

Application: 400008096

Title: Social Entrepreneurship for Roma Communities

Priority: ROMA

Applicant: University of Piraeus Research Center

Country: Greece

Requested Amount: 557.424,53

Contact details : retal@unipi.gr

Main type of activities: Mutual learning, exchange good practice, cooperation

Summary:

1. Objectives

Promote social economy as an effective instrument for national and EU Roma social inclusion strategies.

Produce evidencebased analysis; promote capacitybuilding and personalized support for sustainable social enterprise creation in Roma communities.

Provide Roma mediators with the necessary skills for supporting the planning, establishment and sustainability of social enterprises within Roma communities.

Encourage mutual learning, exchange of good practice and collaboration between all relevant stakeholders, with an emphasis to Roma communities, policymakers, public authorities and NGOs.

Raise cultural awareness through the direct participation of Roma communities and stakeholders.

2. Activities

Analyse and comparatively assess the impact of social economy within Roma communities.

Provide specific policy recommendations at national and EU level.

Generate practical guidelines and resources promoting social economy initiatives in Roma communities.

Develop a culturallyinformed joint transnational training programme for Roma mediators.

Support onetoone mentoring for Roma social enterprise creation.

Support lasting cooperation and establish a Network for Roma Social Economy.

Organize mutual learning, exchange of good practice and dissemination events, involving Roma communities, policy makers, public authorities, development agencies, NGOs and other stakeholders.

3. Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

Roma (min.386)

Policymakers (min.80)

National authorities (min.112)

Local authorities (min. 112)

Civilservants (min.122)

NGOs and antidiscrimination professionals (min. 222)

General public (min.200)

4. Expected results

Offer an innovative rightsbased approach to Roma socioeconomic integration, paying special attention to the gender dimension.

Promote the inclusion of Roma social entrepreneurship creation as a targeted measure to national Roma inclusion strategies.

Encourage the training and employment of qualified mediators and the use of mediation for tackling Roma inequalities.

Establish a relationship of trust and communication between the Roma communities and public institutions through mediation.

Support the engagement of regional and local authorities, local civil societies and development agencies.

Promote enduring synergies and the active, transnational participation, cooperation and mutual learning.

Raise awareness on the benefits of Roma inclusion for local and national economic and social development.

5. Type and number of outputs to be produced

Analytical outputs: 1 Needs Assessment Report, 6 national and 1 comparative reports
 Mapping Social Entrepreneurship in Roma Communities, 1 Policy Recommendations, 2 Practical Compendiums on the institutional barriers for social entrepreneurship and business ideas applicable within Roma communities, 1 Guidelines for Roma social entrepreneurship, development of 4 training modules.

Training outputs: 2 ‘train the trainers’ circles (Roma mediators), min. 18 one-to-one mentoring (potential Roma social entrepreneurs), mutual and flexible learning (moodle), 4 training modules.

Mutual learning and exchange of good practices: 6 roundtables on exchange of good practice, one in each partner country, moodle virtual community.

Main dissemination outputs: 6 public roundtables, 1 final conference, 1 media campaign, 6 info days, 1 website, translated into all partner languages and English, 3 social network profiles, 1 network for Roma Social Economy.

List of partners

ERIO	BELGIUM
IDEA ROM	ITALY
AMALIPE	BULGARIA
AEPMR	ROMANIA
FPC	SPAIN
FOUR ELEMENTS	GREECE
CESIE	ITALY
TMAF	BULGARIA

Application: 4000008129

Title: Spreading Young Nondiscrimination Generation SPRYNG

Priority: DISCRIMINATION

Applicant: Municipality of Montale

Country: Italy

Requested Amount: 92.279,92

Contact details : not released

Main type of activities: Awareness-raising, information and dissemination

Summary:

Objectives

- increasing knowledge about the situation in involved communities, and share European good practices, leading to dataaware policies;
- increasing awareness of what discrimination is, how they reproduce themselves, and how to fight and prevent them;
- fostering the knowledge about European and national judiciary instruments;
- building placebased capabilities in the fight againstdiscriminations;
- lowering the direct impact of discrimination in present time;
- strengthening a network of individual and collective subjects, helping sustain the project in the mediumrun;
- building an array of competencies and expertise in students, so theycan help their community while enhancing their professional capacity;

Activities

- Research on territorial situation
- Workshops for teachers on what is antidiscrimination, how to prevent it, how to teach it
- Teaching activities for students aged 1418
- Building of a peerdesk service, managed by students and devoted to students
- Stage for students learning how to explain discriminationto workers
- Artistic and sportive activities centered on antidiscrimination provided from students to citizenship
- Transnationalmeeting for sharing good practices
- Monitoring and evaluation of activities and discussion of resulting in an international meeting

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

- 60 students aged 1418
- 52 teachers
- Local society as a whole in 5 municipalities
- People who have suffered discriminations

Expected results

- Production of didactic methods and manners of explaining antidiscrimination in schools
- Prevention and counteraction
- Build of a placebased knowledge, sustaining a more open environment

Type and number of outputs to be produced

- 2 researches on discrimination on local base, with annexed publication;
- 1 brochure of didactic tools and a line of intervention easily to reproduce
- 1 peer desk of counselling to people victim of discrimination and for communicating related rights to citizenship
- 4 peer desk activities of spreading knowledge towards school classes
- 4 peerdesk activities of spreading knowledge towards people attending evening course recovery
- 4 peer desk activities of spreading knowledge towards public servants of the applicant and partners municipalities attending refresher courses
- 60 stage within school time in social and economic local institutions
- 1 communication campaign
- 1 theatrical event, performed three times during the project
- 1 sporting event, performed once during the project
- 1 transnational young people meeting joint documents on antidiscrimination

List of partners

Comune di Agliana	Italy
Comune di Quarrata	Italy
Comune di Montemurlo	Italy
Comune di Pistoia	Italy
Varaždin Municipality	Croatia

Application: 400008061

Title: MOVING TOWARDS SOCIAL CHANGE: BUILDING KNOWLEDGE BASE AND EFFECTIVE LEGISLATION ON EQUALITY AND NONDISCRIMINATION

Priority: DISCRIMINATION

Applicant: Office of Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson

Country: Lithuania

Requested Amount: 147.716

Contact details : lyggybe@lrs.lt

Main type of activities: Analytical activities

Summary:

Objectives

- To increase political and public support for effective implementation of equality legislation.
- To implement more effectively the legislation on nondiscrimination.
- To raise public awareness of and trust in equal treatment protection mechanism.

Activities

- Research on efficiency of national equal treatment legislation, drafting law amendments and recommendations for improvement of administrative mechanism.
- Institutional cooperation and mainstreaming activities (workshops, roundtables, conference, informal meetings) to increase support for equality policy improvement.
- Institutional reinforcement of the National Equality Body (trainings, analysis) to build competence and skills, improve operational capacity and communication strategy.
- Education and awarenessraising on nondiscrimination for general public in the framework of the international human rights documentary film festival "Inconvenient Films"

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

- Politicians, parliamentarians, senior officials (at least 60)
- Senior ministerial staff, Parliamentary Committees staff, advisors (40)
- Staff of Equal Opportunities Ombudsperson's Office (10)
- NGOs working in the field of equal opportunities, trade unions (50)
- General public (12500)

Expected results

- strengthened institutional and legal framework for more efficient antidiscrimination policy in Lithuania.
- political support of and public confidence in protection of equal rights.

Type and number of outputs to be produced

- Legal analysis of national and foreign countries laws on equality – 1
- Draft Law amending Law on Equal Treatment – 1
- 4 workshops for experts and specialists working in the field on equality policy
- 2 round tables
- 1 conference
- 5 training session
- 1 publication

20 media articles on discrimination

24 screenings of movies on discrimination organised in 5 towns in Lithuania

3 factsheets what to do in cases of discrimination

5 public discussions organised in 5 different towns

Partner

Lithuanian Centre of human Rights

LT

Application: 4000008076

Title: WORKING ROMA Stop Labour Discrimination of Roma in Europe

Priority: DISCRIMINATION

Applicant: Andujar City Council

Country: Spain

Requested Amount: 227.452,04

Contact details : antoniojesus.europa@andujar.es

Main type of activities: Mutual learning,exchange good practice,cooperation

Summary:

Objectives

Establish networks of diverse stakeholders including government, civil society, education (formal and nonformal), media, industry etc.

Develop the exchange and transfer of good practices carried out in different European cities and implement outreach activities that promote multiculturalism in the workplace.

Promote the expansion of employment opportunities for gipsy population and promote training activities for trainers, social workers and mediators on discrimination.

To raise awareness on issues of racism and xenophobia, and harmonize the approach at European level to improve the identification and protection of gipsy population in vulnerable situations in the workplace.

Supporting the exchange and cooperation between different European cities, for an effective fight against racism.

Empower roma population, by ethnicity suffer employment discrimination, supporting them in defending their rights.

Increase awareness among the stakeholder and the different actors of public government or civil society of its responsibility in the fight against discrimination based on ethnic and stereotyped behaviors that are associated with this source.

Activities

Local round tables with the participation of all local actors, to make a diagnosis and to detect how and where racism is shown towards gipsy people.

3 study visits to identify local best practices in prevention and elimination of discrimination in the workplace.

Workshops for roma on job search

Awareness campaigns aimed at gipsy people, employers and other labor market actors. In order to combat racism and xenophobia in all aspects that make up the labor market, taking into account the characteristics of gipsy people.

Establishment of a network of social and occupational integration and support, designed to monetize all efforts and resources for the socioprofessional integration of gipsy people, posing a participatory approach with this group, from a perspective of empowerment.

WebDirectory specialized in the fight against discrimination, racism and xenophobia for professional organizations and workplace resources. It will include good practices identified, materials racism, directory of persons and groups working in this field in the participating

countries, integration plans, linguistic diversity, human rights and laws.

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

Over 10.000 Roma are going to participate, directly or indirectly, in the implementation of labour integration measures, and over 800 SMEs will be tackled.

Expected results

The project expects to provide new tools based on the exchange of best practices, to prevent any form of intolerance in labor market for roma population, involving social, political and economic stakeholders. The project will work to improve training of professionals on vulnerable groups, and increase employment statistics on minorities, achieve a better understanding of ongoing procedures, promote policy debate at national and European level, conduct research on existing procedures and ensure greater awareness among the public about peaceful coexistence, tolerance and behavior nondiscriminatory.

Type and number of outputs to be produced

Constitution of a network of entities focused on roma employment integration, a webdirectory with workplace resources, and a European awareness campaign to eliminate any form of intolerance in the workplace.

List of partners

Institute for Labour and Social Research - ILSR	BG
Anci Sardinia	IT
FOPSIM	MT
APODEC	PT
As. Developing Voluntary Work Novo Mesto	SL
Asoc. Dominou	RO
Oldham Race Equality Partnership - OREP	UK
Active Citizens Partnership - ACP	GR

Application: 400008170

Title: Together against discrimination and for the promotion of the right to education

Priority: ROMA

Applicant: Children in Romania Association Onlus

Country: Italy

Requested Amount: 174.446

Contact details : not released

Main type of activities: Awareness-raising, information and dissemination

Summary:

The goal of the project is to promote the integration of Roma, through a participatory awareness campaign, able to support the implementation of the NRIS. With particular reference to the strategic Axis 1 on education and to the horizontal intervention measures, a pathway codesigned and coproduced by Roma and nonRoma children will be achieved, aiming at:

A) to stimulate Roma teens not only to complete their compulsory studies, but to continue their schooling, through a process of empowerment and video workshops on success stories that can represent the "role models"

B) to combat discrimination and prejudice against the Roma in the primary school, through a path of empowerment and a theatre workshop involving Roma and nonRoma

Activities

WS1 Ideas, practices and policies to support schooling, empowerment and integration among the students. A research will be implemented on measures and actions carried out at European level to fight school leavings and foster integration among students, taking into account the gender dimension. Deep analyses, interviews, focus group and observation of the project activities, will be used to draft guidelines for gendersensitive actions supporting the schooling, empowerment and integration of Roma students

WS2 Our voice against discrimination. Local networks (Milan, Rome and Bari), including teachers, parents and social services will be enhanced on the best practices for the inclusion of Roma children in primary schools. 48 Roma and no Roma children will be involved in participatory theatre workshops on matters affecting them in school, and then they will sensitise at least 900 peers, teachers and parents. The local staff will be trained on participatory approach and on the best practices

WS3 Words and images, inside and outside the school. 42 teens will be involved through a path of empowerment, a video workshop and in peertopeer awareness raising activities, focused on racial and gender discrimination, "role model" encouraging their peers to improve their school performance and thus to continue their schooling, in addition to the mandatory. 3 videos will be produced and disseminated through public voting online

WS4 Visibility, dissemination and public events. Dissemination of the keymessage, project activities, outputs and results targeting stakeholders, Roma and no Roma children and their parents, and general public, in Italy and all Europe. Project website and social networks, viral message, tv and radio spots, video competition and 3 final conferences

Persons benefiting

48 Roma and no Roma children (811), 42 Roma and no Roma teens (1215), 360 stakeholders,

2400 children and their teachers, parents and educators

Expected results

90 Roma children empowered

Increased awareness of children on issues as racial and gender discrimination

Information available on the best practices at European level concerning actions carried out in primary and secondary schools to contrast Roma students school living, fostering their empowerment and integration.

Proper and more effective methodologies developed for the gendersensitive actions supporting the schooling, empowerment and integration of Roma students

Local networks (parents, teachers, operators) enhanced

Stronger political commitments

Increased awareness among children and the entire civil society on stereotypes against Roma children and their families, on local, national and European levels

Increased school attendance and performances of Roma children.

Outputs

2 research manuals in IT/EN; 2 trainings; 1 guidelines in IT/EN; 60 stakeholders enhanced; 9 staff trained; 3 theatre workshops; 15 theatre performances; 3 videodocumentation with EN subtitles; 1 book and ebook IT/EN; 24 workshop in schools; 3 video workshops; 90 children trained; 3 videos with EN subtitles; 30 awareness incubators; 2400 children sensitised; 4 reports on workshop and incubators IT/EN; 360 Radio and TV spot; 3 conferences; 3 present Univ

List of partners

Upre Roma	IT
Spirit Romanesc	IT
Il Nuovo Fantarca	IT

Application: 400008115

Title: "Fighting discrimination and AntiGypsyism in education and employment in EU" PAL

Priority: ROMA

Applicant: Uc Limburg Vzw

Country: Belgium

Requested Amount: 1.176.398,41

Contact details : edict@ucll.be

Main type of activities: Mutual learning,exchange good practice,cooperation

Summary:

Objectives

The project PAL is aiming to develop a comprehensive approach and endorse a number of goals in education, employment in order to speed up Roma Integration and support the implementation of national Roma inclusion strategies and the Council Recommendation of Roma Integration.

The project aims to support Roma youth participation of different levels, by gathering qualitative data about approaches and practices of Roma youth and supporting initiatives where Roma participation is key to longterm change.

The Specific objectives of the project involve: 1) Fighting discrimination and antiGypsyism; 2) Enhancing multistakeholder cooperation; 3) Promoting common democratic values, strengthening fundamental rights and consolidating the rule of law are horizontal concerns for the participant countries; 4) Debating the way forward for the European network for Roma social Inclusion 5) To develop capacities for Roma participation at regional and local level 6) To develop data and information on forms, approaches, challenges of Roma participation 7) To raise awareness among relevant stakeholders concerning the need to assure annual access to education and employment 8)to train and transfer skills on desegregation to trainers and other stakeholders at grassroots levels in order to achieve Roma' children and youth integration in education and employment process

Activities

ACCESS TO EDUCATION: Activities: 1) Integrated approachfor the current situation and the possibilities of specific and adapted educational programme for second chance education; 2) Awareness Raising International Roma Integration Campaign "it's not late" for popularization of the benefits of education, 3) Online training Courses for teachers, 320 educated 4) Push educational Training consisted of Children Socialization exercises and Group Building days with participation of 1220 participants

ACCESS TO EMPLOYMENT: Activities: 1) Integrated approach for the current situation and the possibilities of specific and adapted employment for Romani people in EU 2) Awareness Raising International Roma Integration Campaign "Employ Me!" for popularization of the equal opportunities in employment services in EU, 3) Training of trainers online with 360 educated 4) Push Employment Opportunities Events about the employment rights and possibilities with 1800 participants

COMMON activities: 5) Promotion activities at local level (info days), newsletters, press release, posters, brochures 6) preparationand presentation of antidiscrimination model based on best practices and community prevention policy for Roma in EU

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project
 1800 Young Roma people, 1220 children, 320 teachers and 360 trainers, 1000 young mothers, non-Roma trainers 200, 100 Universities, 500 NGOs and training centers

Expected results
 Generating Evidence on Roma Inclusion to inform evidence –based policy making studies and research // Leveragry partnership with key international actors // Mainstreaming Romainclusion and scalcy up viable approaches // Multisector approaches to social inclusion // effective coordination of policy implementation // sustainable social inclusion on policies // Targeting and mainstreaming –Roma participation enhancement in local actions// Positive action and other comprehensive measures to promote nondiscrimination and equality//Data collection

Type and number of outputs to be produced
 2 awareness Raising Conferences with more than 200 participants // 1 Common EU Community Prevention Policy//27 Push education events with more than 1220 participants // 34 training of trainers courses with 680 trainers // 18 workshops/ 9 seminars for training of Romani people with more than 1900 participants // 2 Common toolkits, one for education and one for employment support // 20 roundtables 400 participants

List of partners

RomPraha	Czech Republic
Komunikujeme o.p.s.	Czech Republic
House of National Minorities	Czech Republic
Consorzio Innopolis	Italy
Fondazione Leone Moressa	Italy
Comune di Reggio Emilia	Italy
Institute of Psychosocial Development	Greece
Institute of Entrepreneurship Development	Greece
ANATOLIKI SA	Greece
University Rehabilitation Institute	Slovenia
Drustvo za razvijanje prostovoljnega dela Novo mesto	Slovenia
Asociatia MERGI INAINTE	Romania
FONDO FORMACIÓN EUSKADI S.L.L.	Spain
FLORIDA CENTRE DE FORMACIÓ, COOP. V.	Spain

Ayuntamiento de Murcia

Spain

SRDA

Belgium

Corvinus University Budapest

Hungary

UCCU Alapitvány

Hungary

ALDA

France

Application: 400008155

Title: Crossing city borders: promoting spatial desegregation of Roma

Priority: ROMA

Applicant: C.e.g.a. Foundation

Country: Bulgaria

Requested Amount: 119.308,42

Contact details : cega@cega.bg

Main type of activities: Mutual learning, exchange good practice, cooperation

Summary:

Objectives

The general aim of the project is to support the integration of Roma by promoting housing policies which provide for spatial desegregation of Roma in Bulgaria and other European countries.

The specific objectives of the project are:

To identify the motivations and attitudes of Roma towards arranging their living outside segregated Roma spaces and the obstacles they face in such arrangements;

To study the policies and social phenomena which have allowed for spatial desegregation of compact Roma communities in Spain;

To engage representatives of authorities and civil society in a process of rethinking housing policies which promote spatial desegregation of Roma;

To put spatial desegregation of Roma communities on the social and political agenda on local, national and European level as an integral part of living conditions policies and measures.

Activities

Research in Bulgaria aimed at identifying the motivations and attitudes of Roma in Bulgaria towards arranging their living conditions outside segregated spaces, as well as perceived barriers and practices of local authorities

Research in Spain aimed at studying the policies and practices of national, regional and local authorities and other social actors which have allowed for spatial desegregation of Roma in Spain

Analytical meeting in Spain for sharing the results of both researches and building cross-references, as well as debating policy implications of the research results.

Compiling policy report set to showcase successful practices for spatial desegregation of Roma in Spain and juxtapose it to the Bulgarian realities, putting forward policy recommendations

Two study visits in Spain for Bulgarian national and local authorities and NGOs, including meetings with local and regional authorities in Spain, service operators and other relevant actors

Two in-country training seminars in Bulgaria, targeting representatives of local and regional authorities and NGOs in relevant positions and dedicated on policies and practices for spatial desegregation of Roma.

Individual consultations with local authorities in Bulgaria aimed at elaboration of 5 plans with concrete measures for spatial desegregation of Roma on local level.

Final international conference with 50 people on the importance and the impact of spatial desegregation of Roma, showcasing practices from Spain and Bulgaria.

The type and number of persons benefiting from the project

75 representatives of local authorities

56 representatives of local and national NGOs/CSOs

8 representatives of national authorities

400 experts and other stakeholders who have reviewed the final publication

Expected results

Increased understanding on the attitudes, motivations and barriers Roma face in regards to living in segregated spaces

Articulated and promoted knowhow on policies and practices for spatial desegregation of Roma

Improved capacity for planning policies and measures for spatial desegregation of Roma among 50 representatives of national and local authorities and NGOs

Developed at least 5 plans of local authorities for policies and measures for spatial desegregation of Roma;

Increased awareness on the importance of spatial desegregation among a wide range of stakeholders in Bulgaria and the EU

Type and number of outputs to be produced

Bulgarian research report

Spanish research report

Analytical meeting in Spain

Full policy report

Summary of policy report 200 copies

2 Study visits

Training program on spatial desegregation

2 training seminars for representatives of local authorities

Consultations with local authorities 15 meetings

5 Plans of local authorities for policies and measures

Final project publication 400 copies

Final international conference

Communication materials

Partner

Union Romani

Spain

Application: 400008220

Title: DARE: Dare to Care about Equality

Priority: DISCRIMINATION

Applicant: Ministry of Labour, Family, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities

Country: Slovenia

Requested Amount: 214.556

Contact details : info@legebitra.si

Main type of activities: Awareness-raising, information and dissemination

Summary:

Objectives

To identify and counteract the discourse used by those opposing LGBT equality in public debates.

To identify public opinion attitudes towards LGBT people.

To raise awareness in general public about the topic of equality in relation to sexual orientation.

To inform and educate general public on the issues of homophobia and discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.

To create a national platform of individuals and organisations interested in activities related to equality, homophobia and discrimination.

To promote cooperation between EU member states to share experience and best practices.

To connect the representatives of EU civil society and government/governmental institutions.

To share the finding from the project with all EU member states and to encourage national support of similar projects in other EU countries.

Activities

Workstream 0

Kick –off meeting in Brussels

1 – day initial planning

Coordination and financial management

Visibility and dissemination of the project

Midpoint evaluation

Evaluation of the project

Preparation of end point report and interim report

Workstream 1

Critical analysis of discourse used by neoconservative movement(s) and its supporters

Public opinion poll

Workstream 2

Design of the slogan and the messaging of the campaign

Kick – off press conference

Booklet on LGBT equality

Regional conference (local event)

Social media campaign

Local actions

Visibility and media campaign

Workstream 3

Meeting of EU member states equality ministries

Networking conference

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

The main beneficiary of this project is the LGBT community in Slovenia as we are striving to raise awareness and contribute to the increase of the level of awareness amongst the general public in relation to the topics connected to sexual orientation. Next to that the beneficiaries are also civil servants and civil society representatives that will be able to gain knowledge from the project and attend some of the activities (all together 100 people). Another group are local leaders and activists. We envisage that we will reach at least 180 people with six events.

Expected results

With national campaign, we want to build on current knowledge on LGBT equality and share information connected to LGBT community and their experience in everyday life. We believe that with the implementation of envisaged activities we will contribute to rise in acceptance of LGBT community in society. With the analysis of the discourse used by movements opposing regulation of same-sex partnerships, we will be able to create a tool that will not only be beneficial for LGBT civil society and governmental institutions in Slovenia, but also to other similar organisations in Europe. With organisation of the networking conference we want to encourage cooperation and national support of similar projects in other EU countries.

Type and number of outputs to be produced

1 day initial planning meeting

Action plan of the project

Website

Midterm evaluation report

Final Evaluation report

Interim narrative and financial report on implementation of the project

Final narrative and financial report on the implementation of the project

Report on the critical analysis of discourse used by neoconservative movement(s) and its supporters

Toolkit on counter argumentation

Report on public opinion poll findings

Press conference

Booklets (800.000 booklets, distributed in all households in Slovenia)

Regional conference (6 events)

Local actions (6 local actions)

Facebook page (1 page)

Twitter account (1 account)

TV spot (1 TV spot)

Video (5 videos)

Meeting of EU member states equality ministries

International Networking conference

Final report of the outcomes of the conference

List of partners

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts

SI

Društvo informacijski center Legebitra

SI

Application: 400008084

Title: ADPOLIS AntiDiscrimination Policies Successfully Implemented

Priority: DISCRIMINATION

Applicant: European Training and Research Centre for Human Rights and Democracy

Country: Austria

Requested Amount: 284.950,03

Contact details : not released

Main type of activities: Mutual learning,exchange good practice,cooperation

Summary:

Objectives

Identification, analysis and concretisation of the success factors of effective policies against racial or ethnic discrimination at the local level.

Ensuring availability of model policies and accessibility to practical guidance for its implementation.

Facilitation of (ex)change of practices through mutual learning, exchange and trainings.

Activities

Fieldwork research to investigate the implementation process and success factors of good practices.

Analysis and compilation of transferable model policies.

Publication of an implementation manual.

Exchange activities.

Trainings on policy implementation.

Dissemination.

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

Politicians (directly 200/indirectly 1000), civil servants/decisionmakers in municipalities (200/2000), trainers (20/100)

Civil society, academia, consultants (200/500)

Expected results

Local politicians will attain increased awareness on the key role of the local level in combating racial and ethnic discrimination; knowledge on the key factors for success; information on concrete steps of implementation of antidiscrimination policies and successful arguments for negotiations.

City administration will be provided with policy examples as well as instructions and arguments for its implementation.

Civil society actors and vulnerable groups will be provided with arguments to push for the implementation of successful policies. Increased involvement and participation of civil society actors and vulnerable groups in local policy programming, implementation and evaluation is expected.

Type and number of outputs to be produced

Online manual on the implementation of model policies in 8 languages (online)
Tool for selfassessment (online)
Mutual exchange of good practices conference (1, 200 partic.)
Training concept and trainings held (2 Europe-wide)
Train-the-trainer seminars

List of partners

Stockholm University (SU)	SE
University of Padova - Human Rights Centre (HRC Padova)	IT
Centre for European Constitutional Law (CECL)	GR
Otherness Foundation (NEKI)	HU
Cidalia	ES

Application: 400008228

Title: Get closer to communities Roma coordinators for better use of EU funds

Priority: ROMA

Applicant: Autonomia Foundation

Country: Hungary

Requested Amount: 230.625

Contact details : autonomia@autonomia.hu

Main type of activities: Mutual learning, exchange good practice, cooperation

Summary:

The project is based on Autonomia Foundation's (AF) earlier evaluation of the implementation of the National Roma Integration Strategy's (NRIS) in Hungary and on the experiences of project generation with local promoters.

AF will evaluate the impact of development programmes stemmed from NRIS on national level and help the implementation of the Strategy's objectives, the effective use of EU development funds for integration at local level.

Objectives

Long term

- Helping the implementation of the NRIS locally.
- Identifying good practices, better utilising antidiscrimination locally.
- Reality check and reporting to DG, the Commission and national government on the use of the adopted local antidiscrimination strategies and on the implementation of NRIS at local level.
- Regulation and operation of the EU funding system aiming the Roma integration is more efficient and closer to the reality.

Short term

Involving 10 local Roma communities, settlements/authorities and completing the following:

- Analysis in each settlement with a focus on the fulfilment of antidiscrimination principles;
- More efficient local actions planned and implemented;
- On the basis of the analysis of the involved settlements compiling recommendations to the NRIS which helps better local implementation.

Activities

Selection of Roma coordinators and locations

Recruiting Roma coordinators from our already existing network.

Selection of new localities from the vicinity of the regions served by the coordinators.

Capacity building

Training and supporting new Roma activist from the new localities on community project planning and integration.

Field visits.

Project generation locally

Roma coordinators in their region and in the new settlements will

analyse inclusion strategies and recent projects of the localities, identify possibilities, and project ideas of the communities;

facilitate local communities with basic project planning, distribute information to possible

beneficiaries, build partnerships, and ensure participation of the Roma.

Core staff: supervise and mentor the work of the coordinators and methodological tasks.

Policy making, dissemination

Case studies (CSs) on recently implemented project and analysis on the results and prevail of antidiscrimination strategies.

Summary study will be prepared with recommendations.

Workshops organised for mayors and decision makers and int. actors on the method and results and recommendations.

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

Direct target group: Roma and nonRoma people of the involved settlements (20,000), authorities (50), mayors (10), elected members of the local selfgovernments (30) and NGOs (min 50).

Indirect target group: staff of state agencies working with NRIS (25) and decision makers at national level (300).

Regarding the existing situation, access of the Roma communities to EU funds is weak and accidental, the project will serve the whole Hungarian Roma society which is estimated between 600 - 750 000 persons.

Expected results

Local municipalities and Roma NGOs, communities, state agencies, international community / Roma and pro-Roma organisations benefit from the project.

The importance of community planning and use of antidiscrimination directives become standard practice at localities.

The local projects will better contribute to the antidiscrimination strategy of the EU and the implementation of the NRIS.

Type and number of outputs to be produced

- 10 local Partnership;
- 10 case studies (5 pages per CSs)
- 60 local actors trained
- 10 projects to be submitted for EU;
- Participants of the project (peer visits, training courses – experts of municipalities, Roma activists, proRoma NGO experts) (min. 60 persons);
- 2 regional workshops;
- Participants at workshops (45 persons)
- Policy paper with exact recommendations;
- National level dissemination (1 policy paper with recommendation and 1 meeting in Budapest)
- European level dissemination event

List of Partners

TÖOSZ - Települési Önkormányzatok Országos Szövetsége

HU

Application: 400008289

Title: MIND THE GAP Measuring (in)equality in Croatia

Priority: DISCRIMINATION

Applicant: Centre for Peace Studies

Country: Croatia

Requested Amount: 194.572,5

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Main type of activities: Mutual learning, exchange good practice, cooperation

Summary:

Objectives

1 To raise quality of implementation of AD legislation through raised level of knowledge of most important stakeholders –judges, state attorneys and human rights lawyers – on ADA and ECJ and ECHR jurisprudence in this field.

2 To raise the quality of AD policies through systematic data collection and enhancement of CSOs' research and monitoring of implementation of AD policies.

3 To decrease the level of discriminatory behaviour by raising level of awareness of general public about consequences and prohibition of discrimination and to increased awareness and knowledge of vulnerable groups of their legal possibilities of protection against discrimination.

Activities

1.1. 3 2day training for judges 1.2. 2 2day training for prosecutors 1.3. 3 2day training for HR lawyers 1.4. Handbook for legal practitioners of AD legislation 1.5. Online learning course for judges on AD legislation 1.6. 3 workshops for journalists and editors 2.1. Discrimination Index 3.1. Research 3.2 Nationwide campaign 3.3. Viral campaign 3.4. Discrimination alerts and reactions 3.5. Discrimination testimonials 4.1. Analysis 4.2. Conference 4.3. Study trip 4.4. Initiating the setting up of a data collection 4.5. Establishment of the platform for data collection

Type and number of persons benefiting from the project

1) Legal practitioners – judges, state attorneys, human rights lawyers, total of 150

2) General public – through awareness raising campaign, number cannot be estimated

3) Groups vulnerable to discrimination – ethnic/national minorities, especially Serbs and Roma; persons with disabilities, religious minorities, LGBTIQ persons, women etc., through awareness raising campaign, number cannot be estimated

4) Media – journalists and editors from web portals, printed media, radios and TV, total of 25

5) Institutions responsible for design and implementation of AD policies and institutions collecting data – such as Ombudspersons, Ministry of Justice, Interior, Health; Croatian Employment Service, Bureau of Statistics, etc., participating in various events, total of 100

6) Civil society organizations – members of CSOs participating in various events, total of 100

Expected results

raised capacities for legal actions and implementation of Antidiscrimination Act (ADA) in Croatia with special emphasis on application of ECJ practice and practice of ECHR in relation to antidiscrimination provisions and procedural institutes of the ADA.

raised awareness and knowledge of journalists and editors on negative consequences of discriminatory speech in the media and raised level of professional standards when writing about the vulnerable groups

increased awareness of general public on existing discriminatory practices, negative societal and personal consequences and legal prohibition of such acts and increased awareness and knowledge of vulnerable groups of their legal possibilities of protection against discrimination.

establishment of conditions and institutional framework for systematic data collection and enhancement of capacities of CSOs for research and monitoring of implementation of antidiscrimination policies.

Type and number of outputs to be produced

WS 1: Trainings: 11 trainings for 4 target groups (judges, state attorneys, lawyers, media);

publication: Handbook, 200; Online learning course WS2: Discrimination index – web site;

Publications: 5, 1800; One presentation of the Discrimination index – 30 representatives WS

3: Research report; Media / campaign products: TV video, radio jingle, 26 billboards, 5 press conferences, 6 press releases, media appearances (number not available), 10 journalists' articles, 3 infographics, 5 caricatures; Public events/press conference for launching of the campaign – 2

WS 4: Online analysis; Publications: Brochure – 500 copies; Networking and

knowledge sharing activities: conference, study trip; Meetings – 8; Official decision of establishment of (in)equality data collection platform.

List of partners

Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Human Rights	Austria
The Government's Office for Human Rights and the Rights of National Minorities	Croatia
Republic of Croatia - Ombudsman	Croatia
Judicial Academy	Croatia
Serbian National Council	Croatia

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