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grandparents & grandchildren

FINAL CONFERENCE

It took place **September 19, 2013 in Rome**, at **“Spazio Europa, managed by the European Parliament Information Office in Italy and the European Commission Representation in Italy”**, the final event of the project.



Attended the final conference all partners, a representative of the beneficiaries of Lazio (Rome and Bassano Romano) and Sardegna (Morgongiori). Were present headteachers and school stakeholders, as well as users interested in the issues raised by the project itself.



The work of the final conference was opened by **Vincenzo Leone (Moiselle Le Blanc)** who covered the main steps of the project and introduced the guests and presented the work sessions.

Intervention of Vincenzo Leone was followed by one of **Gilberto Collinassi (ENAIP FVG)**, promoter of the project who focused in particular on the methodology of the same and different experiences in different countries.



Vincenzo Leone (Moiselle Le Blanc) and Gilberto Collinassi (ENAIP FVG).

The experiences in the partner countries (Romania and Latvia) have been illustrated by the coordinator of activities **Zita Sebö - ZAWiW (DE)**, while the activities relating to the Transferring and experimentation in Latvia and Romania have been introduced and illustrated respectively by **Aina Spaca - VISC (LV)** and **Alina Gavrilita – ODIP (RO)**.



The session continued with the presentation of Vincenzo Leone concerning the activities relating to the Transferring and experimentation in Italy (Morgongiori and Bassano Romano).

In the same field , **Massimo Lazzaretti (MOISELLE LE BLANC)** presented the activities carried out in Basilicata, at the middle school " Michele Granata " (Rionero in Vulture) , and in Rome at secondary school " Via Latina 303".



The last action of the conference focused on:

- analysis of **Antonio Mocci - ENAIP FVG (IT)** concerning the "Impact evaluation";
- some testimonials from beneficiaries of the project (Morgongiori , Bassano Romano and Rome);
- presentation on Future prospects: the strategic framework of "**Erasmus +**" by **National Agency LLP - Leonardo da Vinci Sectoral Programme** represented by **Claudia Villante**.

Final conference closed with the conclusions of Gilberto Collinassi.

IMPACT EVALUATION

The impact assessment aimed to:

- measure the satisfaction of participants in the project actions;
- compare the results with what was planned;
- analyze the results of the transfer process on the partners and final beneficiaries;
- provide quality information on the progress the project to the NA and partners with;
- support of the dissemination.

In this regard we wish to point out some numbers on participation:

Events	Number of events	Number of participants
Consensus seminars	6	>120
Tutors laboratories	10	100
Grandchildren laboratories	37	503
Grandparents laboratories	47	411
Dissemination seminars	5	>100

from which it derives comparison between expected and realized results:

Events	Expected events	Events realised	Expected beneficiaries	Beneficiaries involved
Grandchildren laboratories	12	37	60	503
Grandparents laboratories	12	47	60	411

which shows a proportion much more than optimistic about the involvement and participation of the target chosen for the various project activities.



Of particular interest is the **analysis of the approval by the grandchildren** where they assess the training, certify that:

- the training received enables them to act as " teachers " ;
- the methodology is very original ;
- the manual can be improved.

while considering their role as teachers , there was a good mutual understanding between young people and adults , and that the role of the teacher was very interesting and, ultimately, the overall enjoyment amounted to a positive 96%.

The evaluation analysis of grandparents highlights :

- Very good relationships established with their grandchildren ;
- New and interesting methodology addressed;
- Will to deepen the contents ;
- Interest for the computer world ;
- Preference for seminars and longer;

for an overall judgment (positive with respect to the initiative) of 95%.



In **Latvia and Romania in the analysis of satisfaction** showed common features on both the " grandchildren " well methodology:

- Express wish to repeat the experience ;
- Positive Rating 100% , of " grandparents " ;
- That the most interesting feature of the program was its flexibility ;
- The relationship with the grandchildren was of true friendship ;

In summary, **the qualitative analysis showed that the G & G methodology :**

- Is still very much alive and fruitful;
- That the data on realized (training activities and beneficiaries involved) were amazing.;
- The ratio of the value invested / value product was in fact strongly in favor of the latter.
- That the salient feature of the method is its flexibility which enriches its evolutionary potential .

Since the end , however, showed that emphasizes the potential for transferability of G & G is and remains among the highest among development methodologies of learning.