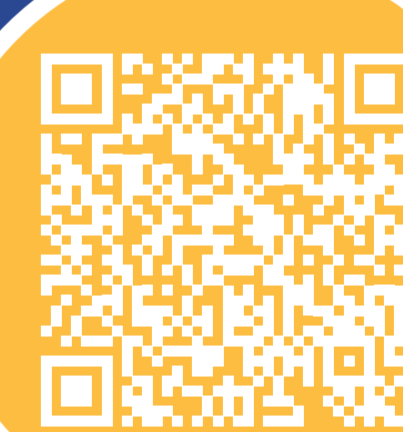
“Listening to their stories made me reflect on my own journey, acknowledge the importance of naming things and giving them a space in our timeline, as well as feeling grateful for the people who walk with me along the river and who have had to provide me with the necessary equipment to keep swimming without being carried away by the current.”

**Cristina Blumenkron,**  
United Kingdom



“Despite everything, however, a person’s individual will counts, and the participants I listened to demonstrate this. People have to believe that difficulties can be overcome and that this is what makes us strong!”

**Malamine Ba,**  
Italy



“If someone were to ask me, who I think the “perfect immigrant” is, I would say: someone who adapts but doesn’t compromise who they are; a person who recognises their privileges and uses them to empower those who can’t empower themselves.”

**Grace Mpoji,**  
Luxemburg



“We, as young people living far from home, feel like gathering with people from our country, it makes us feel at home for a while.”

**Amirul Haqqi,**  
Hungary



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