

OutsideIN

Newsletter 1

“Attracting Marginalised Adults to Lifelong Learning”

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This newsletter introduces who we are, what the goals of the project are and how we will try to accomplish these goals.

What is OutsideIN about?

The aim of OutsideIN is to **provide access to learning for the most vulnerable groups of adult learners** in our communities and to **make education more accessible through innovative and creative learning approaches and materials**.

To address this aim, the project will design and develop an in-service training course for adult education staff to build key skills to support their work with marginalised groups.



What will OutsideIN achieve?

Over the next two years (October 2017 to September 2019), OutsideIN will deliver the following four main outputs:

1. A new in-service training programme for adult educators supporting them to create online learning content
2. Learning toolbox comprising 15 mini-learning resources aimed at developing the eight core competences in a fun and dynamic way
3. The OutsideIN E-learning portal to support online learning for trainers and adult learners
4. OutsideIN Policy Paper will examine the experience of the project partners in 5 Member States and make recommendations for policy change on the basis of that experience



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Meet the Team!

The OutsideIN consortium comprises 5 partners from 5 different EU Member States:



How to find us:

Visit our website:

www.outsidein-project.eu

and join our Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/OutsideIN-1500114023390002/>

What's happened to date?

The kick-off meeting of the OutsideIN Project took place in Athens on the 10th and 11th of October 2017, hosted by Eurotraining.

During the meeting each partner introduced themselves and gave an overview of their organisation. Meath Partnership provided a detailed presentation on the project outlining the aims, objectives, target group members and numbers for engagement. Partners discussed and agreed the work plan for the next six months and the schedule of partner meetings.

Upcoming activities...

- State of the Art of Adult Education in each Partner Country.
- Setting up Research Control Groups - to inform the development of the proposed new resources; to evaluate the resources developed; to test and validate the resources with their marginalised adult target groups; to promote the planned local learning festivals.
- Training Needs Analysis - Partners will conduct a TNA with their research control groups to identify the key elements to be addressed in the in-service training programme for adult educators supporting the reintegration of marginalised adults into lifelong learning.



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