



Breaking News: The goal is never to finish

Our project will live long!

We have worked two years in the implementation of a project that involved an international consortium of five countries and 40 multipliers from Spain, Austria, Denmark, Slovenia and Italy.

Officially and because the three outputs of the project are ready to publish, we have reached the goal on time. In practice, we have the feeling that the work is just beginning: Multiplus leaves the door open to continue working in a sustainable way.

Multiplus wanted to offer pedagogical methods; work tools; and content or impulses to discuss political values in the community and incentivize participation. And we did it! We delivered on our promise: a pedagogical manual for multipliers, a compendium of tools and guidelines to work on the European political values in the community.

What we were not prepared for or could not foresee exactly, was the human process and the formation of exchange teams that would arise from these two years of work. The growing awareness in the community of the role of the multipliers, the empowerment of the migrants to do pedagogical community work and the vision of a more active and committed participation in the daily life of immigrants in Europe, are some of the exquisite fruits harvested.

Project Framework

With this Newsletter we are proud to present advances of our project:

**MultiPLUS+
Migrant
Multipliers
build
Bridges**

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***Let us tell you what
we have achieved!***

***Our project has been
extended!***





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At the close of the project, we gave great importance and time to reflect on the Multiplus experience. We wanted feedback from our multipliers that would not focus on the productivity of their work on the project, but on their personal experience.

We wanted to know how they felt in their role, what they had gained in these two years, what they lacked and, especially to what extent their commitment and enthusiasm had increased or disappeared.

“I didn’t know I could do all these things. I have learned, yes; above all I learned to know myself in my role as a multiplier”, reflected one team member from Austria.

„Knowing that even when we work alone - without an organization behind us - as multipliers we have tools, a reference group, colleagues in Austria and throughout Europe, is something that strengthens me“, reported another Austrian multiplier.

„I liked the experience of sharing with other multipliers. I felt like a valued part of a group. I’ve learned, I’ve had fun” summary of another Multiplus participant.

„It makes me very sad to ‘disarm’ this group. I have been very comfortable here. I have experienced empathy, solidarity and above all Multiplus has been a source of inspiration and commitment”, we heard from one multiplier.

In Omega, where there was already a team of multipliers before Multiplus, the implementation of the project has been of vital importance for the consolidation of this team. 10 multipliers worked directly for Multiplus, but there are a total of 25 multipliers that will take advantage of the sustainability of this project. The manuals and the compendium will accompany the daily work of our multipliers. Omega will try



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to ensure that their enthusiasm, curiosity and creativity do not fade away.

After the round of reflection and feedback, the Omega multipliers received a certificate of participation. They continue with their community work, but also stay active in Omega in various projects, generating new ideas and at the service of their groups and communities.

Omega, as the lead organization of the Multiplus Project and as coordinator of our own team of Multipliers, also took part in a reflection. We have worked hard and gone through moments of uncertainty and unease. The pandemic forced us to reformulate our work plan, it delayed us, as well as challenged us.

It needs to be said (although it seems that we are patting ourselves on the back): Multiplus has been an “extreme” Project. It was a project with countless administrative and structural challenges, but it was also a project with opportunities to implement with generous creativity, a great experience of collaboration between European partners and, above all, a project of incredible sustainability.



Recognizing the incredible work of our multipliers!

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