



## About the project

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This project aims to promote **Social Solidarity Economy (SSE)** in Europe, through the **training of trainers** in this specific field.

Striving for innovation in **Vocational Educational Training (VET)** programs, we seek to contribute to the civic and professional development of people, through the integration of alternative socioeconomic models into their ideas and attitudes.

This is a 3 years project (Sep. 2018 – Aug. 2021) bringing together organisations from various European countries and a European network. It is co-funded by the EU Erasmus + program.

## Join our network for social change

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Trainers and VET providers  
SSE organisations  
Policy/decision makers  
VET trainees

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### **Solidary Social Economy** socioeconomic alternatives

*SSE increasingly asserts itself as a vibrant and promising socio-economic model in the EU and in various parts of the world. SSE is a transformative, critical and plural approach towards all socio-economic activities, which promotes democracy at work and in the community, emancipatory relations, cultural diversity, and social justice. Based on an ecological awareness of the planet Earth, it stimulates local and decentralized cooperation to improve the living conditions of people.*

### **Educational Vocational Training** tool for social change

*A paradigm shift implies a change in consciousness. Initial and continuing training plays a key role in this process. As a tool for social change, training has enormous potential to transform adults and younger generations into citizens and professionals capable of dealing with emerging changes in society. To this end, training content and methodologies must be innovative.*

## The project steps

### STEP 1. STRATEGIC ASSESSMENT

To know the national and European scenarios regarding competencies of trainers in SSE

- O Mapping of national and European scenario
- E Workshops in 6 European countries

### STEP 2. CURRICULA INNOVATION

To develop content and methodologies to strengthen the competencies of trainers

- O Training in action course for trainers
- TA Pilot trainings in 6 European countries
- E Workshops in 6 European countries

### STEP 3. ADVOCACY

To advocate for the inclusion of SSE in the training of trainers at national and European level

- O Action Plan
- O Multimedia Tools
- E Final Seminar in Portugal

- O *OUTPUTS*
- E *EVENTS*
- TA *TRAINING ACTIVITIES*

## Partners and Funding

### PORTUGAL



### ROMENIA



### GREECE



### FRANCE



### EUROPEAN NETWORK



### ITALY



### GERMANY



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