My name is Ivana Plećić and I come from Šabac, Serbia. I'm an apsolvent of environmental protection, on Higher Medical and business-technological school of applied studies, in Šabac.   
My first encounter with ecology was when the action „Clean the Serbia“ took a part in our town, when I was still in high school.   
We cleared a wild depony then, in one village near Šabac, which made me became a member of European centre for ecology.  
I was intrested in ecology because I think that the status of our environment is bad, and one of the things that prove that I'm right were the floods that happened to Serbia in May 2014. The view that I saw was horrifying, and it woke my ecological conscience.   
I saw solar panels, wind mills. When I started to work in ecology, my knowlage grew up, and then everything was clear to me.   
Same year, I was passing through a place, and I was an unusual house. It was still in the process of building. There was something unusual about that house.   
It wasn't an unusual house built from brick and concrete. It was built from some kind of straw.  
After that I asked around, and they said to me it was an energy efficient baled straw house.   
Now, after two years, I'm at the project about Energy efficent baled straw house.   
I think that everyone shoud know something about energy efficienty. Nature protects us, and all that we need, the nature gave us, we just have to learn how to use it in the right way.