

Newsletter

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Objectives

The overall objective of the project is to facilitate mainstreaming of Inclusive Innovation and Social Entrepreneurship education and training in universities' curricula, thus promoting wider integration of the social dimension in the knowledge triangle practices implemented by higher education institutions.



Mainstreaming Inclusive Innovation and Social Entrepreneurship in Higher Education

We will soon launch the first open project training sessions



Another fruitful months of work are behind us. The content of the InnoSocial training modules will be published in the coming days. In the following months, we will also organize the first Train the Trainer workshops during which we will train academic staff and trainers from associated organizations on how to teach a course using learning materials on inclusive innovation and social entrepreneurship.

Follow our media and project website, detailed information about events will be released soon.



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BUILDING CAPACITY OF HEIS' ACADEMIC STAFF TO DELIVER TRAINING IN INCLUSIVE INNOVATION AND SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP



The meeting in Vilnius practically concludes the work on the InnoSocial teaching and learning resources. The partners in the next phase have started working on **Building capacity of HEIs' academic staff to deliver training in Inclusive Innovation and Social Entrepreneurship**.

The main objective of this work package – to prepare HEIs' faculty to design and deliver training developed in the previous stage, will be achieved through implementation of a transnational Train the Trainer workshops and pilot training sessions for students in the partner HEIs

Train the Trainer workshop will be an event organised at national level for faculty members in the partner HEIs and associated partner organisations, who are interested in imbedding the developed resources in their teaching practice. Workshop will be moderated by the project team members who developed the Toolkit, the Syllabus and the Learning Modules. The content of the workshop will include: presentations, discussions, active learning assignments, debriefing and feedback sessions. The workshop will be arranged as three half-day sessions (12 hours) and additional 13 hours of independent learning.



In the winter semester of academic year 2024/2025 partner HEIs will organise **the Pilot trainings** and will involve students as participants. Its workload will be equivalent to 3 ECTS (75 hours of learning). Feedback collected after the training will help to develop a final version of all outputs. The lessons learnt and success stories will facilitate replication of the training (course) in the other contexts.

Third Transnational Project Meeting in Vilnius, Lithuania



Final discussions on the content of the InnoSocial training modules and the planning of activities to prepare partners for their implementation were the main topics of the Third Transnational Project Meeting, held on 8–9 May 2024 in Vilnius.

In addition, the host of the meeting, Vilnius University of Applied Sciences, presented the VIKO Bankas – student and staff entrepreneurship support programme run in cooperation with Lithuanian banks.

During the meeting, management issues, a plan for further activities and a summary of dissemination activities were also debated.

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