



Start Point - Citizenship Learning in a Shifting Society

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THE AIM: Towards integration and political and social participation of young vulnerable adults.

THE ISSUE : In a constantly shifting society, we do not want the most vulnerable among us to fall behind. We believe that participation in society as well as in politics is crucial for a democracy to function properly.

WE PROPOSE : An opportunity to find solutions based on accessible learning settings, equality, empowerment, and autonomy, established on a conception of active citizenship learning. Focusing on young adults from disadvantaged groups, we are assessing the barriers they face and creating tools for them to be more empowered, skilled and have a sense of personal and social responsibility as participants in a democratic society.

The consortium consists of six entities from six European countries: KulturLife – Germany, InterAktion – Austria, Center for Social Innovation – Cyprus, Rightchallenge – Portugal, DRUSTVO ZA RAZVIJANJE PROSTOVOLJNEGA DELA NOVO MESTO – Slovenia, Learning for Integration ry – Finland.



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The second and third phases of the project (PR2 and PR3) have been successfully completed. The consortium has created a digital Citizenship Learning Toolkit and a Learning Community Program which have been translated into all the partner languages. The goal of these toolkits is for marginalized young adults to use these toolkits in order to develop skills and become engaged citizens. The material includes different methods of training through video, PowerPoint style presentation, a quiz, and infographics.

Meanwhile, on 7-9th of March the Learning, Teaching, Training activity (LTTA) of the project took place in Novo Mesto, Slovenia. For this activity, partners brought together 12 Adult Educators from all the partner countries in Slovenia to share with them what they have been working on.



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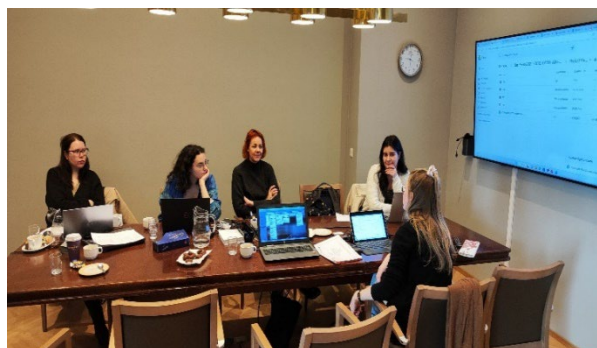
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In addition, the third in-person TPM took place on the 4th and 5th of April 2023. This time the hosts were Learning for Integration ry based in Helsinki, Finland. During that time, the partners evaluated the LTTA, that took place in March in Slovenia, and checked on the pending tasks and future activities that they should organize in each of their countries.



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