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EUROPEAN PROJECTS

SPOTLIGHT

Approval of Project DIVINA Diversity in Adult Education, submitted Centro **Formación** Somorrostro - Spain and Project GREEN TOUR / Green **Tourism Education: Innovative** way to Develop Rural Areas, submitted **Ecocenter** Alapítvány – Hungary, to Key Action 204, **Erasmus+** Program, Call 2016!



Erasmus+

DIVINA Edu Project

Society is increasingly culturally, religiously and socially diverse, and in training this diversity leads to that trainers / tutors / educators need to adapt to enhance the learning success of all participants. In project DIVINE Edu, and based on projects already developed by some of the partners (including the Learn + project coordinated by AidLearn between 2009 and 2011), it is aimed to create a b-learning methodology and course to help trainers / educators in the management of Diversity in their training groups.

The Centro de Formación Somorrostro (ES) is the promoter and the partners are: AidLearn (PT), Escuela Profesional Otxarkoaga (ES), Hellenic Open University (GR), Olympiaki Epaideftiki Kai Symvouleftiki Epe (GR) and Oxfam Intercultura Societa Cooperativa (IT). The first meeting of the partnership is scheduled for Bilbao, 23-24 February 2017.

GREEN TOUR Project

This project is a transfer of the project NATUR coordinated by AidLearn between 2010 and 2102. The tourism sector is growing at a European level, and it is



increasingly necessary to train professionals in this sector, and promote the sustainability of tourism and environmental protection of tourist destinations. This is the main objective of the project GREEN TOUR, with the creation of a blearning course aimed at tourism professionals, mainly SMEs This project is

coordinated by Ecocenter Alapítvány (HU) and its partners: AidLearn (PT), European Center for Quality Ood (BG), LUISS Libera Universita Internazionale Degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli (IT) and Szent Istvan University (HU). The first meeting of the partnership is scheduled for 5 and 6 December 2016, in AidLearn facilities.



1st Meeting of Project BACCHUS SME, Forcalquier, France

BACCHUS SME Project

The project Organisational Diagnosis and B-Learning Tool for Enhancement of the Wine Tourism SME / BACCHUS SME is concerned with developing a diagnostic tool and a B-learning course available in BACCHUS SME platform (online) for initial or continuing training aimed essentially to Enotourism SMEs. The project coordinator is CDE Petra Patrimonia (FR), and the partners are: AidLearn (PT), MERIG (AT), Molise verso il 2000 scrl (IT), University of Salamanca (ES) and DAKOM (BG).

In the 1st Transnational Meeting of the project, held at the CDE Petra Patrimonia (3/4 November 2016), it was discussed the image of the project, and the steps to take in the research to perform to Wine Tourism SMEs and tourists of local tourists Wine tourism. Soon we will have online guestionnaires, and we count on your participation.



Refugees IN Project

The project Cinema for Refugees Social Inclusion has already a logo, the starting point for its brand image! We are building the website, available soon, but you can follow the ongoing work in the Facebook page of the project.

This project is coordinated by AidLearn and aims to combat negative social beliefs with undoubted evidence made by, and about, the achievements of exrefugees well integrated in the EU societies where they live today.

The aim is to equip professionals who work with refugees with an innovative film-based package to encourage intercultural dialogue, to combat discrimination against refugees and to promote their social inclusion.

In line with the approach adopted in the CINAGE Project, cinema will be used as a tool to break stereotypes and portray real and inspiring life histories of former well-included refugees in the EU, believing they can have a central role as model of Inclusion to newly arrived refugees

The partners are: VHS Hamburg (DE), Centro Studi Citta di Foligno Associazione (IT), Slovenian Third Age University (SI), Dun Laoghaire Institute of Art, Design & Technology (IE) and Greek Council for Refugees (GR). The first meeting of the project will take place in Ljubljana (SI) on 2 and 3 December - an opportunity for all the partners to meet and establish a cohesive team, working towards the same end. The first major task is to detail the research on social inclusion and European films since 2000, from all 28 EU countries, focused on the inclusion of refugees - the starting point for the subsequent activities to be developed in the project.

"At UNHCR, we press for concerted European action to prevent the loss of lives at sea. We also work to ensure dignified reception standards, protectionsensitive asylum systems and durable solutions"

(UNHCR, The UN Refugee Agency)













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Taking to the Top Project

The project Adult Educators on the Journey is directed to adult educators who feel the need of a curriculum for the development of basic skills of adults with whom they work. It began on November 1st, 2016 and will last for 2 years. The aim is not only to create such curriculum, but also testing the training course within the partnership: Eesti Taiskasvanute Koolitajate Assotsiatsioon Andras (EE - Project Coordinator), Eesti Vabaharidusliit Mtu (EE), AidLearn (PT), Aristotelio Panepistimio

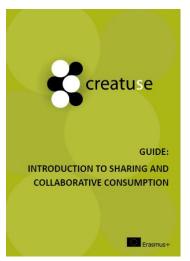
Thessalonikis (GR), Global Learning & Skills Partnership (UK), Schweizerischer Verband für Weiterbildung (CH) and Hälsinglands utbildningsförbund (SE). The first partnership meeting will be held at AidLearn on 9 and 10 February 2017.



Silver Code Project

The project Senior Trainees on Coding / Silver Code is directed to the senior population, with the aim of developing digital literacy, and more specifically to basic

learning programming. The training course to be developed will involve the creation of a virtual community of seniors to promote peer learning and maintain the practice of using ICT, in addition to promoting various events aimed at seniors. This project is coordinated by Drujestvo Znanie (BG), and partners include AidLearn (PT), Eurocrea Merchant Srl (IT), Slovenian Third Age University (SI), Die Berater (AT), Polytechnic University of Timisoara Wroclawski University (PL).



CREATUSE PROJECT

The presentation of the project *Creative Urban Sharing in Europe* in a brochure is now available online in the CreatUse <u>website</u>, in the various project languages. The Guide Introduction to Sharing and Collaborative Consumption, in several languages, it is also finished, and will soon be available on the project website. You can leave your comments and suggestions on the website Blog, and follow the posts related to the theme of Sharing and Collaborative Consumption, what is happening all over the world.

From 27 November to 3 December, at the University of Bari (Italy), elements of each of the partner institutions will be in training on various models and techniques, which will be presented to the general public in the coming CreatUse Guides: Creative Problem Solving; Neuro Linguistic Programming, World Café; and Open Space Technology.

INNOWORK PROJECT

The project InnoWork - *Towards a More Innovative Workplace*, is coming to an end, several dissemination activities of the project and its products took place in recent months, at European level. The main products are: Curriculum; Training Material (in 10 modules); and Guidelines for Training Providers. All are available for viewing and downloading on the project <u>website</u>, in the various languages of the partnership (English, Portuguese, Bulgarian, Finnish, German and Lithuanian).

InnoWork Final Conference

The Final Conference of the InnoWork Project was held on 14 October 2016 in Sofia, Bulgaria, with the participation of all the project partners (Bulgaria, Portugal, United Kingdom, Finland, Austria and Lithuania), entrepreneurs and Bulgarian training providers as well as other stakeholders, with a total of more than 130 participants.

AidLearn was represented by Maria Helena Antunes, Graça Gonçalves and Márcia Silva, and APGICO by Fernando Sousa and Ileana Monteiro.

The Conference focused on presenting and disseminating the main products of the project. The Organizational Innovation Model adopted at InnoWork was also presented, illustrated with a case study and a practical workshop.





InnoWork Portugal Conference

The InnoWork Portugal Conference was held on October 26, 2016, under the theme "Entrepreneurial Innovation: Industries 4.0, the birth of a new era?" At PIC - Portugal Industries Center, Santo Antão, Batalha, and around 50 people attended.

Former Minister Mira Amaral joined the guest panel, accompanied by the executive director of D. Dinis Business School, Vítor Ferreira, and inCentea's Director of Marketing and Innovation, Paulo Martins.

In the event were presented the main products of InnoWork Project and highlighted its relevance for creating a more innovation-friendly environment in micro, small and medium enterprises. A relevant contribution has also been made to the reflection on business innovation in times of increasing intensification of technologies for automation, data exchange and cyber-physical systems.

TRAINING COURSES - Register Now!

KA1 in Lisbon

Follow the link to find some opportunities of Erasmus+ mobility for staff in adult learning that AidLearn is organising in Portugal and that could be of interest to you.

The courses are addressed to staff or volunteers working in the field of adult and later life learning, from any public or private organisation.



Initial Pedagogical Training of Trainers

The first course of 2017 for the Initial Pedagogical Training of Trainers, allowing access to the trainer CCP, will be held at the headquarters of the company located at Rua Frederico George, 31 B-1600-012 in Lisbon.

Take advantage of our 15% discount promotion: the total cost is € 306 (payable in three tranches). The course will be held on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays in post-work hours, from January 5th to February 25th. If you are interested sign up coming into contact with us.

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