

<u>eucen</u> I <u>Inclusive Europe</u>, the space for European projects with a common focus on diversity and inclusion, bringing together worldwide experts.

Dear Friends,

We are pleased to share with you the latest 'Inclusive Europe' highlights, which are distributed <u>twice per year</u>. We hope you enjoy this 2nd edition for 2022!

The 'Inclusive Europe' initiative is supported by experts from different fields who strive to promote inclusive learning with a special focus on socio-economic, gender or cultural diversity. Together with our partners we are working on projects that focus on inclusion and innovation within Higher Education Institutions.

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<u>SMILE</u> (Social Meaning Impact through LLL Universities in Europe) seeks to promote a more inclusive Europe, fostering and promoting participation, progress, and achievement of disadvantaged individuals in Higher Education.

The SMILE CPD Introductory Course on Inclusion and Diversity is now finalised.

All HE staff interested in diversity, inclusion and social matters can download it <u>here</u> on the project's website.



The Introductory Course intends to give the reader self-reflective insights and examples on how to facilitate inclusive and diversity-oriented approaches. By this, users are sensitized to an intersectional perspective on the topics of diversity and inclusion and stimulated to reflect on and improve their behaviour with disadvantaged groups in their daily work.

This course is only an introduction to the topic. You will soon be able to have access to **3 CPD open courses**, focusing on the **3 SMILE pillars**: migrant background, women leadership, and low socio-economic status.

DOWNLOAD the SMILE Introductory CPD Course on Diversity

The **SMILE Diversity Audit Model** is currently going through a testing phase. After being tested at the University of Malta (MT) and at the University of Cagliari (IT), it will be tested in September at the Technical University of Iasi (RO). To be informed of the development of the SMILE tools, make sure you follow us on <u>LinkedIn</u>, <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Twitter</u> to be informed!

<u>IncludeHER</u> - aims to empower women from migrant backgrounds and the lecturers/staff that teach them in higher educational institutions to use technology and digital tools to support their work, their study, and other aspects of living in a digital age.

The IncludeHER MOOC is launched!

You can access it for free on the Resources section of the project's website here!

The IncludeHER MOOC was designed to support migrant women to develop their digital skills, and learn how to use

these skills within their studies, work and personal life. It is the first MOOC that provides an in-depth training course based on the EU DigComp that is specific to the needs of migrant women!





IncludeHER MOOC
Supporting migrant women to develop their digital skills

EXPLORE the IncludeHER MOOC

The MOOC includes: 5 modules, 5 introductory sections and snappy summaries, dig deeper sections in each module, inspiring case studies, additional resources including multimedia content and 5 self-assessment quizzes.

We are collecting feedback on the MOOC, would you like to get involved? Share your impressions by filling in this <u>short online form</u>.

All the resources developed in the framework of the IncludeHER project can be downloaded for free on the resources section of the <u>project's website</u>, in English, German, Greek and Portuguese.

<u>IncludeMe</u> - aims to empower learners, activists and migrants to become peer-topeer mediators in their communities and a wider area.



The IncludeME Innovative Training Course is ready for a free download!

The Include Me innovative training course seeks to create a **transformative and sustainable approach to the delivery of mediation education** while promoting peer to peer mediation within communities. The Training Course offers resources which provide educators with new knowledge and skills to improve their delivery of mediation education.

The IncludeMe Innovative Training Course includes 5 different modules:

- Introduction to community mediation
- Leadership and advocacy skills in developing strong, postive and equitable communities
- · Communications and media practices
- Effecting change strategies and new approaches
- Resource model levering public and community investments, attracting resources

The course was designed as a flexible set of resources, to be used on their own or together. Each module can be downloaded for free on the <u>project's website</u>, and edited by educators according to their needs.

DOWNLOAD the IncludeME Innovative Training Course

<u>Inclusive-HE</u> aims at raising awareness on inclusive policies and providing guidelines to develop inclusive practices in Higher Education.



The InclusiveHE partner universities - Åbo Akademi University (FI), the University of Latvia (LVA) and the University of Pitești (RO) - are currently piloting **the Training Course on Inclusive Higher Education** with their learning designers and academic staff.

This course seeks to support and encourage the development of inclusive courses allowing students with diverse abilities, ethnic, cultural and migration background, sexual orientation and religion to access equal learning opportunities. By doing so, the InclusiveHE project wants to improve the supply of high quality inclusive higher education

Explore the SMILE CPD Introduction Course on Inclusion and Diversity

opportunities for all, and to raise awareness concerning inclusive practices that foster inclusion.

In the meantime, the InclusiveHE partners are working on the development of a **MOOC on inclusive practices**, which will provide interactive and hands-on activities to empower academics and higher education support staff all around the globe to design and implement inclusive education programmes. The MOOC will be accessible for free on the project's website.

COMING UP: InclusiveHE MOOC on inclusive practices

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