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Local Process - Reporting

Local Process - General information for the reporting period n°1

- Name of the partner: **Rezekne Municipality**
- Reporting period:
- **From 01/04/2018 to 31/08/2018 (theme: "Prejudices and precarious individual situations")**
- Summary of the local process for the reporting period(max. 10 lines):

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During the second reporting period we continued to work with the Local Panel of Stakeholders (LPS) of 18 people who make leaflets for the local community on voluntary bases (about once a month or once in two months). Part of them is cultural workers, part of them is librarians, and some represent local authorities and NGOs. In this period we started to involve also the young people who work with rural youngsters, including the ones who experience a higher risk of poverty, social exclusion, discrimination and violence than the general population.

On July 27, we had the workshop about prejudices in the society. It faced 2 main issues: prejudices which we create ourselves and prejudices created by social media and false news.

- What are the 3 things you consider successful and 3-unsuccessful about the local process for the reporting period (max. 10 lines):

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Successful: there is interest in joining the LPS and the project in the municipality. The mass media (national radio) also follows the project activities; it attended the workshop about the prejudices and false news. We also had chosen an interesting lecturer for the workshop of July 27.

How did the local process support the preparation and contribution to the forthcoming transnational thematic event (max. 5 lines):

The information about the project is published in municipality website which can reach about 30 000 people.

- During this reporting period, representatives of the partner have taken part as 'experts', 'external resource persons' or 'interested persons' in the local process of another partner (2 missions per CRISCO partner):

0 YES 0 NO

Name(s) of the person(s):

Name(s) of the visited partner(s):

Motivation, reason of the visit(s):

Summary of the mission(s):





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- During this reporting period, representatives of another partner have taken part as 'experts', 'external resource persons' or 'interested persons' in the local process of the partner:

0 YES **0 NO**

Name(s) of the person(s):

Name(s) of the visiting partner(s):

Motivation, reason of the visit(s):

Summary of the mission(s):

Annexes:

- At least one signed attendance list per reporting period (obligatory)
- Signature(s) of the representative(s) of other partner(s) who came on visit in the partner's local process (obligatory)
- Pictures (obligatory)
- Evidence documents for the local process: invitations, meeting reports, local on-line and paper press, leaflets (obligatory)
- Other.....



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Local Process – Activities during the reporting period n°2

ACTIVITY 1

Name of the activity: workshop “Prejudices and precarious individual situations”.

Venue: Rezekne Municipality, Atbrivosanasaleja 95A, Rezekne, Latvia

Date: **27.07.2018.**

Number of participants: 20

Attendance list:

- **YES: see annex**
- NO: reason

Representative(s) of another partner have taken part as ‘experts’, ‘external resource persons’ or ‘interested persons’ in this activity:

- **NO:**
- YES:
Name(s) of the person(s):
- Motivation, reason of the visit(s):

Type of activity:

- Reflection (e.g. meeting, debate...):
- Action (e.g. activity, course, social event...):
Workshop.....
- Mixed (e.g. workshop, in-field visit...):

Description of the activity (max. 10 lines):

The participants were introduced into the project activities of the second period. The participants discussed about the prejudices faced in the local society. Afterwards they had the possibility to listen and discuss with the lecturer about the role of fake news in creation the prejudices in the society.

Results and outcomes of the activity (max. 10 lines):

The mass media also was interested in the discussion about the fake news so they had an interview with the project participants and the lecturer.

Relevance for and link to CRISCO (max. 5 lines):

The participants stressed that prejudices against each other are mostly created by ourselves, by the judgements which have existed for centuries. Prejudices appear because as lack of interest about the surrounding environment, knowledge, cultural and national barriers and fear from the unknown situations.

Other comments on the activity:

No



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Annexes for the activity:

- Signed attendance list
- Signature(s) of the representative(s) of other partner(s) who came on visit at the activity
- Pictures (obligatory – at least 5 per activity)
- Evidence documents for the activity: invitation, meeting report, local on-line and paper press, leaflet...

See:

Rezekne municipality website: <http://rezeknesnovads.lv/macas-ka-atpazit-viltus-zinas/>

Nationalmedia: <https://www.lsm.lv/raksts/zinas/latvija/rezeknes-novada-macas-atpazit-viltus-zinas.a286836/>

- Signed attendance list
- Signature(s) of the representative(s) of other partner(s) who came on visit at the activity
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