

Innovative Approach in Adult Education

Digital Storytelling in Intergenerational Learning Project

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Objectives

Inspired by the Thousand and One Nights Tales, E-SHAHRAZAD project aims to bridge the gap between the young and the adult generation, from the past to the future, with stories that are the best means of learning in every era. Digital Storytelling will be used as a method in intergenerational learning. Within the 24 months (March 2021 to February 2023), the project will continue with the specific target group, which are adults over 55 years old and young people aged 18-25.

- Basic skills and ICT skills development, which is the most important skill of today and during and after COVID-19 period of daily life.
- Digital skills, communicating, learning, expressing experience, understanding narrative, shaping stories and using media.
- Development of associated skills (ICT, creative writing, video production, presentation skills, mentoring skills).
- Capacity building; providing training materials for both younger and older people, materials for intergenerational learning courses.

Our Project Focuses On Three Main Needs In:

1



Digital literacy and skills; while rapid change, virtual world, technological advances are defined as an important requirement in social and economic life, Covid-19 is no longer a need and has become a necessity. Numerous scientific studies and EU Adult Education reports support this.

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The Covid-19 process is both a pandemic and isolation process, and a sociological process that requires to be evaluated with a social transformation and new arguments. The definition of the risk group of adults above 55+ and isolation made the feeling of loneliness established. Intergenerational learning will strengthen social ties and provide a link with the past for the future.

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“There was a word first”, as shown in many sources, storytelling has a very significant place in personal and social. Especially, the experiences / fictional stories that adults over the age of 55 will tell are a very important method for intergenerational learning, while being a record for oral history.

Activities



Four intellectual outputs will be prepared within the scope of E-SHAHRAZAD. These are;

- Development Methodology to Digital Storytelling in Intergenerational Learning
- Preparation of the Guide and Toolkits for Digital Storytelling in Intergenerational Dimension for Adult Education
- Establishment of Digital Storytelling HUB (E-Shrazad Hub)
- Compendium of Digital Stories and International Digital Storytelling Festival

In England and Italy, a 5-day training program will be organized for a total of 20 trainers working in adult education. Trainers participating in these training will organize 6 workshops in their countries with adults over 55 and young people between the ages of 18-25. At the end of the pilot programs, each country will prepare Digital Stories.

Contact Information



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Project Partners

Association Culturelle des Jeunes Turcs de Bar le Duc-France



L'Association Culturelle des Jeunes Turcs de Bar le Duc is a non-profit organisation and their goals are to support youth in creating and implementing their own small-scale community-based projects.



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Association Culturelle des Jeunes Turcs de Bar le Duc

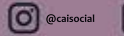


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CAI-Conversas Associação Internacional-Portugal



Conversas Associação Internacional's aims are social intervention, cooperation and education for human and social developments in the areas of prevention, treatment, social inclusion of social issues, research, publications, training and cultural events.



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Community Associations Institute

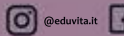


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Associazione Culturale EDUVITA E.T.S.-Italy



EduVita's objectives are promoting lifelong learning for social inclusion, promoting social development of people with disadvantages through the education of people of all ages, developing intergenerational relationships through constructive dialogue and exchange of experiences, and promoting youth initiative and entrepreneurship.



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Innovative Thinking Association-Turkey



The Innovative Thinking Association aims to create the synergy between young people and society in local, national and international levels. ITA also enhances the skill of youth on problem-solving, leadership and conflict management.



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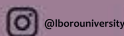


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Loughborough University-United Kingdom



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Intergenerational Digital Storytelling Festival



At the end of the E-SHAHRAZAD project, the digital storytelling festival will be arranged in France and participants from partner countries, the European Union and all over the world will be invited. It will be ensured that institutions working in this field and experts working in the fields of adult education, youth, intergenerational learning, cultural heritage will come together. The three-day festival will showcase good practices across the EU as well as digital stories in the project.

Multiple Events

Dissemination meetings will be held in each partner country (Turkey, Italy, Portugal, England,



France) in order to share the products produced within the E-SHAHRAZAD with the target group and national and international networks; institutions working in the field of adult education, universities and research centers, local administrations, NGOs will participate.