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Seminar on “the quality framework of learning mobility projects in the youth field”

15-18th May 2018 – Lille (France)

After a seminar on “Mobility Spaces, Learning Spaces” in 2013 in Berlin and a conference “Learning mobility in the youth field: towards opportunities for all” in 2015 in Istanbul, the third event of the European Platform on Learning Mobility in the youth field (EPLM) will take place in May 2018 in France and will focus on the quality framework of learning mobility in the youth field.

The French national Agency is pleased to host this conference and to invite actors from the youth sector, working on formal or non-formal education, to join this seminar in order to develop tools that can help practitioners to foster and measure quality in European youth mobility projects.

Learning mobility is increasing and the issue of the quality of projects has become a pressing concern. Practitioners in European youth mobility projects as well as researchers wish to be equipped in terms of quality framework to better match the needs of young participants and organisations. The conference aims to create an input on the development of quality tools with a focus on the themes of citizenship, inclusion and participation.

The purpose of the seminar is moreover to identify areas for improvement of two complementary draft tools: a theoretical handbook on the quality of youth mobility projects (presentation of quality principles, examples of good practices) and a practical application for smartphones targeting youth workers for self-assessment of quality in mobility projects. These tools should be based the 22 indicators (focused on project monitoring and researcher-oriented approach) that were endorsed by the Steering Group of the EPLM. Once developed, these tools will be tested and made available to stakeholders during 2019.

We expect 60 participants at this event: practitioners, researchers and decision makers from the Member States of the European Union and of the Council of Europe. Technicians and app developers will also attend.

In short, if you wish to contribute to the improvement of quality in youth mobility projects, this seminar is for you!


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Director of the French Erasmus+ National Agency

The European platform for learning mobility: what is it about?

Youth learning mobility is an important stake in European policies, in order to increase participation, active citizenship, intercultural learning and dialogue, individual competency development and employability of young people. The positive impact of mobility on young people is widely recognized by stakeholders but still needs to be analyzed and promoted.

The European Platform on Learning Mobility (EPLM) is an open network coordinated by the youth partnership between the European Commission and the Council of Europe, in partnership with several Erasmus+ National agencies. It aims to improve knowledge, visibility and recognition of learning mobility in the youth field through exchange and cooperation of stakeholders (researchers, policy makers and practitioners) ; it creates and maintains a collective, multi-professional voice from the youth field on the common concern of learning mobility, bringing together actors in the field of learning mobility, and publishes materials for the support of all actors involved.

Venue: Hotel Mercure-Lille

Program: upcoming

Inscription: <http://pjp-eu.coe.int/en/web/youth-partnership/Application-form-2>

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