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As part of the **ROMDIEM project**, we had the opportunity to speak with Dr. Labros Baltiotis, a historian and expert in minority rights, who offered a thought-provoking perspective on the Greek context of the Roma Holocaust. He currently works as a senior expert at the Greek Ombudsman and serves as an Assistant Professor of History and Political Science at Panteion University.

News

RESILIENT THREAD Kick-Off Meeting Just Took Place!

We're pleased to announce the successful launch of the RESILIENT THREADS project, marked by the kick-off meeting held in Stockholm and hosted by SMartSe AB.

Partners from both the PAL Network and SMartSe AB came together to discuss and align on the project's goals, planned activities, and next steps for the upcoming 15-month collaboration.

The **Proud Ambassadors Project** is moving forward – and **PAL Network is proud to be part of it!**

The first newsletter marks key milestones: from a strong kick-off to the creation of a Training Curriculum and policy brief supporting the mental health and inclusion of LGBTQIA+ youth.

This is just the beginning of building stronger advocacy, awareness, and empowerment across Europe.

You can find it [here!](#)



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OECON Group had the pleasure of participating in the **Forum on Vocational Excellence 2025**, held in Kolding, Denmark, from 8 to 10 September. This high-level European event brought together key stakeholders in the field of Vocational Education and Training (VET) from across Europe, aiming to promote excellence, innovation, and cross-sectoral collaboration.

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We're excited to share two highlights from the Green4ADU project in which OECON is a partner!

 In just 10 days, the Green4ADU Moodle Platform will go live, offering tools, resources, and learning opportunities to support sustainability and green practices in adult education. Stay tuned to be among the first to explore this innovative space!

On September 17–18, 2025, partners gathered in Palermo for a Learning, Teaching, Training Activity (LTTA) hosted by CEIPES. The two-day program featured creative workshops, outdoor learning, wellbeing activities, and co-design sessions. It was a valuable moment of collaboration, strengthening our shared vision of promoting sustainability and innovative adult education across Europe.



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We are excited to announce that **CUBE** hosted one of the inspiring **Go and Feel Mobilities through the Craftwork 4.0 All project**. We welcomed Kakan, a beneficiary from SENSUS, who will spend 10 days in Greece exploring, learning, and gathering inspiration for her future artwork.

Stay tuned for updates and the results of this exciting collaboration!

CUBE



News

CUBE at Creative Skills Week 2025 – Prague

On 25 September 2025, CUBE participated in the panel discussion “The Future of Craft from Tradition to Innovation” during Creative Skills Week 2025 in Prague.

The session brought together experts to explore the challenges and opportunities in the European craft sector, highlighting the role of heritage, innovation, and sustainability in shaping its future. CUBE contributed its perspective on empowering makers through education, creativity, and entrepreneurial skills, underlining the importance of training and innovation for the resilience of crafts across Europe.



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E-ART LOCAL EXHIBITION IN BLAGOEVGRAD, BULGARIA

On 16 September, OECON GROUP Bulgaria organized the local exhibition “from waste to art” at the American university in Bulgaria.

The event showcased the outcomes of the five e-art labs held in June in Blagoevgrad, where participants experimented with sustainable techniques using recycled plastic and eco-friendly materials.



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Students Take the Lead Against Antigypsyism: The AcadeMe and RomniMe Training Path

ROMNI APS

Isernia, Italy – A new generation of students has become the protagonist in the fight against antigypsyism thanks to the synergy between two European projects, #AcadeMe <https://academe-project.eu/> and #RomniMe, both funded under the call CERV-2023-EQUAL.

News

Students in Isernia Lead the Fight Against Antigypsyism

Isernia – Students have taken center stage in the fight against antigypsyism through the #AcadeMe <https://academe-project.eu/> and #RomniMe projects, funded under the European program CERV-2023-EQUAL.

Guided by mentors Giuseppe and Concetta Sarachella, together with councilor Sara Ferri, the young participants followed a seven-module training path. Topics ranged from the history of Roma communities and stereotypes to fake news, online hate speech, and gender equality, with special focus on empowering Roma girls.

The program concluded with a meeting with national coordinator Saska Jovanovic and Bljerim Fetahi, president of Romni APS, reinforcing the link between local youth and European initiatives.



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CODECA

The 3rd Newsletter of the “Theory of Change” project is now available!

Read the full newsletter here: <https://shorturl.at/IBcqb>

Learn more on our website: <https://tocproject.eu/>

Follow us on social media to stay updated with the project’s activities!



News

We are pleased to share the first AMIR Project Newsletter.

📢 The project has now officially entered its implementation phase. After six months of preparation, national working groups – including the one in Cyprus, led by CODECA– produced reports highlighting local challenges in employment, housing, and financial education. These findings informed the joint European Integration Strategy, which was presented at the transnational meeting in Barcelona on 15–16 July 2025.

The project is coordinated by Comunità Papa Giovanni XXIII (Italy), with partners from Spain, Hungary, Germany, France, Sweden, Greece, and Cyprus. It is funded by the EU under AMIF-2023-TF2-AG-CALL.

Read more: <https://shorturl.at/sh04F>



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**Revolutionizing SMEs through Emotional Intelligence in the 5th Industrial Era
REVIVE 5.0** <https://revive5-0.eu/>

focuses on Emotional Intelligence (EI) as an important asset for small and medium enterprises (SMEs) to secure their transition to the Industry 5.0. The project aims to develop an innovative VET programme to equip HR Managers in SMEs with the necessary EI skills and competences to manage the transit of their workforce to Industry 5.0.

ASES Training

News

The **final Transnational Project Meeting of the REVIVE 5.0 Project** took place on September 16, 2025, in **Lecce, Italy, hosted by Demostene Centre at CPIA Lecce**. This conclusive gathering marked the successful culmination of an ambitious Erasmus+ initiative that aimed to foster Emotional Intelligence (EI) competencies within Human Resource Management (HRM), especially in SMEs transitioning toward Industry 5.0. **The REVIVE 5.0 project** has significantly contributed to upskilling SME workforces by embedding emotional intelligence into vocational training—enhancing productivity, well-being, and resilience.

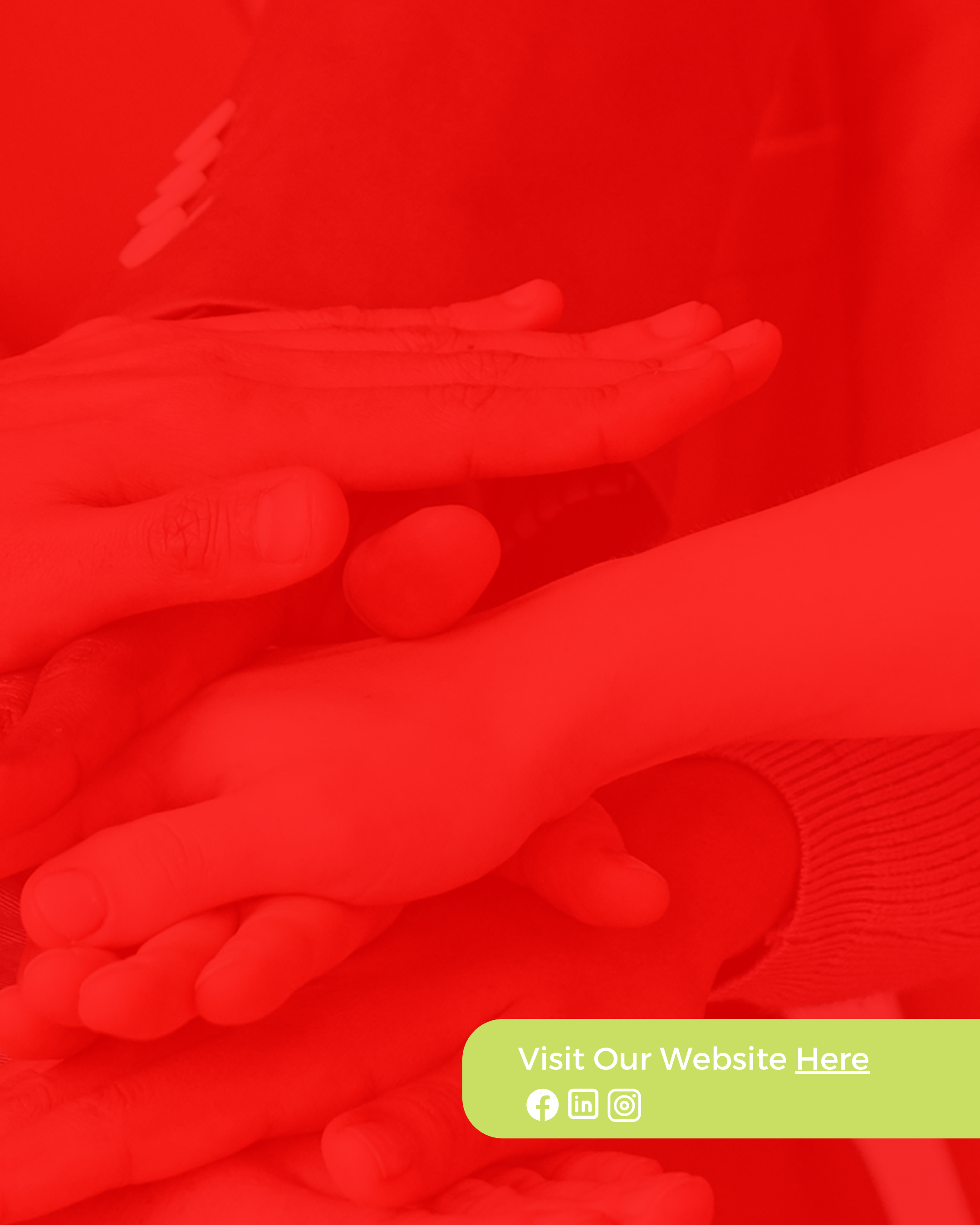
This final meeting not only celebrated the achievements of the partnership but also paved the way for further integration of EI into European VET systems.



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