

RAISING EQUALITY AND CULTURAL TOLERANCE



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Breaking stereotypes

This project REaCT concerns tolerance and respect for human rights. The results of this project will generate and disseminate positive messages aimed at achieving consistent coexistence with the mutual respect of European citizens and immigrants (refugees, repatriates).

The objectives of the project are as follows:

- encouraging adult European citizens to take action for more tolerant Europe with respect to human rights,
- taking action particularly for tolerance towards refugees crossing our borders,
- motivating participants to be aware of active citizens,
- improvement and enrichment of teaching tools in adult education,
- promoting volunteering with a focus on work with migrants and refugees,
- supporting active citizenship by initiating intercultural activities.

To achieve the project's goals, partner institutions will seek innovative teaching methods that will be tested in this specific context. These methods will be gathered in a training package available on-line, ready for implementation and use by training centers for adults across Europe.

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Welcome

We would like to invite you to participate in the various activities carried out at the local level by each of the partners, which is an excellent opportunity to stakeholders to exchange experiences and networking with educational and intercultural knowledge experts from our partner countries. This knowledge includes culture, behaviour and language differences.

In the current tough and sometimes frightening public discourse, many people feel misunderstood and left alone in terms of opinions and beliefs. They seek allies who share their views and the "We" increasingly retreat into safe bubbles. Conflicting positions that could injure or irritate are excluded. Those who think or act differently are preventively packed into an imaginary box.

Whenever controversial issues are discussed and different truth claims are made, people need to understand that equality and cultural tolerance give individuals the opportunity to live among us, even if they have different backgrounds, cultures and beliefs. Sharing this requires the recognition of diversity can lead us to a better and culturally richer society.

This is a project funded by the European Commission under the Erasmus + Program with strategic partnership for adult education, which will run until August 30, 2019.

2nd Meeting in Ponte de Lima Portugal

The second meeting of the REaCT project took place in Ponte de Lima—Portugal on July 9th to 11th 2018.

During the meeting they were presented of the Learning lessons development: Inquiry, Advocacy, 6 thinking hats and RADAR methods and examples of using the methods. Public awareness and stereotypes. There was a dissuasion on the distinction between acceptance and tolerance and coexistence.

During the meeting the partners visited the Geração Tecla Cultural Center. The project aims to work more effectively on the social inclusion of the most vulnerable children and young people living in the social district of Santa Tecla. The aim of this project is to increase school and vocational qualifications as well as to develop the skills and competences of children and young people covered by the project in order to increase the chances of



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social and professional inclusion and equal opportunities.

The next meeting will be held from 12 to 14 November 2018 in Limassol (Cyprus).

The meeting will be organized by the partner DOREA Educational Institute WTF and will take place a TPM and a LTT.

CIWOT - The Cyprus International Women of Today organization (a charitable organization) will be involved in local workshops in Cyprus.

We would like to invite you to take part in the international workshops focusing on the designing positive messages to face the migration crisis and promote the process of reception (No Hate Speech and the dissemination of the campaign).

Workshops will take place on November 12 to 14, 2018 in the city of Limassol in Cyprus. A detailed program of the workshops will be published on the

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