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Project

The objectives of the project “Intercultural Education through Physical Activity, Coaching and Training” (EDU:PACT) address the intercultural challenges that most countries in Europe are facing today.

Although in most European countries physical education teachers and coaches work with culturally, ethnically and linguistically diverse groups, research indicates that many physical education teachers and coaches have not received formal training on working with diverse groups and lack professional competences in the area of intercultural education. Moreover, initial education (pre-service) and continuing professional development (in-service) do not provide physical education teachers and coaches with the necessary knowledge, skills, competences or tools to maximise the opportunities presented by diverse and intercultural groups.

The project aims to improve the quality of pre- and in-service education by strengthening the professional profile of the two sport-related teaching professions that prepare teachers and coaches for inclusive intercultural education in and through sport.

Work Programme

- 1. Needs analysis to determine the state of knowledge and to generate expert practice input**
 - *Rapid Evidence Analysis*
 - *Focus Group Interviews with teachers, researchers and experts*
- 2. Development of teaching and learning guidelines, didactical concepts and study units**
 - *Handbook*
 - *Online Toolkit*
- 3. Pilot training of expert staff from all project partners**
 - *Training of Trainers Vienna, Sept. 2019*
- 4. Implementation of the developed modules**
 - *EDU:PACT courses*
 - *National Multiplier Events*
- 5. Review & validation process to optimize guidelines, didactical approaches, study units and modules**
 - *Feedback by teaching staff and participants of courses and events*
 - *Survey on the Module Handbook*
- 6. Transnational dissemination and connecting sport stakeholders**
 - *International Multiplier Event (ENSE Forum, Vienna, Sept. 2019)*
 - *Final Conference (Online, March 2021)*

Interested in the Project?

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- German Sport University, Germany
- University of Southern Denmark, Denmark
- University of Thessaly, Greece
- University of Rome "Foro Italico", Italy
- Right To Play Germany, Germany
- Vienna Institute for International Dialogue and Cooperation – fairplay initiative (VIDC), Austria
- International Council for Coaching Excellence (ICCE), England
- Hellenic Ministry of Culture and Sport, Greece

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