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UPGRAD _ ME 2.0

SUMMARY

Labour orientation and career counselling is important for migrant young people. Through career guidance, they can discover what are their skills and the best professional field for them. Gamification is a good way to favour this career guidance.

UpGrad_Me 2.0 is the continuation of UpGrad_Me project, which promoted self branding through a video CV using a mobile phone. The gamified experience brings innovation to the project by providing a context for understanding through experience.

PARTNERS

- African Media Association (Malta)
- Solidaridad Sin Fronteras (Spain)
- Arciragazzi Portici (Italy)
- CARDET (Cyprus)

LET'S GET STARTED !

All the partners of UpGrad_Me 2.0 are pleased to announce the launch of the project.



THE AIM

To improve the employability of migrant youth through the promotion of labour orientation and career counselling, by using Video Games.



BENEFIT FOR MIGRANT YOUTH

Improve the self-knowledge of young migrants about their skills and competences

Support migrant youth to be self-aware of their job preferences and provide them a career counselling and guidance

THE OBJECTIVE

BENEFIT FOR YOUTH WORKERS

Improve European citizenship among youth

Improve youth workers capacities regarding career guidance and employability for migrant youth by using gamification

Create and strengthen youth workers' European networks



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ACTIVITIES

IO 1 : research-oriented to elaborate a simplified classification of professional families and a catalogue of the most relevant skills and competences associated to them.

IO 2 : Gamification Experience will be an online "Escape Room", which will allow young migrants to deeper know their different skills and competences. It can be directly accessed on smart-phones.

IO 3 : a career guidance handbook composed by a compilation of good practices and innovative methodologies. It can be used as a practical guide by the professionals dealing with young migrants.

KICK-OFF MEETING

11th-12th November, 2020

Initially planned to be held In Madrid, the Kick-off meeting finally took place online, because of the Covid situation.

The partners met and discussed for two days about the future activities.

It was a good atmosphere, as three partner organisations have known each other working together in a previous successful project. A warm welcome was given to CARDET who joined the consortium this year.

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