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"FAMILY CAREER COMPASS - Efficient Career Guidance Approaches Supporting Parents in Guiding their Children's Vocational Career"

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Project Information

Title: "FAMILY CAREER COMPASS - Efficient Career Guidance Approaches Supporting Parents in Guiding their Children's Vocational Career"

Project Number: 2013-1-PL1-LEO05-37576

Year: 2013

Project Type: Transfer of Innovation

Status: granted

Country: PL-Poland

Marketing Text: FAMICO is an invaluable system for school vocational counselors with tools, methods and mind set to work with families and children of all age.

Summary: EU constitutes a territory facing constant changes in labour market. Issues such as rapidly changing economic environment, the economic recession, the continuous technological breakthroughs, affect and influence the role of the family in raising children. According to Young & Friesen parents help children develop work values, self-awareness, self-confidence and interpersonal skills, grasp personal responsibility, exercise decision-making skills and through that mix identify the most appropriate work experience opportunities. Additionally, parents are the primary providers of encouragement for children to reach vocational goals and model their career-related behaviour and learning experiences (Turner&Lapan).

The FAMICO project aims at developing career counsellors competences, while improving their skills in guiding parents to support children's vocational decision-making process.

Through this process, vocational counsellors will be able to foster personal development of students not only by facilitating the individual but with support of family system in its different developmental stages. Parents, who are one of the major factors of the student's career decisions, will know better how to facilitate career management and have a deep awareness of age differences.

Description: The project is organized around 8 workpackages all reflecting different aspects and stages of project life-cycle and are lead by a different partner – an expert in respective domain.
Three WPs last for the whole duration of the project and they are "Communication and Management" (WP1), "Dissemination and exploitation" (WP8) and "Quality Assurance" (WP7).
Other WPs represent stage work that started with "Needs Analysis" (WP2). Based on the results of above stage the "Adaptations of the materials for counsellors and for parents" (WP3) to the three age groups of children took place in the first part of the project realisation.
Along with adaptations of the materials, the "Training programme adaptations" followed in WP4. In order to ensure the highest quality and usability of the final products the partnership is in the process of undertaking a testing procedure – "Piloting" (WP6) which will enable to adjust the project output fully to the expectations and requirements of the target group.
The key stage for successful implementation of the project products are "Quality and Evaluation Assurance" (WP7) based both on internal actions as well as external assessment to assure right quality of project results. As the project is a transfer of innovation the "Dissemination and exploitation" activities (WP8) are of great importance throughout the whole project duration and beyond.
Results achieved in the first year of the project relisation is the needs analysis done in partner countries summarised in the Synthesis Report. Another key result was Repository of materials on family oriented vocational counselling. In the first year of the project the transfered materials for counsellors and parents have been adapted according to the results of the needs analysis. The training curriculum have also been updated as well as the e-platform was developed. In the second year partners will conduct the piloting of transferred materials in order to finalize the materials for counsellors and parents.

Themes: *** Others
*** Vocational guidance

Project Information

	** Labor market
Sectors:	*** Other Service Activities ** Education * Professional, Scientific and Technical Activities
Product Types:	website teaching material program or curricula open and distance learning modules
Product information:	The project products are: • Three TRAINING PROGRAMS in blended learning mode (including on-line Problem Based Learning sessions) "How to cooperate with parents in shaping vocational career of their children at a certain age" for school career counselors (each adopted to one age developmental group of children) • A HANDBOOK for COUNSELLORS "How to cooperate with parents in shaping the vocational career of their children at a certain age" • A PARENT GUIDEBOOK "How to help a child in making a vocational career decision" divided into 3 sections, each adopted to one age developmental group of children • E-PLATFORM for counsellors and parents as a repository of supportive materials and a space of knowledge exchange and peer education. Available in EN, PL, DE, SI, TR, GR.
Projecthomepage:	http://www.famico.eu

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Homepage:	http://www.imede.gr

Project Files

famico_leaflet_R.pdf

http://www.adam-europe.eu/prj/11289/prj/famico_leaflet_R.pdf

leaflet

Famico_poster_final.pdf

http://www.adam-europe.eu/prj/11289/prj/Famico_poster_final.pdf

famico poster

WP_3_COUNSELLORS_final_24_09_2014.pdf

http://www.adam-europe.eu/prj/11289/prj/WP_3_COUNSELLORS_final_24_09_2014.pdf

FAMICO Counselor Guide - final

WP_3_PARENTS_manual_final_24_09_2014.pdf

http://www.adam-europe.eu/prj/11289/prj/WP_3_PARENTS_manual_final_24_09_2014.pdf

FAMICO Parent's Manual -final

WP_3_self study_MODIFIED_for_WEB_ENGLISH.pdf

http://www.adam-europe.eu/prj/11289/prj/WP_3_self%20study_MODIFIED_for_WEB_ENGLISH.pdf

FAMICO - Counselor Exercises; e-learning version

Products

1 Training programmes for counsellors

2 A handbook for counsellors

3 A parent guidebook

4 e-platform

Product 'Training programmes for counsellors'

Title:	Training programmes for counsellors
Product Type:	teaching material
Marketing Text:	Three TRAINING PROGRAMS in blended learning mode (including on-line Problem Based Learning sessions) "How to cooperate with parents in shaping vocational career of their children at a certain age" for school career counselors (each adopted to one age developmental group of children)
Description:	Three trainings designs for people with counselling functions working with children and their parents in the three age groups 6-12, 12-15, 15-19. The focus lies on providing methods and exercises that can be used when working with parents and additional theoretical input on important issues.
Target group:	School counsellors, vocational counsellors, teachers, trainers
Result:	n/a
Area of application:	To be used by school counsellors, vocational counsellors, teachers, trainers.
Homepage:	http://www.famico.eu/index.php/en/media-library/public-deliverables
Product Languages:	Greek German Turkish Polish Slovenian English

Product 'A handbook for counsellors'

Title:	A handbook for counsellors
Product Type:	teaching material
Marketing Text:	A Handbook addressed to counsellors: "How to cooperate with parents in shaping the vocational career of their children at a certain age"
Description:	The Handbook consists of practical exercises that may be used while working with parents. It is dIvided into two parts. In the first part the counsellor is provided with useful information. The second, practical part allows the counsellor to develop his or her own abilities. It is treated as an element of self-development or an inspiration to share own experiences with the others. These are related to the subjects discussed in previous chapters but also satisfy the needs of children in a given age group. Exercises for three different age groups are included.
Target group:	school counsellors, vocational counsellors, teachers, trainers.
Result:	n/a
Area of application:	This material supports counsellors.
Homepage:	http://www.famico.eu/index.php/en/media-library/public-deliverables
Product Languages:	Greek English Polish Turkish Slovenian German

Product 'A parent guidebook'

Title:	A parent guidebook
Product Type:	teaching material
Marketing Text:	A parent guidebook "How to help a child in making a vocational career decision" divided into 3 sections, each adopted to one age developmental group of children.
Description:	The book consists of some theoretical chapters and some practical ones, reflecting the needs of parents in the scope of preparing their children at different stages of development for a conscious choice of a job and career planning. The guidebook will be adjusted to three age groups of children: 6-12 years old, 13-15 years old, 15-19 years old.
Target group:	parents
Result:	n/a
Area of application:	The handbook may be used by parents interested in supporting their children in guiding their professional career.
Homepage:	http://www.famico.eu/index.php/en/media-library/public-deliverables
Product Languages:	Turkish English Slovenian German Polish Greek

Product 'e-platform'

Title:	e-platform
Product Type:	website
Marketing Text:	E-PLATFORM for counsellors and parents as a repository of supportive materials and a space of knowledge exchange and peer education.
Description:	E-Platform is a web-based environment to provide wide accessibility to materials by counsellors and to support counsellors by providing peer learning tools. Therefore, e-Platform contains tools which enrich the user experience and improve efficiency of the FAMICO methodology.
Target group:	- school counsellors - career counsellors - trainers in vocational counselling - educational and vocational institutions - decision makers in VET - parents - pupils - all interested in vocational counselling.
Result:	n/a
Area of application:	To be used by the target group.
Homepage:	http://www.famico.eu/
Product Languages:	German Greek English Turkish Polish Slovenian

Events

Famico 4th Meeting

Date	05.11.2015
Description	Project Meeting
Target audience	Partners
Public	Closed event
Contact Information	mkedzia@spoleczna.pl
Time and place	5-6-7 November 2015; BAU-Istanbul-Turkey

FAMICO Final Conference

Date	03.11.2015
Description	Closing conference
Target audience	Partners, Experts, Counselors, Families, Acedemicians
Public	Event is open to the public
Contact Information	mkedzia@spoleczna.pl
Time and place	November 03, 09:45-17:00; BAU-Istanbul Turkey

FAMICO 3rd Meeting

Date	11.03.2015
Description	Project Meeting
Target audience	Partners
Public	Closed event
Contact Information	mkedzia@spoleczna.pl
Time and place	March 11-12, 2015; Doukas School-Athens

Events

FAMICO 2nd meeting

Date	04.06.2014
Description	Partners meeting
Target audience	Partners
Public	Closed event
Contact Information	mkedzia@spoleczna.pl
Time and place	June 4-5, 2014; KADIS-Ljubljana, Slovenia

FAMICO Conference

Date	22.11.2013
Description	A conference was held before starting the project to meet partners with the interested parties from Poland.
Target audience	Project partners, career counselors, school managements, families
Public	Closed event
Contact Information	mkedzia@spoleczna.pl
Time and place	November 22, 2013; SAN, Lodz, Poland

FAMICO Kick-off meeting

Date	21.11.2013
Description	First meeting for the project
Target audience	Project partners
Public	Closed event
Contact Information	mkedzia@spoleczna.pl
Time and place	November 21, 2013; SAN, Lodz, Poland