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Future Think Research Centre



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GENERAL INFORMATION

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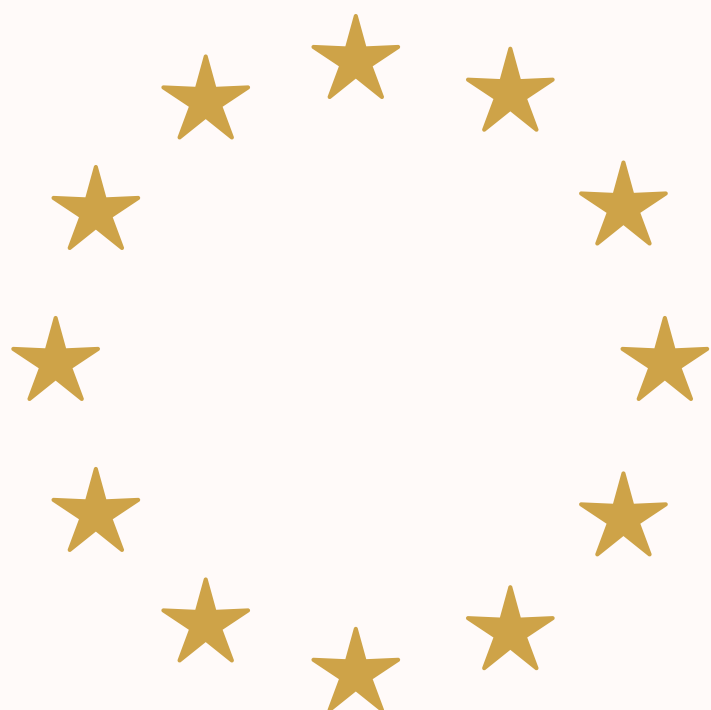
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PROFILE



Type of Organisation:	Non-profit / Non-gouvernemental organisation (NFP-NGO) Body active at European level in the youth field (NFP-ENGYO) Informal group of young people (NFP-IGYP) Public body (PUB)
Status	Private Public
Activity level	Local Regional National European International

BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

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RESEARCH CENTER

Please briefly present your
organisation

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About Our Work

FTRC's main activities include:

- Educational programs at local, national, and international levels;
- Awareness-raising activities, seminars, and conferences;
- Learning mobility projects, training courses, and workshops designed to strengthen the capacity of teachers and trainers;
- Exchange of good practices among professionals across multiple disciplines;
- Research and study initiatives focusing on innovation, development, and lifelong learning.

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Role in the Project

Social Innovation

We design and implement new solutions that impact the community and society at large. FTRC implements conceptual, process, product, or organizational change using modern and proven techniques. The main aim of the project we implement is to improve the welfare and well-being of individuals and communities. We conduct extensive research to find new social practices that aim to meet emerging social needs in an effective way.

Research

We are proficient in conducting research using universal scientific methods. Over the years, we have been involved in multiple projects where we collected, organized, analyzed, interpreted, reported, and presented data in a logical and useful manner. We have experience in using and processing both primary and secondary data. We are a responsible organization, and we ensure confidentiality with the collected data.

Training Capacity Building

FTRC has hosted multiple capacity-building events for different projects. The purpose of these capacity-building events was to implement social change and to train the target groups. We also hosted a training school that aimed at empowering community leaders and fostering resilience and unity within the community. FTRC has experience in utilizing both formal and non-formal education methods in seminars, workshops, webinars, and training activities.



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Role in the Project

Dissemination & Exploitation

We have experience in developing efficient dissemination plans, which contain communication strategies and a set of measures planned for the dissemination of project results and describe how to engage with the public. We provide guidance on how to comply with the Open Access requirements of funding agencies, keep track of your publications, set up project handbooks, write reports on your publication activities, and promote them on the project website and other online platforms. We support our partners in tailoring a realistic exploitation plan and provide templates to structure their strategy process. Other activities that we do under exploitation include: developing data management plans, stakeholder analysis, and designing suitable business models for the projects.

We operate at local, national, and European levels, collaborating with universities, research centers, public institutions, and private organizations to develop innovative strategies and methodologies in education, research, and youth empowerment.

FTRC has been established as a highly successful research centre which is involved in the preparation and submission of research proposals, as well as in the coordination and implementation of European projects .

FTRC has international experience in working as coordinator/partner in projects funded under different EU programmes (e.g., ENPI, Horizon 2020, Erasmus+, Daphne, etc.)

BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

What are the activities and experience of your organisation in the areas relevant for this application?

How We Add Value to Your Project

Drawing on our experience and expertise, FTRC can make a valuable contribution in the following areas:

- Research: Conducting high-quality qualitative research, study, and evaluation activities.
- Development: Designing models of self-mobility focused on identity building, personal growth, and balanced development.
- **Conceptual Studies:** Comparing different development models such as social responsibility, sustainability, social economy, gross national happiness, degrowth, and developmental alchemy.
- **Emerging Social Topics:** Exploring relevant issues such as aging and gerotranscendence, digital addiction and identity, time management in the digital era, and the transformation of time and space in hybrid societies.
- **Project Engagement:** Actively contributing to projects in the social sciences and humanities with reflective, responsible, and proactive participation.

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What are the skills and expertise of
key staff/persons in your
organization that will be involved in
this project?

Future Think Research Center Team

- FTRC has a permanent work team made up of 10 active people from different backgrounds such as science, management, psychology, design, human resources.

All the members of the FTRC group have a different area of interest and studies which together give us the opportunity to have a huge impact in everything we do. As a staff team, we have people working and studying at the university at the same time. Some of us study management and psychology qualifying while others work in areas such as design, innovation technology and human resources.

FTRC Core Team:

- Mohamed Amine KOUKI – Executive Director
- Nawel Ben Soltane – Management of finances for the Institute. Also management of EU grants
- Feki – Director,- Expert in social projects, related to disability and youth policies. He works in national and regional projects
- AYUB- Responsible of Project. he tasks are :Planning of projects, ensures successful development, provides support for all project-related topics and problems. Also covers administrative questions (activity agreement, etc.)
- Ruben- Responsible for monitoring and evaluation projects
- Maria Jose Responsible for the Research and Studies Department
- Maria Noime - Responsible for the statistics and probability / Mapping Department

SPECIFIC INFO



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PLEASE DESCRIBE THE BACKGROUND AND NEEDS OF THE PARTICIPANTS INVOLVED AND HOW THESE PARTICIPANTS HAVE BEEN OR WILL BE SELECTED

WE HAVE HIGH LEVEL OF TRANSPERANCY IN SELECTION PROCESS THROUGH CALL FOR PARTICIPANTS ON OUR ASSOCIATION PAGE ONLINE, WILL SELECT THE PARTICIPANTS AND A GROUP LEADER FROM TUNISIA. REPRESENTING OUR ORGANIZATION WHICH ON A DAILY BASIS WORK WITH YOUNG PEOPLE (PREFERABLY OUTSIDE FORMAL EDUCATION SYSTEM) AND AS OUR AIMS WISH TO INCREASE ACTIVE PARTICIPATION, DEVELOP YOUNG PEOPLE SKILLS, BUILD NEW BRIDGES AND DIALOGUE WITH OTHER CULTURES.

02

WILL YOU INVOLVE PARTICIPANTS FROM DIFFISULT SITUATIONS THAT MAKE THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE ACTIVITIES MORE DIFFICULT? HOW MANY?

- FEWER OPPORTUNITIES:
OUR ORG WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO NOMINATE ONE PARTICIPANT WITH FEWER OPPORTUNITY WHO CAN'T PAY FOR HIS OWN TRAVEL COSTS IN ADVANCE WHICH WILL BE PAY IN ADVANCE BY SPECIAL FUND WE HAVE MADE IT TO SUPPORT SUCH PARTICIPANTS

03

WHICH TYPES OF SITUATIONS ARE THESE PARTICIPANTS FACING?

ECONOMICAL AND SOCIAL OBSTICLS

PREPARATION

HOW WILL YOU PREPARE THE PARTICIPANTS BEFORE DEPARTURE?

PROJECT ORIENTATION: IDEA, GOALS, ACTIVITIES METHOD, PROGRAM HISTORY, ROLES DISTRIBUTION, PREPARE CULTURE NIGHT, BUDGET LINES AND AMOUNTS ...ETC



FOLLOW-UP

WHAT IS THE EXPECTED IMPACT OF THIS PROJECT ON YOUR ORGANIZATION?

- **NETWORKING**
- **NEW EXPERIENCE**
- **SELF DISCOVERY TO EXAMINE PERSONAL VALUES, APTITUDES, AND SKILL SETS.**
- **UNDERSTANDING OF STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP FRAMEWORKS THAT ENABLE PARTICIPATION SUCCESS.**
- **RESEARCH,**
- **INNOVATION,**
- **TRAINING AND NETWORKING;**
- **TRANSNATIONAL YOUTH INITIATIVES**
- **STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS**
- **CAPACITY BUILDING**
- **MEETINGS BETWEEN YOUNG PEOPLE AND DECISION-MAKERS.**
- **RESEARCHING HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUES;**
- **RAISING AWARENESS OF HUMAN RIGHTS;**

HOW WILL THIS PROJECT IMPACT ON YOUR LOCAL/REGIONAL/NATIONAL COMMUNITY? HOW DO YOU PLAN TO MAXIMISE THIS IMPACT? (E.G. COOPERATION WITH LOCAL INSTITUTIONS, INTEGRATION IN YOUR ONGOING ACTIVITIES, ...)

WE WILL REFLECT THIS EXPERIENCE THROUGH OUR PROJECTS WITH LOCALS SO WE ARE INVOLVING NOT ONLY PARTICIPANTS, BUT ALSO TO ENCOURAGE THE LOCAL COMMUNITIES IN BARCELONA TO EXPLORE THE IMPORTANCE OF INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION WITHIN OUR PROJECTS WITHIN OUR NETWORK AT NATIONAL , REGIONAL AND GLOBAL LEVEL AND SHARE THEIR EXPERIENCE IN OUR FACEBOOK PAGE.

FOLLOW-UP

HOW YOU WILL ENSURE THE VISIBILITY OF THE PROJECT? ARE YOU IN CONTACT WITH MEDIA PARTNERS? (E.G. WEB-RADIOS, WEB-TV, NEWSPAPERS) LIST YOUR PRESENCE IN INTERNET AND SOCIAL NETWORKS.

THROUGH OUR NETWORKS AND CONTACTS LIKE:

- **SOME NEWS WEBSITES**
 - **BARCELONA RADIO**
- **DARIO RADIO**
 - **BARCELONA NEWSPAPER.**
 - **ANNALINDAH FOUNDATION NETWORK .**
- **IN ADDITION TO OUR SOCIAL NETWORKS ONLINE SUCH AS FACEBOOK GROUPS, PAGESETC.**

WHICH ACTIVITIES WILL YOU CARRY OUT IN ORDER TO SHARE THE RESULTS OUTSIDE YOUR ORGANISATION? (E.G. LOCAL PUBLIC EVENT; MEETINGS AND VISITS TO KEY STAKEHOLDERS; DEDICATED DISCUSSION OPPORTUNITIES SUCH AS INFORMATION SESSIONS, WORKSHOPS, SEMINARS, TRAINING COURSES, EXHIBITIONS, DEMONSTRATIONS, OR PEER REVIEWS; TARGETTED WRITTEN MATERIAL SUCH AS REPORTS, ARTICLES, NEWSLETTER, PRES RELEASES; SOCIAL MEDIA

- **THE PARTICIPANTS WILL BE FACILITATING SERIES OF YOUTH DISCUSSIONS AFTER THE PROJECT TO SPEAK WITH OTHER YOUTH IN THEIR COMMUNITIES ABOUT THE EXPERIENCE DURING THE PROJECT TO EXPLOIT THE RESULTS AND PROMOTE ITS OBJECTS.**
- **USING SOCIAL COMMUNITIES LIKE FACEBOOK THROUGH LAUNCHING A PAGE OR GROUP TO KEEP THE COMMUNICATION AND COORDINATION OF THE PARTICIPANTS FOR FUTURE COOPERATION BETWEEN THEM OR WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS.**
- **OUR INSTITUTE WILL PROVIDE COUNSELING AND ASSISTANCE TO OTHER ORGANIZATIONS WISHING TO ORGANIZE SIMILAR ACTIVITIES UNDER THE SAME THEME.**

FOLLOW-UP

WHAT WILL BE THE TARGET GROUPS OF YOUR DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES?

(E.G. END-USERS OF YOUR ACTIVITIES; STAKEHOLDERS OR EXPERTS; DECISION MAKERS AT LOCAL/REGIONAL/... LEVEL; PRESS AND MEDIA; GENERAL PUBLIC; ...)

- **YOUTH WORKERS AND ACTIVISTS.**
- **STAKEHOLDERS, EXPERTS AND DECISION MAKERS.**
- **MEDIA WORKERS AND ACTIVISTS.**
- **STUDENTS**
- **ADULTS**
- **SENIOR CITIZENS**
- **MIGRANTS/REFUGEES**
- **PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES**
- **LOCAL YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS**

WHICH ACTIVITIES WILL YOU CARRY OUT IN ORDER TO ASSESS WHETHER, AND TO WHAT EXTENT, THE PROJECT HAS REACHED ITS OBJECTIVES AND RESULTS?

- **MONITORING THE CHANGE IN THE IDEAS OF PARTICIPANTS IN THE PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES BEFORE AND AFTER THE PROJECT. EACH PARTICIPANT AFTER HIS RETURN WILL SEND THE EVALUATION FORMS FILLED OUT AFTER DISCUSSING THE FIVE YOUNG PEOPLE IN THE LOCAL COMMUNITY.**
- **IN ADDITION OF PARTICIPANTS BEING AFFECTED THROUGH NEW SKILLS AND NEW RELATIONSHIPS.**
- **MONITORING THE NUMBER OF COOPERATION PROTOCOLS WHICH WILL BE DONE AMONG THE PARTICIPANTS TO JOINT PROJECTS AND NEW PARTNERSHIPS IN LOCAL LEVEL.**
- **POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE COMMENTS OF THE VISITORS OF THE PROJECT PAGE ON THE IDEAS OF THE PROJECTS PROPOSED BY THE PARTICIPANTS.**

MISCELLANEOUS

WHY DO YOU WANT TO CARRY OUT THIS PROJECT? WHAT ARE THE ISSUES AND NEEDS ARE YOU SEEKING TO ADDRESS THROUGH THIS PROJECT?

- PROMOTING ACTIVE PARTICIPATION
- ENHANCING SENSE OF SOLIDARITY
- ENCOURAGE MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING
- DISCOVERING SOCIAL REALITIES AND CULTURAL BACKGROUNDS.
- LEARNING FROM EACH OTHER'S COUNTRIES AND CULTURES.
- CREATING NEW FRIENDSHIPS AND RELATIONS BETWEEN THE PARTICIPANTS FOR FURTHER COOPERATION.



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MEANS OF TRANSPORT (CAR, BUS, TRAIN, PLANE)	PLANE
CITY OF DEPARTURE	
AIRPORT (NAME OF THE CITY)	BARCELONA AIRPORT

FHIRD STAFF	
PARTNER'S TOTAL STAFF (FULL TIME EQUIVALENT)	12
STAFF DEDICATED TO EU PROJECTS (FULLTIME EQUIVALENT)	7

OUR POTENTIAL ROLES IN YOUR PROJECT

- **Hosting Activities**We can host Transnational Project Meetings and Capacity Building Activities in Barcelona.
- **Leading Quality Assurance (WP3)**Through our Quality Management Plan (QMP), we ensure high project standards by:
 - Developing monitoring and evaluation frameworks;
 - Creating quality assurance strategies;
 - Establishing Monitoring and Evaluation Committees;
 - Conducting continuous quality control and data analysis;
 - Designing and implementing robust research methodologies.
- **Leading Dissemination and Exploitation (WP4)**FTRC can successfully manage dissemination and exploitation activities, including:
 - Developing a comprehensive dissemination strategy and plan;
 - Creating the project's branding and visual identity;
 - Designing and managing the project website and social media channels;
 - Producing promotional materials, newsletters, and media coverage;
 - Preparing dissemination and exploitation reports.
- **FTRC offers strong project management expertise, effective communication and event organization, and a dedicated dissemination team specializing in video production, graphic design, and social media management.**

OUR POTENTIAL ROLES IN YOUR PROJECT

- Based on these project experiences and our own expertise, we are particularly attentive to the following issues:
- RESEARCH: Qualitative researching and evaluation
- DEVELOPMENT: Developing a model of selfmobility, focusing on issues of identity building and transcending, and balancing of development.
- STUDYING THE DEVELOPMENT CONCEPTS: Comparing different development models (social responsibility, sustainable model, social economy, gross national happiness, degrowth concept, developmental alchemy).
- ADDRESSING ACTUAL TOPICS INSIDE EMERGING HYBRID SOCIETY: Placing and promoting different topics (The population of the elderly in the light of gero-transcendence and timelessness; Digital addiction in the light of one's identity vacuum; Mastering time in the upcoming digital era through mastering silence; Dealing with concepts of time and space in coming hybrid future..).
- CONTRIBUTING AT YOUR PROJECT TOPIC(S): Having the capacity to be engaged responsibly, reflectively, and proactively at various topics inside social sciences or humanities, which you intend to initiate in project design

