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YOUTH”

MALTA



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1 Structures and actors that play a role in gaining a better understanding and knowledge of young people

1.1 Specific youth departments in universities dealing with youth issues

Department of Youth Studies , Faculty of Education, University of Malta, Dr. M Clark

1.2 Statistic offices that collect statistics on youth

National Statistics Office www.nso.magnet.mt

1.3 Major public and semi-public bodies dealing with youth research, public companies included

University of Malta. National Statistics Office. MISCO. Sedqa

1.4 NGOs dealing with youth issues

Zghazagh Azzjoni Kattolika

1.5 Youth researchers or experts

- Miram Teuma Department of Youth and Community Studies University of Malta
Youth work
- Marilyn Clark Department of Youth and Community Studies University of Malta
Criminality and addiction
- Albert Bell Department of Youth and Community Studies University of Malta Youth
Culture
- Andrew Azzopardi Department of Youth and Community Studies University of Malta
Disability and Young People

1.6 Private companies dealing with youth research

NA

1.7 Other actors (if any)

NA

2 Legal basis or guidelines for activities leading to a better knowledge and understanding of youth

NA

3 Funding for research on youth

3.1 International funding for carrying out activities aimed at youth research

Programmes funding research but no specific funding on youth research (see

www.eurodesk.org >

Search for funding > Theme search > Research)

3.2 EU funding for carrying out activities aimed at acquiring a better knowledge and understanding of youth

- 7th European Framework Programme for Research & Technology Development (2007-2013) as major tool to support the creation of the European Research Area, including civil society, social sciences & youth research; open to researchers of all ages & levels of experience regardless of nationality

3.3 Public and private national funding for carrying out activities aimed at acquiring a better knowledge and understanding of youth

Not applicable

3.4 Actor(s)/structure(s) mainly receiving funding

No data available

4 Paper publications on the youth field

4.1 Statistics of books published on the youth field for the current year

None

4.2 Regular youth reports

Euro Barometer

4.3 Journals and reviews on youth research

None

5 IT dissemination of knowledge in the youth field

5.1 Web-Portals and online databases on a better understanding of youth

None

5.2 Statistics, reports, journals, reviews or other publications available on the internet

None

6. Methods and approaches for gaining a better understanding and knowledge of youth and for keeping it up to date

None

7. Quality assurance strategies and tools regarding knowledge in the field of youth used in the country

None

8. Promotion and support to youth researchers and other actors, who work towards a better knowledge of youth, and their generational renewal

N/A

9. Networking and support of networking

9.1 Seminars and working groups for a better knowledge and understanding of youth

A working group which meets once a month. The following are the participating entities

- EUPA - European Union Programmes Agency
- KNZ – Youth National Council
- University of Malta
- Other Youth centres on the island

9.2 Is there a permanent national network for a greater knowledge and understanding of youth linking all actors in the field

There is no such network.

9.3 Networks on youth issues specific to certain actors

Not applicable

9.4 What transnational networks with relevance for national networks are there (if any)?

Not applicable

9.5 Describe the organisation and the ways of promoting interdisciplinary dialogue on youth issues

- Maltese Association of Youth Workers
- International Conference on Youth Structures Dec 07