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#### **IN HIGHLIGHT**

#### WEBINAR's DIDO

"Drop in the dropouts"



Presentation of the toolkit to prevent the dropout in adults education!

## **SPIDW Cinema** Workshop



The eLearning Training action took place in **Aidlearn Learning** platform

#### **AIDLEARN**

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The publication of the **AidLearn Newsletter** is addressed to partners and customers of the company's networks. It aims to:

- Promote business activity;
- Keep in touch with all stakeholders;
- Provide useful and timely information.

In this 17th edition (July 2020), we will present the main news about national and international coordinated by AidLearn or developed in partnership, from April to June 2020.





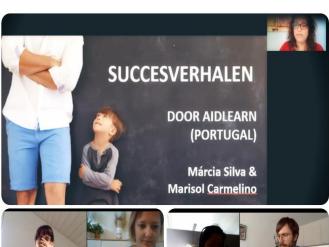
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Learn more at:





The "Drop in the Dropouts" Webinar organized by GO! CVO Antwerpen, the coordinator of the DIDO project, took place on May 13, 2020. More than 140 people interested in adult education, including adult educators, trainers, counsellors, technicians, and policymakers involved in this sector of adult education from several European countries attended this event. The project coordinator, Hannelore welcomed Audenaert, the participants and streamlined the Webinar, followed by psychologist Sarah Neyts, a school dropout specialist, who explained the reasons for high school students early dropping out of school and how adult education can be a solution for completing their studies.





The director of GO! CVO Antwerpen, Nathalie Schacht, presented the model adopted by the Belgian adult education center to measure in practice the early dropout of adults from the learning process and the strategies that this organization includes in its policy to prevent this dropout. Before a short break, Hannelore Audenaert presented the aims of the Drop-in the dropouts / DIDO project, the partner organizations, and the products developed over these 33 months. After the break, each project partner presented one of the tools they developed; Márcia Silva and Marisol Carmelino, representatives of AidLearn, presented the Success Stories tool! The analysis of the Webinar's evaluation questionnaires allows us to state that 90% of the participants considered that the lessons learned during this event would be beneficial for their professional activities; 95% said that they intend to try one or more tools, and 85% will recommend the DIDO toolkit to colleagues.

We can say that the "Drop in the Dropouts" Webinar was a success!





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In the next edition of this newsletter, find out more about the DIDO Short-Term Action / Workshop - "Drop in the dropouts" that took place nationwide on June 30, 2020, in partnership with CENFORMA.

It was a moment of enriching reflection that allowed us to present to the community involved in adult education the reasons and factors for abandoning the adult learning path, the DIDO project, and the Toolkit developed by the transnational team prevention of adult abandonment in the learning process. At the moment, the results of the Webinar are being analyzed and soon to be presented.

The <u>DIDO Toolkit</u> in Portuguese is now available!



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## AÇÃO DE CURTA DURAÇÃO CERTIFICADO PELO CENFORMA

PARTICIPAÇÃO GRATUITA | INSCRIÇÃO OBRIGATÓRIA https://zoom.us/webinar/register/wn\_dgadoc8wq5u0jlnweijyfa









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#### **DIDO PROJECT**

Coordinator: GO! CVO Antwerpen (Belgium)

- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos, Lda (Portugal);
- ✓ Axxell (Finland);
- ✓ Curio (Netherlands);
- ✓ HF & VUC FYN (Denmark);
- ✓ The Swiss Federation for Adult Learning (Switzerland).







SPIDW is an Erasmus + project to exchange best practices in adult education. The priorities focus on expanding and developing the skills of educators, open education and innovative digital practices for social inclusion.

Learn more at:







The SPIDW project Cinema Workshop, which was to take place face-to-face in Lisbon, due to the current world situation, was adapted to eLearning. A training approach different from the expected, but atypical times require adaptation and innovative responses. The training activity took place on Aldlearn' Learning Platform, was assured by Eduardo Amaro and Ana Moreira with significant involvement of all the participants who tried to do their best and attended the Zoom meetings.

#### **SPIDW PROJECT**

#### Coordinator: EureCons Forderagentur GmbH, (Germany)

- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos, Lda (Portugal);
- ✓ PRO-MED sp-zo.o (Poland);
- ✓ Slovenian Third Age University (Slovenia);
- ✓ Balkan Agency for Sustanaible Development (Bulgaria);
- ✓ Spolupracou pre lepsiu buduconost Velky Meder (Slovakia)
- ✓ Association for Intercultural Dialogue (Romania)







The Social Media Sisterhood (SMS) intends to offer high quality training to migrant women in social networks to achieve success in the social context. The project applies social networking strategies to enhance personal development, socio-cultural integration in the host community and employability.

Learn more at:









The SMS pilot that took place in the several partner countries was very successful, reaching 131 participants in 56 training sessions and 45 Mentoring Circles. The SMS hub with online material is being transferred to a new server, so it is natural that might be some problems in accessing it, and soon we will announce the new link to the hub. Meanwhile, you can assist to the Webinar in which is explained how to access and navigate in the SMS hub, on SMS YouTube channel.

The SMS Guides for facilitators and migrant women are being improved according to the feedback from the SMS pilot actions, and soon will be available on the project website. Already available is a new project Newsletter, you can read in the project website, in the different partners' languages. The final workshop, to disseminate all SMS products in Portugal, will be online in July; follow us in social media for more information!



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#### **SMS PROJECT**

Coordinator: Internationella Kvinnoföreningen (Sweden)

- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos, Lda. (Portugal)
- ✓ Inova Consultancy Ltd. (United Kingdom)
- ✓ STEPS (Italy)
- ✓ WiTEC SWEDEN (Sweden)





StereoSciFi is a European Erasmus + project, which aims to promote equality and inclusion, improve the social skills of school-age youth in relation to social stereotypes. It proposes activities based on science fiction books and films, with a strong scientific component in the exact sciences.

Learn more at:











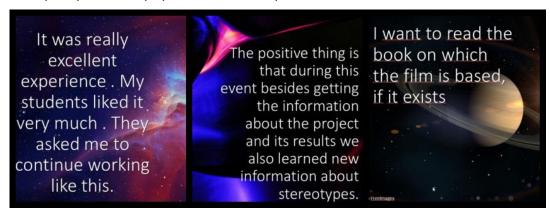
April was a dedicated month to teaching resources in School Education Gateway, and the StereoSciFi project, as a resource to teachers, was introduced into this platform available in 23 EU languages.

All products are available for free download on the project's website: Book and Film Catalog, Activity Suitcase, Teacher Guide, Brochure, and Film. Available in Portuguese, English, Spanish, Italian, Polish and Lithuanian.



#### Testimonials from participants in the StereoSciFi project

In StereoSciFi social media are being published some testimonies of project participants, namely from pilot actions and final workshops to present the project, from different partners countries.



#### StereoSciFi Project

Coordinator: AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos, Lda. (Portugal)
Partners:

- ✓ Agrupamento de Escola Emídio Navarro (Portugal);
- ✓ EURO-NET (Italy);
- ✓ Escuela Profesional Otxarkoaga (Spain);
- ✓ Telsiu svietimo centras (Lithuania);
- ✓ UNIWERSYTET LODZKI (Poland).





Chain is a European Erasmus + project, which aims to contribute to the Digitizing European Industry initiative by offering training resources capable of enhancing the development of new skills by HR and SME students (managers and owners) to deal with the changes brought about by "Industry 4.0". Learn more at



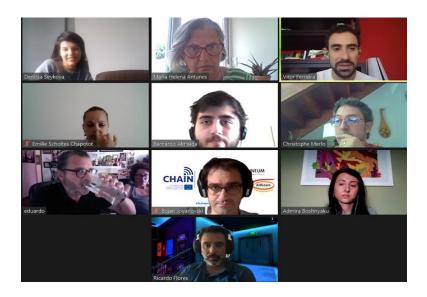






#### Fourth Transnational Meeting of CHAIN Project

Chain's fourth transnational meeting was held through Zoom! Among the topics discussed, it was defined that the project would be extended for another two months. In general, the progress of the activities was assessed, and guidelines were established for the near future!



#### **CHAIN PROJECT**

Coordinator: Instituto Politécnico de Leiria (Portugal)

- ✓ FH JOANNEUM University Of Applied Sciences (Austria)
- ✓ ESTIA Institute of Technology (France)
- ✓ ECQ European Center for Quality Ltd (Bulgaria)
- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos (Portugal)







THE BIGGER PICTURE is a European project launched in September 2018 under the Erasmus+ program aimed at creating a training course for adult educators in global citizenship, able to quickly reach several adults and have a strong impact on society. **Learn more at:** 



The course targeted to Ault Educators is being improved, so there will more homogeneity between the several modules, and considering the guidelines agreed within the partnership for the blended course.

Due to COVID-19 pandemic, we held an online partnership meeting for discussing Bigger Picture project next steps. The learning activities will take place online, and with a new schedule, the adult educators training will take place in July, and the training course for the adults is planned for October. Follow our social media for update information. The project itself will finish by the end of November.



#### THE BIGGER PICTURE PROJECT

Coordinator: Global Learning & Skills Partnership (United Kingdom)

- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria e Recursos Humanos, Lda (Portugal)
- ✓ Morley College (United Kingdom))
- ✓ Prometeo (Itály))
- ✓ The Association of Estonian Adult Educators ANDRAS (Estónia)
- ✓ Universidad de Sevilla (Spain)
- ✓ IFAID Aquitane (France)





Inside –T is a European Erasmus + project launched in November 2019, which aims to facilitate the promotion of local businesses by young adults, preferably women, who recover and take into account traditional knowledge and practices.

Learn more at:







#### 2nd Transnational Meeting of the Inside-T Project



The #InsideT team during the 1st part of the 2nd Transnational Meeting of the Project. Eduardo Amaro, representing #AidLearn, explaining the precautions to take during the filming of documentaries.

The #InsideT team during the 2nd part of the 2nd Transnational Project Meeting – were presented and agreed on the detail plans for the realization of the Course, Digital Tools, and Project Platform by their products leaders, respectively Aivar Ruukel, Ultan Faherty and Patrícia Araújo.



#### **Inside-T PROJECT**

Coordinator: Domínio Vivo - Formação e Consultoria Lda (Portugal)

- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos, Lda (Portugal)
- ✓ Confederação do Turismo de Portugal (Portugal)
- ✓ Universitatea Politehnica Timisoara (Roménia)
- ✓ Innovation and Management Centre Limited (Ireland)
- ✓ Karuskose OÜ (Estónia)







The Erasmus + FLOURISH project aims to support the adoption of organizational innovation by SMEs across the EU by developing, piloting and implementing a holistic and innovative coaching methodology, using a multi-level approach: individual, group and organizational. Learn more at

#### **#FLOURISH Filming at AidLearn headquarters**



This project uses the creative problem-solving model of APGICO, another Portuguese organization partner of the project. In the current context of Covid-19, all security measures were taken during filming.

It is a project for organizational innovation. The partners created ten scenes. The short films intended to show the possible mistakes that a facilitator can make and how to avoid them. Thus, the first situation presented an "error," and the second a condition in which the error was corrected.



#### **FLOURISH PROJECT**

**Coordinator: European for Quality Ltd (Bulgaria)** 

- ✓ Associação Portuguesa de Criatividade e Inovação (Portugal)
- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos Lda. (Portugal)
- ✓ Spoleczna Akademia Nauk (Poland)
- ✓ Kauno mokslo ir technologijy parkas (Lithuania)
- ✓ Csongrad Country Chamber of Commerce and Industry (Hungary)





Project Collaborative Learning Environment for engineering education – CoLED is developed within Erasmus+ Programme. The main objective is to develop an innovate collaborative training approach including curricula and ICT training online collaboration learning solution in the field of automation for enterprises and other people interested in those areas.

Learn more at:







Due to COVID-19 pandemic, the meeting that should have taken place in Portugal in April was cancelled and several partnership meetings took place online to reorganize CoLED tasks. The CoLED training course is being developed in English further will be enriched with multimedia materials, and later on, will be translated into partners' languages.



CoLED project was presented internationally at 29<sup>th</sup> EDEN Annual Conference – Synergy Session, organised by EDEN - European Distance and E-Learning Network, at Politehnica University Timisoara (Romania), 22-24 June, online. There were 309 delegates from 40 countries (25 European countries and 15 non-European countries), and 511 users followed the Conference on YouTube



#### **COLED PROJECT**

Coordinator: Przemysłowy Instytut Automatyki i Pomiarów PIAP (Poland)

- ✓ AidLearn, Consultoria em Recursos Humanos, Lda (Portugal)
- ✓ PRO-MED sp. z o. o. (Poland)
- ✓ Universitatea Petru Maior (Romania)
- ✓ European Center for Quality (Bulgaria)







#MOVEaMENTE - AidLearn and partners Campaign to exercise the mind in times of Pandemic COVID 19. (March 23 to May 14, 2020)



#### Highlighted projects in the #MOVEAMENTE campaign







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