

Contact seminar – Group mobility of pupils for accredited schools related to participation in democratic life, common values and civic engagement



MAIN INFO

SALTO E&T link:	https://salto-et.net/events/show/BE02_0514_TSS_2023		
Sector:	SE	Priority:	Participation in democratic life (2021-27)
Scope:	Transnational		
Type of presence:	Face-to-Face	Venue country:	Belgium
Venue city:	Antwerpen	Working language:	English
Key Action:	KA1	TCA documents:	CS GROUP MOBILITY OF PUPILS draft programme.pdf
Postponed:	No	E+ Academy:	No
Start date:	25.10.2023	End date:	27.10.2023
Subtopic:	networking democracy		

TCA DESCRIPTION

Themes and goals:	The aim of this contact seminar is to provide representatives of secondary education (12-18 years) with an opportunity to develop ideas about group mobility of pupils related to the Erasmus+ priority “participation in democratic life, common values and civic engagement” and to find partners.
Expected results:	Broadening the network of partner schools for learning mobility in the context of the Erasmus accreditation in the field of school education. Develop project ideas for group mobility of pupils (12-18 years) related to participation in democratic life, common values and civic engagement.
Additional information:	We expect 10 Flemish participants and 30 European participants. The venue is within easy reach (less than 30 minutes by train) from Brussels airport. Deadline for booking places: 15th August 2023.

PARTNERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Organiser NA:	BE02 - EPOS vzw
Number of participants:	30

Target group:
Erasmus+ Programme experience level:

Profile of participants: representatives of accredited secondary schools (12-18 years) in the field of school education who are interested in setting up group mobilities for pupils

Participants per country:
Sending partner(s) - Booked places:

AT01 - 2	BE01 - 2	CY01 - 1	DE03 - 3	DK01 - 2	EE01 - 2	IE01 - 1
IT02 - 4	MT01 - 2	NL01 - 3	PL01 - 2	RO01 - 2	SK01 - 2	SE01 - 2

Pending Sending partner application(s) - Booked places:

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Accepted Sending partner(s) - Accepted places:

BE01 - 3	CY01 - 1	DE03 - 3	DK01 - 4	EE01 - 2	IT02 - 4	MT01 - 2
NL01 - 4	PL01 - 2	RO01 - 2	SK01 - 3	SE01 - 3		

Pending booked places: 0

Accepted places: 33

TCA PARTICIPANT APPLICATION

Start date of TCA Participant Application:	12.07.2023	Application deadline:	29.09.2023
Confirmation deadline for Sending NAs:	29.09.2023	Confirmation deadline for Organiser NAs:	04.10.2023

LONG-TERM ACTIVITY INFO

Title:	PEACE-PARTICIPATION: ERASMUS ALUMNI FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT		
Coordinator:	IT02 - Agenzia Nazionale Erasmus + - INDIRE	Priority:	Participation in democratic life (2021-27)
Subtopic:	EU policy raising awareness E+ role models	Sector:	SE VET HE AE YH
Country:	Belgium Czech Republic France Germany Latvia Luxembourg Portugal Romania Spain Sweden	Working language:	English

Start date: 09.2022 **End date:** 12.2024

Rationale and background:	The results of this LTA could be really important and effective, such as: • Reinforcing European identity and sense of belonging, through the means of civic engagement dissemination activities;• Creating synergies among networks of Erasmus Alumni/Ambassadors to improve communication about Erasmus+;• Spreading European opportunities with citizens;• Encouraging newcomer's participation through real life Erasmus experiences;• Raising awareness among the network of the challenges of the European Union and the active role of EU citizenship in green & digital transition and social inclusion.
Challenges:	More specifically the challenges areTo unify the networks of Ambassadors, Alumni and Role Models between different countries to create an extensive organisation of People committed to carry the messages of the European Commission and create a sense of civic belonging to Europe.To create stable relations with the Institutions on the territory, to collaborate in promoting and organising activities on the territories to consolidate and direct the civic engagement.To create a structure of national Observatories that can periodically measure, by means of indicators, the improvements on the themes promoted by the European Commission (internationalisation, civic engagement, inclusion, green, digital, etc.) to identify the critical areas and design, together possible corrective actions.To define a program of events to be repeated periodically on the territory. Starting in Italy at regional level, involving institutions, networks of Ambassadors, Alumni and Role Models and targeting teachers, territories and citizens.To organize international events in which Alumni/Ambassadors meet and create multi-country groups to go and meet students and teachers together, bringing a message of common intent and union of cultures and races.To foster synergies between funds in order to increase the number of mobilities and projects granted, and to promote civic participation in European life.
Planned Activities:	Next week the final event of the TCA-Role Model will take places in Florence. The TCA has started the works for the constitution of the Role Model network, developing tools and methodologies for its constitution and management.Moreover in September 2022 the Italian NA will organize a National event and in December 2022 an International event.In 2023 an International TCA will be organized by the Swedish NA and by the French one.In 2024 the Spanish NA (SEPIE) will organize an event and Italy will plan a dissemination event in december 2024.
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SINGLE ACTIVITIES CONNECTED TO THIS LONG-TERM ACTIVITY

IT02_0417_THO_2022	Erasmus+ contribution to European civic participation
SE01_0500_THO_2023	Participation in civic engagement 2.0, Sweden
FR01_0493_THO_2023	Erasmus+: supporting active citizenship in Europe !
BE02_0514_TSS_2023	Contact seminar – Group mobility of pupils for accredited schools related to participation in democratic life, common values and civic engagement
FR01_0596_THO_2024	Ambassadeurs Erasmus+
ES01_0589_TSS_2024	“Civic participation and EU values. Make Europe shine!”
BE02_0644_THO_2024	Thematic seminar on Democratic Participation with the focus on Tools for SCH and VET organisations and a combination with study visits
IT02_0660_THO_2024	PEACE. What’s next? LTA results and future steps
PT01_0667_THO_2024	Exploring Networks Across Sectors and Establishing A European Community

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