

PARTNER INFO



IDENTITY

NAME	DeM Experiential Training Center Association
PIC NUMBER	945396436
TYPE OF ORG.	Civil Society Organisation
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BACKGROUND AND EXPERIENCE

Please briefly present the partner organisation.

DeM Experiential Training Center Association has been founded in 2009 and carrying on activities in Istanbul as a non-profit NGO. The mission of DeM is carrying on experiential learning-based non formal education activities and increasing the recognition and development of Non-Formal Education in local, national and international level and thereby to contribute the empowerment of educational and social development, human rights and democracy.

DeM has four focus fields:

1. Youth Works
2. Research & Development in Pedagogy, Adult Education and Vocational Education
3. Advocacy in Education
4. Networking & Global Cooperation

DeM is a founding member of DeM International (International Experiential Training Centers Union) which was established in 2012 with the initiatives of 6 NGO's from 5 European Countries.

DeM has its own Student Associations named DeM-Marmara and DeM-Medipol in Istanbul. All youth works activities of DeM is executed by these affiliated student associations.

DeM has its own Poll of Trainers consists of 40 trainers working in the field of youth works, formal education, vocational education and adult education.

Also DeM is a member of The United Nations Global Compact Network and a member of Anna Lindh Network.

DeM's main target groups are institutions, organizations and professionals. DeM is bringing its know-how and experience in the field of "experiential learning", developing tailor-made educational models and integrating into project partnerships that are serving for any target group.



What are the activities and experience of the organisation in the areas relevant for this application?

DeM has four main units:

1. DeMGÂH Training & Resource Center
2. DeM-YOUTH Youth Works Center
3. DeM-INTERNATIONAL Coordination Center
4. DeM-NET Networking Center

DeMGÂH TRAINING & RESOURCE CENTER

Main responsibility of this unit is to execute the research and development works on formal, non-formal and vocational education. DeM is collaborating with universities, NGO's in the field of education and educational institutions within R&D activities. DeM has its own Pool of Trainers consists of 40 experienced educators. DeM is also cooperation with Experiential Learning Institute in USA and with David A. KOLB who is the founder of experiential learning theory.

DeM-YOUTH YOUTH WORKS CENTER

Main responsibility of this unit is to coordinate youth works within youth network of DeM Turkey. DeM has two student associations in Marmara University and Medipol University in Istanbul. DeM-Marmara & DeM-Medipol are affiliated entities of DeM-Turkey and all youth works are being executed by these student associations. DeM-YOUTH has around 300 young and active members.

DeM-INTERNATIONAL COORDINATION CENTER

Main responsibility of this unit is to coordinate DeM-International Experiential Training Centers Union. DeM-International was founded in 2012 with the initiatives of 6 NGO's from 5 European Countries. DeM-Turkey is holding the presidency of the union. This unit is carrying on administrative works and facilitating the international cooperation among the members.

DeM-NET NETWORKING CENTER

Main responsibility of this unit is to coordinate the collaboration of DeM within its national and international networks. DeM is member of United Nations Global Compact Network and Ana Lindh Foundation Network. Also DeM is cooperating with many organizations from Europe, Caucasus, Euro-Med, America and Asia.

Please give information on the key staff/persons involved in this application and on the competences and previous experience that they will bring to the project.

TRAINER/RESEARCHER: M. Volkan MUDERRISOGLU, trainer, non formal educator, civil society worker. He started to work in civil society field in 2000 when he was a student in Kocaeli University, in student clubs of the university. He has been working as a youth trainer in Turkish National Agency since 2003 and as external project assessor since 2009. He has worked with Turkish Democracy Foundation as a trainer between 2007-2013 in different long term projects on active participation of young people and delivered trainings all around the country, in 81 cities of Turkey. He has 15 years' experience in international and national projects in the field of civil society. He has worked as coordinator and consultant in different projects of different actors in civil society as national agencies, development agencies, foundations, federations and universities which are related with experiential learning and non-formal education.

TRAINER/RESEARCHER: Mustafa ERDOGAN; non-formal education specialist, trainer, youth worker, founder of Experiential Training Center in Turkey and has more than 10 years' experience in the field of civil society. Mr. Erdogan started his youth works when he was in high school in Tokat, established the first Youth Parliament of the town. Continued youth works during the university study with the student association named Young Comparatists. Mr. Erdogan who has been working as trainer and program designer in numerous training projects in Turkey, Europe and MENA regions, has expertise on inter-cultural dialogue, conflict management and NGO Management. He has been working as a trainer in pool of Turkish National Agency since 2006. His works focused on Experiential Learning Methodology and Pedagogy of the Oppressed. He has a bachelor degree on Comparative Literature and currently doing a Master Degree on NGO Management and Social Projects.

TRAINER/RESEARCHER: Tugba ATA, psychologist, civil society worker, member of the board of directors of education and research. Ms. ATA participated in many social responsibility projects during her high school years. During her university years, she worked as a project supervisor and expressionist art lecturer. She is currently a lecturer in behavioral sciences. Ms. ATA is also a graduate student in clinical psychology.

COMMUNICATION RESPONSIBLE: Buse YAVUZ, corporate communication responsible, civil society worker, volunteer and, bachelor student in sociology. Ms. YAVUZ has been active in the social field and youth field since her high school years. She competence for social studies research methodology, project management and administrative reporting. Together with the university, she started to take place in the Experiential Training Center and accordingly, took place in more than 20 Erasmus+ projects as group leader, facilitator, logistic responsible and coordinator.

PREVIOUS PROJECTS

PROGRAM OR INITIATIVE	REFERENCE NUMBER	BENEFICIARY ORGANIZATION	TITLE OF THE PROJECT
ERASMUS+ Strategic Partnerships	2018-1-UK01-KA201-048077	HEC Global Learning Centre	@The Heart of Communities
ERASMUS+ CAPACITY BUILDING IN THE FIELD OF YOUTH	590082-EPP-1-2017-1-PL-EPPKA2-CBY-ACPALA	FUNDACJA EUROPEJSKI INSTYTUT OUTSOURCINGU	BRIDGE BETWEEN EUROPE AND ASIA CALLED SYNERGY
IPA – CIVIL SOCIETY DIALOGUE PROGRAM IV – EDUCATION GRANT SCHEME	TR2010/0135.01-09/45	DeM EXPERIENTIAL TRAINING CENTER ASSOCIATION	EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING DEVELOPMENT PROJECT
ERASMUS+	2014-3-ES02-KA105-005397	ASOCIACIÓN INICIATIVA INTERNACIONAL JOVEN	METHODOLOGIES ON YOUTH SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP
LEONARDO DA VINCI	2013-1-IT1-LEO05-03988	ISTITUTO COMPRENSIVO (I.C.) ENNIO QUIRINO VISCONTI	SCIENCE AT THEATRE
YOUTH IN ACTION	LT-21-27-2013-R2	VILNIUS PAL. J. MATULAICIO SPC "BICIULIAI"	VOLUNTEERS WITHOUT BORDERS
YOUTH IN ACTION	TR-21-116-2013-R2	DeM EXPERIENTIAL TRAINING CENTER ASSOCIATION	EVS, A MILESTONE FOR DISADVANTAGED YOUTH.
YOUTH IN ACTION	DE-21-157-2012-R2	STEINBEIS INNOVATION GGMBH	STEINBEIS EVS 12.05
YOUTH IN ACTION	DE-21-212-2012-R2	JUGENDBILDUNGSZENTRUM BLOSSIN E.V.	EDUCATION THROUGH SPORT AND OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES
YOUTH IN ACTION	IT-21-147-2012-R2	STUDIO PROGETTO SOCIETÀ COOPERATIVA SOCIALE	READY, STEADY... VOLUNTEERING!
YOUTH IN ACTION	SE-21-59-2012-R2	KUMULUS	MÖJLIGHETERNAS HUS

YOUTH IN ACTION	TR-21-95-2012-R2	DeM EXPERIENTIAL TRAINING CENTER ASSOCIATION	ART FOR ALL
YOUTH IN ACTION	TR-21-152-2011-R3	DeM EXPERIENTIAL TRAINING CENTER ASSOCIATION	TOUCHING THE FUTURE
YOUTH IN ACTION	TR-21-176-2011-R4	DeM EXPERIENTIAL TRAINING CENTER ASSOCIATION	CONNECTING THE POINTS
YOUTH IN ACTION	PL-21-189-2010-R4	STOWARZYSZENIE NA RZECZ DZIECI I MŁODZIEZY "USKRZYDLAMY"	COME TOGETHER, RIGHT NOW, EVS!
YOUTH IN ACTION	BG-21-61-2010-R5	YOUTH HOUSE - SLIVEN	THE YOUTH OF SLIVEN TODAY, FUTURE OF EUROPE TOMORROW

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