“Networking to Promote Inclusion and Diversity in Erasmus+ VET Mobility and Partnerships”
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First Step First
Inclusion and Diversity for Newcomers – Long Term Activity

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In 2021, was launched the cross-sectoral Strategy for Inclusion and Diversity, based on the Implementation guidelines Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps Inclusion and Diversity Strategy.

Each NA already drafted or created its own national strategy adapted to its own national realities. In most cases, each NA could use TCAs* as the main tool to foster inclusion at the national level, in an international context.

*TCA – Training and Cooperation Activities

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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 focused on preparing the participants to be able to develop qualitative small-scale partnerships (KA2)** projects, addressing newcomers and small and less experienced organizations.

In this line, for each event, we plan to have onboard 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.

*SE- school education, VET – Vocational Education and Training, AE – Adult Education
** KA – Key Action

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Where is inclusion in this?

The topics approached in the project
The project management approach + target group General: To promote Erasmus+ programme as a tool for inclusion among E&T organizations;

Specific Objectives

Specific 1: To increase the quality and the number of future projects coming from small organizations with no experience in Erasmus+;

Specific 2: To provide space and context for networking between participants to share ideas, to find answers and solutions to the same needs, and to find partners for future initiatives and projects.

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Steps in implementing the LTA activities

1. Mapping of no-experience organizations in each country;
2. National informing event(s) in all countries/or prior informing online event organized by RO NA;
3. International offline events in Romania, Greece, Serbia, Italy + online TC;
4. Weekly coaching/support activities before deadlines;
5. Networks of professionals.

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Other insights

A better understanding of the Erasmus+ philosophy

Erasmus+ project management insights

The importance of having and presenting good practices during the event

Offering the context and the space to share what works and doesn't work in similar organizations in Europe, find common solutions to these problems

The presence of NA staff during the event.

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Next Steps

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Many thanks for your attention!

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