

# EUROPEAN DIGITAL EDUCATION FOR SOCIAL INCLUSION AND GLOBAL NEIGHBOURHOOD

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### **ABOUT THE PROJECT**

E-DESIGN

The Erasmus+ project "E-DESIGN – European Digital Education for Social Inclusion and Global Neighbourhood" aims at promoting social inclusion and combating social inequalities through strengthening the digital competences of people lacking access to such educational offers in order to enhance their labour market opportunities and social participation. E-DESIGN addresses the challenge to enable future employees to acquire the skills demanded by a fast changing labour market 4.0.

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## 2nd transnational meeting in Palermo

2-4 July 2019

The partners of the "European Digital Education for Social Inclusion and Global Neighborhood" (E-DESIGN) project held their second transnational meeting in Palermo (Italy), 2-4 July 2019.

The second meeting provided the chance to the partners to go through the structure components of the work packages in further detail. Moreover, the project partners had the chance to present their own independent research and contributions with respect to the importance of digital skills in the current European market. The project team decided upon the duration and materials of the modules (namely microcontrollers, 3D Modelling, web development, and app development) while also, discussed on the necessity of creating and distributing a series of hand-outs to cover fields such as microbits, 3D Assembly, Raspberry pi, app development and web development.





Moreover, the agenda also addressed the issue of local/national synergies and the duration of the pilot testing phase, its proper monitoring/evaluation and by all means, the characteristics of the preferred target group and the ways to reach it. The E-DESIGN team also addressed the dissemination plan and how the contributions from all partners are of crucial importance in order to achieve an inclusive content to promote.

Summing up, the partners had the chance to once again go through the WPs management especially with regards to the communication and financial bits.

Committed to contributing their expertise to the ones less privileged, E-DESIGN team shook hands until their next meeting.



# Esthablishment of the first ICT Training Hotspots in Germany and Cyprus



## The first "ICT Training Hotspot" in Germany started

August 2019

The first "ICT Training Hotspot" in Germany started the last week of August with the first course!

As part of E-DESIGN, ZAUG prepared the students of the Dietrich-Bonhoeffer-School in Lich for their digital future in the upcoming school year in the elective modules "MakerSpace" and "Modern Energy".







### **First ICT Training Hotspot in Cyprus**

October 2019

At the end of September C.I.P Citizens in Power began running the first ICT Training Hotspot installed in the community, which will be taking place until the beginning of December at a computer facility of the University of Nicosia, courtesy of the educational institution.

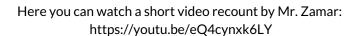
Currently, the Hotspot offers two courses on Saturday mornings and afternoons respectively, one on Webdevelopment and one on Micro-controllers with an introduction in 3D Modelling.



Last Saturday, the third class took place with 20 migrants and refugees participating in the trainings. So far, in the Webdevelopment course the participants have learned to use the WampServer and WordPress, in order to create two types of webpages, a blog and an information website. With regards to the Micro-controllers and 3D Modelling course, the learners have been introduced to the concept of micro-controllers, along with some coding functions and the Logic Gates. Additionally, with the guidance of the trainer they have had the opportunity to experiment with Arduino kits and digitally control the functions of a led lamp through programing.

After asking participants about their impressions from the trainings, Mr. Iskender Zamar shared that the best thing is the opportunity to advance his digital skills, so he can find a relevant job. Moreover, he described the Micro-controllers course as harder in comparison to the Web-development one, due to its more technical nature, however still fun.







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