

CONCEPT NOTE

1. Context

Sport is not only a tool but a reflection of society. In last years xenophobia is growing in sports.

Already in the UNESCO report "color, what color ?, Report on the fight against racism and discrimination in football "published in 2016 establishes a series of essential points that can be extrapolated to other sports:

- The concept of "us" and "them" that is implicit in the competition between two teams, which favors racism processes
- alarge international legal context in the fight against racism and
- inoperation in the application of that legislation.

These elements of the report, as well as the daily reality in our activities, have shown us that there is no protocol for REAL application of that legislation signed by countries and federations. That fact is producing a situation of defenselessness and, instead of serving sport to fight inequalities, it is being a framework for the use and benefit of racist positions.

In the new Erasmus + Sport programme withis project matches with **horizontal priority**: Inclusion and diversity in all fields of education, training, youth and sport and **Sport specific priority**: Combating violence and tckling racism, discrimination and intolerance in sport

2. Summary of the project

The project aims to provide intelectual outoputs in the form of protocols and recommendations to institutions and federations of real application of existing legislation.

For this, the project is based on three pillars:

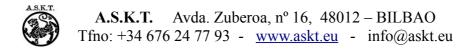
Sports lawyers

Federations / professional clubs

Grassroot clubs and organizations fighting discriminastion in sports

Activities:

- 1.- Tracking of situation and good and bad practices in each country
- 2.- Seminars on legislation, case studies and for increasing the competencies of local multipliers.
 - 3.- Creation of a report with recommendations and protocols to be applied...
 - 4.- Final event against racism with a sports competition with teams sponsored by



professional level clubs.

3. Profile of partners

The partners cover different areas necessary to cover the required profiles of the project and the realization of the various activities proposed.

4. Objectives

- Tackle intolerance and xenophobia threats in sports
- Exchange of good practices
- Elaboration of a base document that serves for the practical application of the legislation against discrimination in sport.
- Increse awareness of the role of sports in fighting xenophobia

5. Plan of the project

- 1. Kick off meeting to get to know the partners, divide roles concretely, plan and fix internal deadline;
- 2. Identification and sharing of good practices: Internal national work to analyse the existing toolkit/good practices, legal framwork and institutions to be implied.
- 3. Translate material and prepare training event;
- 4. International meeting for multipliers with participation of different profiles expected in the project
- 5. Report on point 2 and 4 outpouts to be used by lawyers
- 6. International meeting for experts
- 7. Raising awareness campaign with an international event and presentation of final report