

EMKIT2 6th Newsletter

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What is EMKIT2 ?

- An Empowerment Toolkit for Trainers for the Development of the Social and Cultural Competence and Media Literacy for Low Skilled Migrant Women
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EMKIT2 Status update

EMKIT 2 is aiming in empowering Third Country National (TCN) women and help them integrate in their new European host country. This will take place by providing them with competences that are considered as "key" for all European citizens. There are 7 of these Key Competences for Life Long Learning.

Within the EMKIT2 aims to develop three Qualification Frameworks which relate to 3 of these Key Competences: Social & Civic, Cultural Awareness & Expression and Media literacy, all tailored to the needs of low skilled migrant women.

The Training of Trainers was organized from February 2021 till May 2021 before the workshops with participants in all partner countries. The training was organized online via Zoom with at least

10 trainers in each country. The participating trainers were professionals working in the field of language training, integration, social orientation for newly arrived immigrants, facilitating integration of low skilled immigrants, including immigrant women. The trainers were presented with the concept of Emkit project, AC scale of active citizenship, Online assessment tool, Emkit workshops at various level of Active citizenship scale and in the 3 key areas: "Media literacy", "Social and civic competencies", "Cultural awareness". The guide for online training was presented to trainers as well.

The feedback from the training of trainers was collected at the end of the training. The participants were satisfied with the training, commented that the Emkit2 concept is

very relevant, the idea of assessment of initial level of trainees before the workshops is innovative and actual.

The pilot training for immigrant women was organized online based on partner organizations via Zoom during April - May 2021. Most of the women had minimum school level of education, the vast majority of them were unemployed and outside of formal education/trainings. Many of the women were on maternity leave and had many responsibilities on taking care of the family.

The workshops were carefully structured in order to include all the key components of the Emkit2 concept – AC scale and innovate digital workshops. Thus, the piloting covered aspects of the intellectual outputs 4, 5 and 6.

Final Conference

The final conference for EMKIT2 project was held on 07.09.2021 in Larissa, Greece. During the conference, participants discussed the following topics: The European EMKIT2 Project: Objectives, Partners, Structure; Presentation of the Active Citizenship ladder and the Digital Assessment Tool; The

42 training manuals and digital tools of the European project EMKIT 2 for teaching-learning methods; Digital toolkit for trainers to empower socially vulnerable groups; The pilot application of the training manuals and digital tools of the European project EMKIT2 etc. The direct target group of the multiplier event

implemented was trainers/mentors who work with low-skilled immigrant women, stakeholders from NGOs, associations, training Providers and policy makers. In total 116 people participated in the event, 61 women and 55 men.

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