



# “Work in progress” “Europe For Citizens” Project

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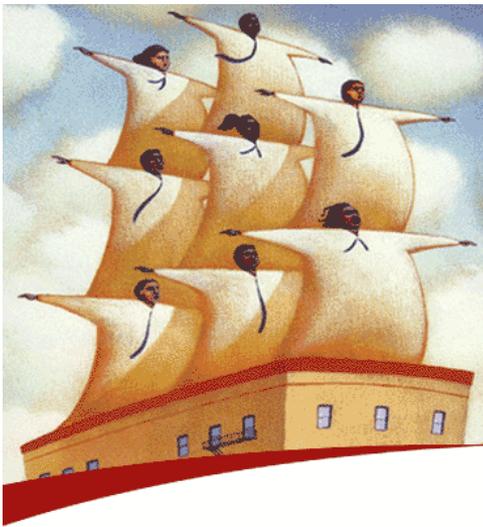


The aim of this programme is **to bring Europe closer to its citizens and to enable them to participate fully in the European construction.** Through this programme, citizens have the opportunity **to be involved in transnational exchanges and cooperation activities, contributing to developing a sense of belonging to common European ideals and encouraging the process of European integration**

# Action 2 - Active civil society in Europe



This action supports civil society organizations, as unique **links between European citizens and the European Union**. Civil society organizations at European, national, regional and local levels are important elements of citizens' **active participation** in society and help to invigorate all aspects of public life. European public policy research organizations have a specific role to play in providing ideas and reflections on **European issues**, on active European citizenship or on **European values** and in feeding the **debate at European level**.



# Measure 3: Support to projects initiated by civil society organisations



The aim of this measure is to support concrete projects of civil society organizations from different participating countries, established at **local, regional, national or European level**. Those projects should *raise awareness on the issues of common interest and on the concrete solutions that can be found through cooperation or coordination at European level.*



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12 partners/countries

Organisation Name	City	Country
Net in Action	Bologna	ITALY
Koinoniki Anaptixi Neon	Kamalata	GREECE
International Initiatives for Cooperation	Razlog	BULGARIA
Do Great Things Association	Corbeanca	ROMANIA
Youth organization Info Front - Prilep	Prilep	the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia
Rock Solid Foundation for international youthwork	Lunteren	NETHERLANDS
Genista Research Foundation	Rabat	MALTA
ESTRA foundation n.o.	Turcianske Teplice	SLOVAKIA



Asociación OPENDOORS	Quart de Poblet	SPAIN
Open Space Foundation	Sofia	BULGARIA
KAMUTI GYERMEKEKÉRT ALAPÍTVÁNY	KAMUT	HUNGARY
Active Youth	Shkoder	Albania



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## *Preparatory Activities:*

Selection of the theme: labour market in Eu

Studying the situation in Eu

Studying the situation in each country involved

Analysis: Strengths, Weaknesses at general and national level



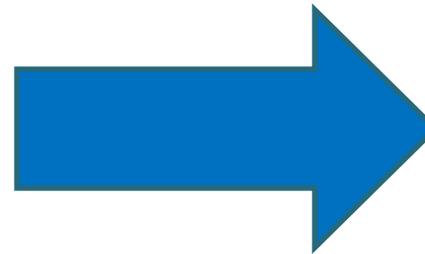
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## *Preparatory Activities:*

### 5 main topics:

1. Eu policies
2. Women
3. Immigrants
4. Youth
5. Globalization and outsourcing



Greece  
Slovakia  
Malta  
Romania

Bulgaria



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## *Preparatory Activities:*

### *EU dimension*

1. European identity
2. take part in the economic and social development of the community and in making concrete progress towards European union
3. Make them aware of the advantages which the Community represents, but also of the challenges it involves, in opening up an enlarged economic and social area to them
4. improve their knowledge of the Community and its Members States in their historical, cultural, economic and social aspects



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*A platform for discussion and interaction to better understand the  
**labour market** and its aspects.*

- 14 months
- events in six Countries
- participants from 12 countries
- Involved experts, decision and policy makers, social workers



*An opportunity to debate, elaborate, interact and share opinions and ideas about the current labour market from different point of views.*

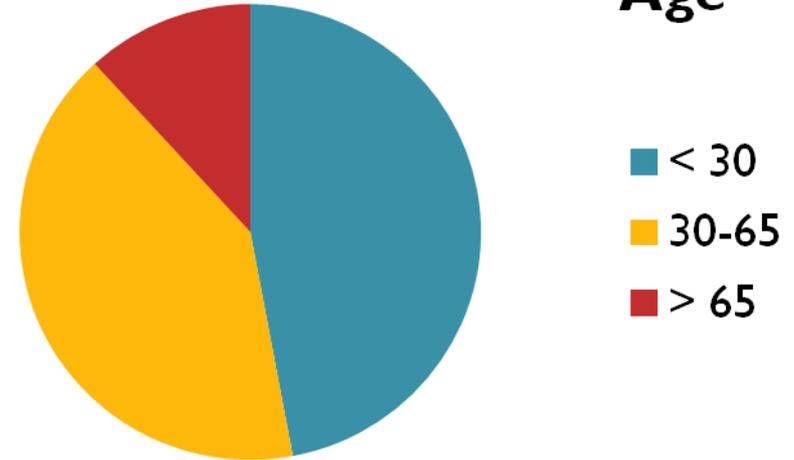
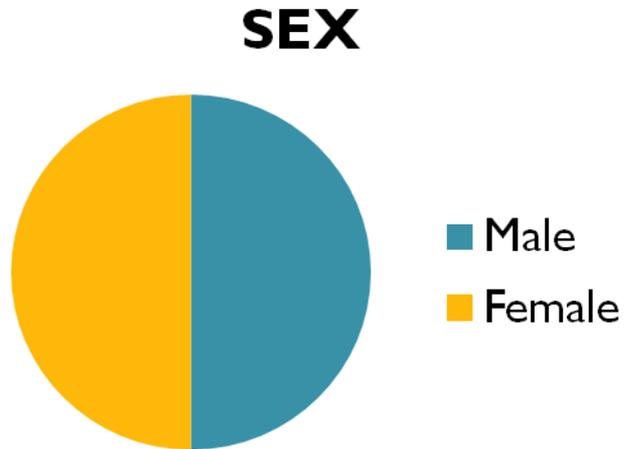
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The **aims** is to **encourage actions and awareness at a local and European level** about the topics of the project, in order to make people more conscious about their opportunities and role in the civil society in Europe.

## Outcomes:

- Vademecum (best practices, project ideas, list of EU opportunities, ..)
- DVD (videos, photos, interviews,..)
- web site: <http://www.workinprogress-efc.eu/>

# Participants



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## Visibility

### Main Tools:

- Website + e-libray
- Brochure
- Vademecum
- Dvd
- Media Channels
- press conference
- press release
- newsletters
- Involvement of public bodies
- venue in public space (university, town hall..)



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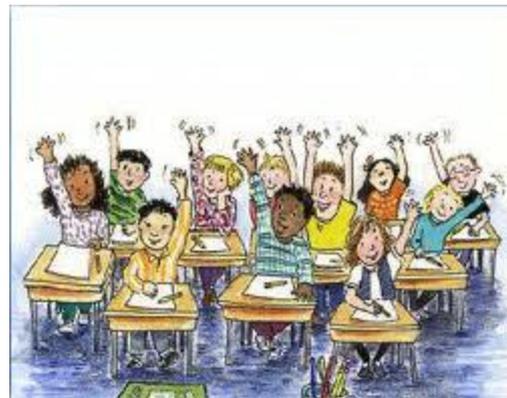
## Dissemination & Follow up

- Website + e-libray
  - Brochure
  - Vademecum
  - Dvd
  - Media Channels
  - press conference
  - press release
  - newsletters
  - Involvement of public bodies
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- Flash mob
  - Public presentation
  - Final conference
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- Organization of future project



# Thanks for your attention

We welcome questions, comments, suggestions..



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