

PARTNER IDENTIFICATION FORM

Partner organisation

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Legal name of the organisation	New Wellness Education - APS
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Acronym/Organisation's short name	New Wellness Education
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Profile

Type of organization	Association
Is the partner organization a public body?	NO
Is the partner organization a non-profit?	YES
Is your organisation: a public body at regional/national level; an association of regions; a European Grouping of Territorial cooperation; or a profit-making body active in Corporate Social Responsibility?	NO
Main sector of activity	OFFERING PARTICIPATION IN YOUTH-LED EVENTS AND YOUTH PARTICIPATION ACTIVITIES

Accreditation

Has the organization received any type of accreditation before submitting this application? **NO**

Accreditation type	Accreditation reference
Hosting/Supporting Organization	2020-1-IT03-ESC52-020694

Background and experience

Please briefly present the partner organisation.

New Wellness Education founded in 2020 in Lecce, Italy, a town that during the years got more and more popular and intercultural.
 The NGO works in the field of education and wellbeing, holding courses for local and international youth.
 Specifically the organization is providing educational opportunities for local and international

youth, NEET and young migrants, asylum seekers and refugees with the support of national funding (Erasmus+, ESC, Garanzia Giovani, ANPAL, FSE).

Our mission is to provide education at 360° with the aim to raise mental and physical wellbeing and in general quality of life for youths either local or foreigners, working on different topics such youth employability and entrepreneurial skills, raising activeness and responsible involvement into cultural, social and educational life of the communities, all of these as part of a process of increasing personal and social wellbeing.

We are sure that providing educational opportunities for youth, working on their mental and physical wellbeing, supporting them in being and responsibly involved into cultural, social and educational life of the communities is the best way to parallelly start fighting big social issues such unemployment and social exclusion.

At the same time we believe that capability of young people to be very creative and spontaneous represent the key of a better future for Europe.

Our main objectives aim to:

- provide educational opportunities to youth
- promoting young people's physical and mental wellbeing;
- foster youths participation in social life;
- support youth in starting their professional careers
- develop young's people creativeness and initiative;
- create a proactive attitude toward education among young people;
- bring awareness over European and universal values in the field of education as the main foundation for a better life;
- implement the practices used within the frame of non-formal learning to as many levels as possible in order to bring efficiency in the youth interaction with the cultural, social and educational environment;
- increase recognition and quality of youth work

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

Our daily activities involve youth, youth workers and adults, young with fewer opportunities consist in organizing educational opportunities at various levels and in different forms, such as training courses, international mobilities, volunteering, events etc...

In the past 2 years, since our foundation we developed and implemented several initiatives: 1 – 80 hours course named “Yes – I start UP” involving 12 youth falling in the category of NEET, the course was focused on providing this youngsters with competences about entrepreneurship and practical information on how to start their own business ideas. The course was funded by national grant “Garanzia Giovani” and will give the opportunity to these youth to access specific grants to start their businesses.

2 – 80 hours course named “ FASI” which involved 25 young migrants regularly living in Italy. This course was focused on providing elements of common living in Italy, practical skills and creativity tools with the purpose to increase the inclusion and involvement of these youth in social life in Italy with also a preferential channel to access specific credit options in order to start their business ideas.

In March 2020, we started the project “Learn Well - Free online Learning” as way to provide free learning opportunities online in the period of global pandemic, creating an open group on Facebook accessible to everyone.

We opened a free of charge office for legal and fiscal consultancy for people, local or foreigners in need.

Since the foundation in 2020 we received 4 grants under Erasmus+ program and 1 grant in under ESC program, 1 youth exchange, 2 training courses, 1 KA2 small scale and one ESC31 project.

The ESC31 project named “Learn Well – Educazione al Benessere” was closed on December 2021 after organizing workshops, events, seminars, podcasts and so on, following up what we started in 2020.

The founders of the organization involved in the daily activities of it, have long time previous international experiences also in ERASMUS+ projects.

We think that the use of non-formal education in order to make participants more connected to each other is fundamental to teach and spread a lot of team building methods and experiential learning methods and to give more courage to the youngsters to speak in society about their problems, through making youth projects in their local communities

We consider Training Courses and Youth exchanges just the beginning of our work but these are a strong starting point, and that is why we are eager to keep working on the implementation of them with the tight cooperation of our international partners

What are the skills and expertise of key staff/persons involved in this application?

Antonio Greco president of New Wellness Education.

He had a long term EVS experience in Zagreb Croatia, in which he was in charge of coordinating ERASMUS+ youth exchanges and training courses, creating, coordinating and implementing projects for young people in Zagreb on several and different topics, having afterwards the opportunity to work in the same NGO as EVS coordinator with different groups of international volunteers for long and short term EVS projects.

In the last 3 years he is operating as trainer and facilitator for educational programs, with main focuses on self development, wellbeing and social inclusion.

During his experience in the context of ERASMUS+ he has being responsible for selection

process, meetings, practical arrangements, follow up with participants for the projects in which he was personally involved and in those in which we took part as sending organization.

He has been working for the previous 6 years with several national and international NGOS.

Fabrizio Gallo, board member of New Wellness Education, project manager, trainer and educator

He had a long term EVS experience in Zagreb Croatia, in which he was in charge of coordinating ERASMUS+ youth exchanges and training courses, creating, coordinating and implementing projects for young people in Zagreb and several local events.

He co-operated with Smokynia Foundation in Bulgaria through the program Erasmus for young entrepreneur working on designing events and educational projects.

He participated and then organized several TCs, Y.E. mostly based on personal development.

He is experienced project coordinator and freelance trainer with 5 years' experience in Erasmus+

He is member of the pool of trainers and facilitators with APICE organization and "Youth European Ambassador" for Europiamo ETS

Other relevant infos, he was responsible for one year of running, coordinating and promoting an eco-museum and educational centre in his home-town – Cortemilia, working with the local Administration, where he founded a sport ngo (Attivamente ASD) where he was president for 2 years, running also a sport centre, and organising several events

Francesca Agnese consultant and facilitator of New Wellness Education.

With a degree in Psychology, a master in NLP and a certificate as Mental Fitness trainer, she has been working in the field of personal development since 2017. Having participated in around 30 E+ international projects (trainings courses and youth exchanges), she developed her competence as a trainer and facilitator. She also works with groups as well as in private sessions as a coach.

Francesco Pipparelli, consultant and facilitator cooperating with New Wellness Education, is a freelancing social media strategist, project developer, and communication

consultant, also active in the field of arts and inclusion on an international level as a workshop facilitator and as an artist (with experience in the European Union, in the Balkans, and in the MENA region). He's been supporting and co-leading acting workshops for the local theatre

youth group, being selected as Youth Leader for the 2016 event of the TCFT project (an international youth-led community of artists, activists and change-makers with a collective ambition to develop global youth citizenship through culture and the arts) becoming a member of the organizer's team.

He's been cooperating with various networks and NGO's such as Opera Circus UK, APICE, Nuova Accademia degli Arrischianti, United for intercultural action.

From the age of 16 he's facilitator, as an activist, and as an artist in a number of projects and performances about equality, freedom, and inclusion of minorities, while studying for his BA in Communication Sciences (with an Erasmus period at the Toulouse School of

Management), completing it in 2019 with a dissertation about "The use of arts as an inclusive tool in communicative-pedagogical environments".

Giorgia Valentina Foisor consultant and facilitator of New Wellness Education,

She's been participant in many youth Exchange, and National Leader in her last one.

Thanks to few of these opportunities she got more into the world of regenerative practices, veggie gardening and permaculture, implementing non formal education together with her Biology degree.

In 2017 she also joined and co-coordinated a student project related to organic food gardening and she is currently attending a Master Degree in "Food, Health and Environment" at Uniupo in order to become nutritionist.

She started to teach yoga and to guide courses to spread the wellbeing power of this ancient discipline among youth and adults, and recently she started spreading this passion also through her social media on Instagram and YouTube. In 2018 she started a course in Ayurveda in order to implement this knowledge in her global wellness background which aims to unify Science and Traditional practices for a deeper overview on holistic wellbeing.

Silvia Corna, consultant and facilitator of New Wellness Education.

with a degree in Natural Resources Management and in Intercultural Mediation, she has been working and volunteering in international environmental NGOs and agroecological farms as environmental educator and permaculture designer. She acquired non-formal education methods by taking part into several Erasmus+ experiences, which she applies in her projects of environmental sensibilization.

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