



Create Your Green Start-up (GREST)

Program: Erasmus+

Key Action: Learning Mobility of Individuals

Action Type: Youth Exchange-KA152

Call: 2024/ R3

Submission deadline: 1st October 2024

Project Time: 1st March 2025 - 31st August 2025

Project Duration: 6 months

Time of Event: July 2025

Period of Event: 7 days (5 days working +2 days travel)

Participating countries: Slovakia, France, Poland, Türkiye + 1 more

Place of Event: Bratislava

TOPICS

1. Entrepreneurial learning-entrepreneurship education
2. Green skills
3. International relations and development cooperation

GENERAL AIM:

Today's job market is changing, permanent positions are getting harder to come by and are mostly found in huge corporations and the governmental sector. Setting up small and medium enterprises are getting more and more popular these days. Becoming an entrepreneur is one strategy to fight unemployment, particularly among young people, however young people are not prepared for this by schools.

Through the **GREST** project, we aim to enhance the entrepreneurial skills of young people, leading them to respond to challenges in the environmental and ecological field.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES:

We will achieve the following specific OBJECTIVES through our Youth Exchange:

- to help youngsters to understand the potential of green entrepreneurship in reducing youth unemployment
- to help youngsters to develop an entrepreneurial mind-set and relevant green skills
- to provide youngsters with necessary knowledge about green start-ups and SMEs, how to establish one, and to analyze the existing opportunities of the Green Jobs

- to develop entrepreneurial learning culture in youth work and promote green entrepreneurship among young people in partner countries
- to strengthen youngsters' competences and their organizations' capability in youth work and international dimension and cooperation
- to develop youngsters' skills of communication, active listening, interpersonal, problem-solving via non-formal and interactive tools, exercises and games
- to support the inclusion of target groups with fewer opportunities.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Young people aged between 18 and 26. There is no age limit for the group leaders, but they are expected to have a strong interest to share their experience with NEETs and the development of ecological sustainable solutions to local challenges. It is expected all partners to be careful about gender equality while they are selecting their participants.

METHODOLOGY

- Non-formal learning activities and interactive tools, Experiential learning, Observation, Exploration, learning by doing, Cooperation.
- Active participation and an atmosphere of inclusion, tolerance towards diversity, acceptance, and trust within the group.

CERTIFICATES

- Participants will be provided with **YOUTHPASS** certificate which will help them to record their learning and skills development, which could then be used to support job applications or applications for further courses for example.

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