



Social Innovation and Leadership Skills for Third Sector Capacity Building

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INSPIRE Project

Welcome to INSPIRE Project - 2 year initiative funded within the framework of ERASMUS+ programme, aimed at Third Sector capacity building.

INSPIRE Platform

Open and collaborative learning environment aimed at developing the competences and skills of third sector professionals in the field of social innovation and leadership.

INSPIRE Curriculum

Social Innovation and Leadership Curriculum addressed to Third Sector professionals and aimed at facilitating exchange of good practices and initiatives and boosting the operational capacity and leadership mind-sets of the NPIs from an European approach and exploiting the social innovation potential to deal with the emerging challenges.

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Kick of meeting held in Groningen

On the 26 & 27th of November, the Kick Off Meeting of "Social Innovation and Leadership skills for Third Sector Capacity Building Project - INSPIRE" was held in Groningen, The Netherlands, hosted by the University of Groningen in a wonderful atmosphere!

During the meeting, all partners, Dramblys from Spain, InterMediaKT from Greece, Lärandeförvaltningen, Hudiksvalls kommun from Sweden & 36,6 Competence Centre Poland had a chance to get to know to each other and to review the goals and aims of The INSPIRE project and so agreed on the next steps to be followed.

During the meeting University of Groningen delivered a training workshop on Design Based Education, sharing their expertise on this innovative methodology, that will be used to develop the Training Programme.



INSPIRE Partnership



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VISIT OUR NEW WEBSITE:



A website dedicated to the INSPIRE project is now available. It will be regularly updated and will be maintained beyond the lifetime of the project itself.

INSPIRE project website will include the training programme (courses) that will be developed.

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European Social Innovation and Leadership Curriculum under development

Through DBE (Design Based Education), the project will bring both, a "real-world" environment and a dynamic component to the developed education/training. DBE is one of the innovative concepts that aims at a more authentic and sustainable learning experience of students. In DBE, students are trained to develop solutions to real-life issues using a systematic design science approach. The multidisciplinary approach and the phases of design thinking (understanding, defining, ideating, designing, applying/experimenting, evaluating, improving) tie in well with innovation, finding solutions for complex issues and creating valuable new ideas, products or services. It is also about learning by experimenting and doing, learning from experiences and mistakes.

As a result, the project will be co-designed around DBE and pedagogy that is relevant to third sector professionals taking into account learning styles, personality traits, and nuances most suited to developing skills for innovation and leadership. Consequently, an evidence-based pedagogy for the enhancement of operational capacity of NPIs will be developed and translated into a new and unique European Social Innovation and Leadership Curriculum.



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