

Small Scale Projects on Inclusion and Diversity for Newcomers



MAIN INFO

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| SALTO E&T link: | https://salto-et.net/events/show/EL01_0479_TSS_2023 | | |
| Sector: | SE VET AE | Priority: | Inclusion and Diversity (2021-27) |
| Scope: | Transnational | | |
| Type of presence: | Face-to-Face | Venue country: | Greece |
| Venue city: | Ioánnina | Working language: | English |
| Key Action: | KA2 | TCA documents: | CA INCLUSION_20-23.06.2023_FINAL PROGRAM_V.3.0.pdf |
| Postponed: | No | E+ Academy: | No |
| Start date: | 20.06.2023 | End date: | 23.06.2023 |
| Subtopic: | newcomers networking strategic partnership equal opportunities | | |

TCA DESCRIPTION

Themes and goals: As part of the LTA activity entitled “Inclusion for Newcomers” (RO01_0389_LTA_2022), coordinated by the Romanian NA, the EL01 NA (IKY) would like to announce a contact seminar focusing on preparing participants to develop small scale partnerships (KA210), addressing newcomers and small and less experienced organisations in the field of School Education, VET and Adult Education, in the framework of the Inclusion and Diversity Priority. Prior to the event, a virtual meeting will be organized in order to give newcomers information about the Erasmus+ Programme opportunities. During the event, training on how to prepare a good quality KA2-Small scale project application as well as networking activities between participants will be offered.

Expected results: Participants will learn how to prepare a good quality KA2 small scale application focusing on inclusion and diversity. Namely, they will receive training about the following: How to analyse their organisation’s needs and set strategic goals How to find adequate partners How to set inclusive selection criteria for participants How to foresee inclusive preparation measures for the participation of students with fewer opportunities How to set qualitative and quantitative targets to monitor sufficiently the implementation of their project How to embed inclusive communication measures and ensure project results are embedded in their organisation’s every day work.

Additional information:

The contact seminar will take place on June 20th to 23rd, in Ioannina, a historic city located in Northwestern Greece. Ioannina is one of the Greek towns that have received a large number of refugees during the past years and is considered as a remote geographical area, surrounded by mountains, close to the border with Albania. There are direct flights from Athens International Airport to Ioannina International Airport "King Pyrrhos". The Hellenic NA/IKY will cover the costs for accommodation and food for three days (20th to 22nd) and also the costs of the cultural programmes and the relevant local transportation that will be provided. The Hellenic NA/IKY will offer 60 places in total for participants, among which 10 places will be given to Greek participants and 10 places to Romanian Participants. 40 places will be distributed among other interested NAs. Please note that priority will be given to partners within the LTA "Inclusion for Newcomers): IT01, IT02, CZ01, RS01. In addition, 5 places will be offered to NA staff. NA staff will be expected to actively participate as facilitators among the 6 different working groups that will be created. Participants are expected to have a good knowledge of English language and will have to participate actively in all sessions of the contact seminar.

PARTNERS AND PARTICIPANTS

Organiser NA: EL01 - Greek State Scholarship's Foundation (IKY)

Number of participants: 60

Target group:

Erasmus+ Programme experience level:

Profile of participants: The event is open to school/VET teachers, headmasters and staff in Adult organisations dealing with people with fewer opportunities. Priority will be given to the following newcomer organisations, wishing to prepare a KA2 small scale project application focusing on Inclusion and Diversity as a main priority: School sector and VET sector (initial training) Newcomer Schools/VET schools from geographically remoted and /or very poor areas with diverse student population, including migrants, Roma and refugees, as well as schools for children with special needs. Adult sector Newcomer Organisations from remote and/or very poor areas, targeting people from vulnerable social groups.

Participants per country: 10 - Greece | 10 - Romania | 2 - Any

Sending partner(s) - Booked places: CY01 - 2 | DE02 - 2 | EE01 - 3 | EL01 - 10 | IE01 - 3 | IS01 - - | IT02 - 7 | LU01 - 3 | LV01 - 2 | MT01 - - | NL01 - 2 | PL01 - 5 | RO01 - 10 | SK01 - 2 | SE01 - 3

Pending Sending partner application(s) - Booked places: -

Accepted Sending partner(s) - Accepted CY01 - 2 | DE02 - 2 | EE01 - 3 | EL01 - 10 | IE01 - 3 | IS01 - 4 | IT02 - 8 | LU01 - 2 | LV01 - 2 | MT01 - 2 | NL01 - 2 | PL01 - 4 | RO01 - 11 | SK01 - 1

places: **SE01 - 3**

Pending booked places: 0

Accepted places: 59

TCA PARTICIPANT APPLICATION

Start date of TCA Participant Application: 28.03.2023 Application deadline: 20.04.2023

Confirmation deadline for Sending NAs: 24.04.2023 Confirmation deadline for Organiser NAs: 27.04.2023

LONG-TERM ACTIVITY INFO

Title: Inclusion for newcomers

Coordinator: RO01 - Agentia Nationala pentru Programe Comunitare in Domeniul Educatiei si Formarii Profesionale Priority: Inclusion and Diversity (2021-27)

Subtopic: newcomers Sector: SE VET AE

Country: Czech Republic Greece | Italy Romania | Serbia Working language: English

Start date: 01.2022 End date: 12.2024

Rationale and background: In 2021, EC launched the cross-sectoral Strategy for Inclusion and Diversity, based on the Implementation guidelines Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps Inclusion and Diversity Strategy. In this context, each NA created its own national strategy or action plan, adapted to its own national realities. Starting from this, RO NA proposes the LTA addressing inclusion for newcomers from E&T sectors (SE, VET, AE). The very first series of events will focus on preparing the participants to be able to develop qualitative small-scale partnerships (KA2) projects, addressing newcomers and small and less experienced organizations addressing inclusion and/or working with vulnerable target groups. In this line, for each event we expect to have on board participants with none or minimum developed project management skills in order to go through the process of project cycle management and as well to understand and internalize the inclusiveness of their future Erasmus+ project. In most cases, each of NA could use TCA - both regular activities and LTAs- as main tool to foster inclusion at national level, in an international context. The next phases will also tackle Short-term projects for mobilities.

Challenges: Different national realities within LTA partners.

Planned Activities: 2022May - August National mapping of newcomers or less experienced

organizations
 Promotion of general aspects about Erasmus+ and the 2 KAs managed by NAs
 Promotion of international event to be hosted by RO NA
 September 2022 International TC with contact seminar elements on writing small-scale partnerships
 3 online support coach and mentoring sessions prior October's deadline. June 2023 International TC with contact seminar elements on writing small-scale partnerships in Greece
 2023 and 2024 similar TCs for Short-term projects for mobilities and small-scale partnerships.

Expected results: Promotion of Erasmus+ programme as a tool for inclusion among E&T organizations;
 Increased quality of future projects coming from small organization with no experience in Erasmus+;
 Providing the space and context for networking between participants to share ideas and inclusive approaches, to find answers and solutions to the same needs, to find partners for future initiatives and projects.

SINGLE ACTIVITIES CONNECTED TO THIS LONG-TERM ACTIVITY

- RO01_0390_TSS_2022 First Step First
- EL01_0479_TSS_2023 Small Scale Projects on Inclusion and Diversity for Newcomers
- RS01_0519_TSS_2023 Inclusion across Europe
- RO01_0576_TSS_2023 InclusivE+ mobilities
- IT01_0608_TSS_2024 Networking to promote inclusion and diversity in the VET sector of the Erasmus+ Programme
- IT02_0622_TSS_2023 International TCA for newcomers in Erasmus+

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