

INTERCULTURAL TRAINERS KIT FOR MIGRANTS' EDUCATORS

INFO4MIGRANTS

Implementation-related selection criteria:	<p>The proposed example should correspond to <u>ALL</u> listed criteria:</p> <p>✓ Effective and successful: A “good practice” has proven its strategic relevance as the most effective way in achieving a specific objective; it has been successfully adopted and has had a positive impact on individuals and/or communities.</p> <p>✓ Replicable and adaptable: A “good practice” should have the potential for replication and should therefore be adaptable to similar objectives in varying situations.</p> <p>✓ Information availability: There is enough information provided for the good practice (approach, methodology, materials etc.) so that it is possible to replicate it in a new situation; the provided web-links are working and the contact information is up-to-date</p>
Impact targets: (The good practice should correspond to at least one of the listed benefits)	<p>The good practice can:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> improve the intercultural skills of adult educators working with migrants <input type="checkbox"/> improve the quality of the learning and teaching process for adult migrants <input type="checkbox"/> improve the motivation of migrants to get involved in learning <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> improve the capacities of organisations working for the integration of migrants
Content-related selection criteria: (The good practice should correspond to at least one of the listed benefits)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Promotion of intercultural skills of adult educators <input type="checkbox"/> Promotion of tolerance, diversity and inclusion in the learning process <input type="checkbox"/> Application of intercultural teaching resources <input type="checkbox"/> Raising the participation and attainment of adult migrants in the educational process <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Training of teachers working with adult migrants <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please, specify):

PROMOTER OF THE INITIATIVE:	
Name of organisation / individual	Careers Europe
Country	UK, Sweden, Austria, Finland, Bulgaria, Spain
Website	http://www.fbo.bg/ (Business Foundation for Education – Bulgarian partner)
Contacts	fbo@fbo.bg (Business Foundation for Education – Bulgarian partner)

DETAILS OF THE INITIATIVE:	
Title of the initiative	info4migrants
Year(s) of implementation	2013-2015
Target group(s)	Immigrants, refugees and asylum seekers; Career advisers and professionals working with migrants
Website of the initiative	http://www.info4migrants.com/
Description (max 200 words)	<p>The 'info4migrants' project aims to support the effective integration of migrants by improving and transferring the innovative Careers Europe migrant online information portal to vocational education providers and guidance centres across Europe. The developed online tool is attractive and intuitive to use, containing information for the career advisors, VET professional and migrants about the host country but also details about migrant countries of origin in order to help guidance professional better understand their target groups' background and culture.</p> <p>The objectives of the project are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To create an online information resource gathering all the information needed by immigrants, refugees and asylum seekers in their new country - To support professionals working with migrants - To improve the quality of vocational training given to guidance professionals and VET teachers and trainers - To expand careers guidance to incorporate the range of needs of migrants
Methodology (max 150 words)	The Careers Europe Eisodus migrant information database is transferred to vocational education providers and guidance centres in Austria, Bulgaria, Finland, Spain and Sweden. The developed online tool offers information on: culture and customs, legal and practical issues, education, training, education and work. It also supports careers advisers working with migrants in their countries – helping new arrivals to better integrate into communities, learning and work.

Products / Outcomes	<p>Type of product:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Paper-based material</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Online resource</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Video clips / Films</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Course / Training</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (please, specify):</p> <p>Brief description of the product / outcome / method:</p> <p>The info4migrants Online Tool is divided by countries and it includes a section for migrants and a section for advisers working with migrants. The tool is available in English and in the national language of the respective country as well as in a number of important migrant languages (e.g. Arabic, Turkish, Russian, etc.). The tool sections include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Section for Migrants: I need advice on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Education – nerseries, pre-school and primary education, secondary education, higher education ○ Employment – EU blue card, finding employment, health, social and pension insurance, income tax of individuals, volunteer work, work conditions, work permit ○ Status and Rights – citizens, refugees, third countries ○ Way of Life – accommodation, bank accounts, Bulgarian citizenship, communications, culture specifics, elections, government, health care, national holidays, emergency, public services, traditions and holidays, transport, welfare ➤ Section for Advisers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Country profiles – information about the specifics of big migrant groups in the respective countries ○ Education – nerseries, pre-school and primary education, secondary education, higher education ○ Employment – EU blue card, finding employment, health, social and pension insurance, income tax of individuals, volunteer work, work conditions, work permit ○ Status and rights – citizens, refugees, third countries ○ Way of life – accommodation, bank accounts, Bulgarian citizenship, communications, culture specifics, elections, government, health care, national holidays, emergency, public services, traditions and holidays, transport, welfare
Impact on target groups / Transferability potential	<p>The online tool contains a wide a range of information, ensuring that careers advisors and migrants have access to reliable, up-to-date and consistent resources.</p> <p>The project explores and addresses the everyday challenges faced by migrants and then uses this knowledge to develop a bank of practical advice and details of support organisations.</p> <p>The tool will expand the knowledge of careers guidance professionals and teachers working in VET institutions, careers centres and other organisations</p>

	across the countries in the partnership as well as further countries and languages in the long run.
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