

REDU

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Type of organisation:

SME Training School No Profit University NGO University Public Authority

Other (Specify)

Fields of action :

SMEs Equal opportunities x Youth x Schools x Universities Unemployed x Public Authorities x

Other (Specify)

Description of the organisation

REDU has been active informally since 2001 promoting a culture of human rights through local and national training courses, seminars, creation of educational and pedagogical materials and tools.

REDU board members were very active in coordinating the participative translation procedure of Compass manual of the Council of Europe from English to Italian (1st version), its promotion and dissemination in Italy.

Staff members were also involved in the testing phase of Compasito manual, offering an important contribution for its revision and edition to the Youth department of the Council of Europe.

Since 2007, REDU is a national network officially registered. The legal seat has been moved recently from Latina to Florence, because most of the staff members and volunteers are living and working in that area.

REDU mission is to foster a culture of peace and solidarity promoting human rights education activities.

REDU activities are mainly related to HR and HR education, democratic citizenship, antidiscrimination. In more than 10 years, REDU has implemented educational activities for teachers, trainers, youth workers and young people.

REDU has also translated Compass (I and II version) and Compasito into Italian, disseminating CoE tools at national level.

In the last 5 years, REDU has developed expertise in the evaluation field, running external evaluations of Erasmus+ KA2 and KA3 projects and FAMI initiatives.

Experience of the organization in previous European projects

Among the main activities, we can mention the following:

- Translation and publication of Compass (1st edition)
 - Translation of Compasito in cooperation with Arciragazzi and Arci Servizio Civile and its publication:
 - Translation and publication of Compass (2nd edition)
 - In November 2015, REDU has organised in cooperation with LIBERA, FONDAZIONE KENNEDY and UNICOOP TIRRENO a national training course on human rights and human rights education, with a special focus on personal development as one of the main factors for change.
 - In 2015-2016 REDU conducted workshops in Secondary Schools promoting NO HATE SPEECH attitudes and communication.
 - From March to August 2016, REDU participated in Young Lab project, (Erasmus+ KA3) promoting structured dialogue for a better society;
 - Participated in the project Human Rights start at breakfast (Erasmus+ KA2): promoting human rights education tools for a peaceful world;
 - In 2017 started a cooperation within ICARO project (Erasmus+ KA2) to face violence at school;
 - In 2017, supported Follonica Municipality while implementing the Erasmus+ KA2 Growing Together!
 - In 2017 activated some counselling activities in secondary schools as in ISIS Fossombroni.
 - In 2017 promoted CO2 project to foster collaborative systems at local and national level and started to work on TEVIP project about European values and their translation in practice and on the STAR project against invisible racism.
 - Since 2018, REDU is a regional coordination point of the EU Campaign on NO HATE SPEECH.
 - In 2019, implemented the "Quadratura del cerchio" project, with the support of Florence Municipality
 - In the last 5 years, we have evaluated the following projects
- Stop Bullying! Project, promoted by Amnesty International in the frame of the Erasmus+ KA2 programme;
EMME, promoted by Co&So, in the frame of FAMI programme;
RAPP, promoted by Marche Region, in the frame of Erasmus+ KA2 programme;
EDUCLAB and INCLUVET, promoted by Co&So, in the frame of Erasmus+ KA2 programme.

Experience and Expertise of the organization in the project's subject area

REDU has experiences and expertise in the education and training field, especially in relation to Human Rights education and Youth Participation.

Silvia Volpi, has been General Project Manager of the BpE: becoming a part of Europe project (Erasmus+ KA3 2016-2019), promoted by the Italian National Agency on youth, dealing with youth work and inclusion of young migrants, refugees and asylum seekers www.bpe-project.eu

Stefania Zamparelli, has supported Follonica Municipality in the implementation of Growing Together project (Erasmus+ KA2), related to the inclusion of young migrants in 2017-2018.

Contributions that can be provided to the project

As REDU we may contribute:

- Bringing our experiences and expertise in the education and training field
- Sharing our tools
- Supporting the evaluation activities
- Sharing our experiences, working with migrants and refugees and running with them educational activities

Reasons of involvement in the project

We decided to join the project, because it was in line with REDU strategies and mission and because we may be able to bring a contribution to implementation of the project

Contact Person's Experience and Expertise

Silvia Volpi: Master in Life Coaching. Degree in Linguistic and Philology. Since 1992, she's trainer in non-formal learning field with particular attention to youth participation, youth policies and human rights education. Since 2000, she is member of Council of Europe pool of trainers. She has been trainer in several training courses for trainers on HRE. She is actually one of the REDU active members, promoting initiatives at local and international level. She is evaluator for the INAPP Erasmus+ Italian National Agency.

She has experiences in evaluation and reporting: see "Interreligious and intercultural dialogue report for CoE; CORE Report for Accademia europea di Firenze. She speaks Italian, English, French and Spanish.

She was actually project co-ordinator of the "Becoming a part of Europe project", promoted by the Erasmus+ Italian National Agency.

Stefania Zamparelli: Psychologist and counsellor. Since 2002, she's trainer on human rights education and youth participation. She cooperates with Youth Italian National Agency as trainer.

She has experiences as coach and counsellor with young people since 2003. She has also a large experience in the evaluation frame: She conducted for instance the evaluation of the CORE project (Accademia europea di Firenze) and she contributed to the "L'altro/a tra noi" publication funded by Intercultura. She was contributing to the translation of Compass and Compasito into Italian. She speaks Italian, French and English.