



Climate relay baton to pass through Albania on 7,767 km 'Running Out of Time' journey to COP27

On 22 October the [Running Out of Time](#) relay baton will enter Albania as it is passed 7,767km through 18 countries containing a climate message from young people to world leaders at the United Nations Climate Change Conference, COP27.

The mass-participation relay departed from Glasgow, Scotland (COP26 host city) on 30th September 2022 and will journey to Sharm el-Sheikh, Egypt (COP27 host city) taking 38 days and nights. It is the longest non-stop relay ever attempted.



Carried by runners, cyclists and sailors, the route includes Scotland, Wales, England, France, Belgium, Netherlands, Germany, Austria, Italy, Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro, Albania, Greece, Cyprus, Israel, and Egypt - arriving to Sharm el-Sheikh on November 5th 2022 in time for COP27 which will take place from 6th-18th November 2022.

See the whole [route](#) here.

See Albania's route [here](#)

Runners, cyclists, and sailors will carry the baton in 5-10km stages of the route which crosses seas, mountain ranges, glaciers, deserts, villages, towns, and capital cities. It will visit hundreds of schools, at-risk locations, and climate change projects to inspire and champion local climate action. At the same time, runners will be fundraising for the [Foundation for Environmental Education](#) and [Carbon Copy](#).

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22 October / Hani i Hotit / [Stage link](#)

24 October / Gollomboc,0 Prespe/ Stage [link](#)

All the efforts of conscious participants to pass a message on the importance of nature should be translated by decision-makers into concrete actions, keeping important natural areas intact and withdrawing destructive decisions such as the construction inside the Vjosa-Narta Protected Landscape.

People around the world who are unable to run a stage on the physical route won't miss out. They're invited to pass the baton during a [Global Virtual Relay](#) on November 5th, 2022 which is expected to attract tens of thousands of runners in the name of climate action.

Running Out of Time is organized by The World Relay Ltd and made possible thanks to the collaborative effort of a great many [partners and supporters](#).

Register to take part: www.running-out-of-time.com