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It is time for the third Newsletter of the RefugeesIN project! In this publication we discuss what has been achieved so far and our plans in the near future!

As you know RefugeesIN aims to encourage intercultural dialogue, combat discrimination against refugees, and promote social inclusion. In an overarching way, the project meets the challenges identified at Europe 2020 initiatives as well as the European Agenda for Adult Learning, where the need for a more cohesive and inclusive EU is stressed.

## COURSE

The RefugeesIN Course provides an innovative learning opportunity to empower, extend and develop adult educators' competencies, for assisting their role in meeting the needs of refugees /asylum seekers. Adult educators, civil society staff, social inclusion experts and refugees have the opportunity to live an exciting learning experience, framed by a creative process, enabling them to learn by doing, a new methodology mediated by cinema and create own specific didactical resources. With the guidance of experienced filmmakers, they can have the unique opportunity to research, write, produce and direct their own documentary short-film in close collaboration with refugees and asylum seekers.

The Course contains a Curriculum, a Manual for learners and Session plans for facilitators. The Course is comprised of 6 Modules, which include the background of the project and a theoretical background on refugee crisis and social inclusion. Also covered is the methodology on story writing and interviewing, tools on analyzing films, basic aspects of documentary film making and finally all steps of post-production techniques.

## PILOT ACTIONS

The Course was implemented in each partner's country, through Pilot Actions, which have all been successfully implemented! Participants discussed critical issues on refugees' integration and discovered, through film screenings and storytelling, the power of cinematography and its use as a tool of social inclusion. They have learned the basic steps of film-making and they shot their own documentaries on amazing real-life stories of refugees. The participants were excited about producing the documentaries and the opportunities that open up for the future.



## DOCUMENTARIES IN THE FILM CATALOGUE

The documentaries produced under the Pilot Actions will be included in the Film Catalogue. The 12 documentaries are: One Last Hug (SL); Marijana (SL); Daud (PT), Amanhã é Melhor (PT), On Air (GR); Nasruddin (GR); Migration (IE); The Journey (IE), ANAS (DE); SIPAN (DE); La Mia Storia (IT); Bicornato di Calcio (IT). They presenting the inspiring life stories of refugees, their experience, their journey and their steps towards social inclusion. Documentaries will be available at **Documentaries**.



## GUIDE

Finally, it is nearly time for the Guide! RefugeesIN Guide, which is in the format of an eBook, introduces the RefugeesIN rational approach and illustrates how to use flexibly the assets in the RefugeesIN Pack (Brochure, Film Catalogue and Course). It is addressed to audience involved both in adult learning (educators & providers) and civil society (staff and organizations) fields and provides a guidance to facilitators for the implementation of the Course and suggestions of learning activities and events to raise public awareness by using the assets of the Pack.

The Guide will later be available at **Guide**.



## WE INVITE YOU TO PARTICIPATE!

We as a partnership are looking forward to getting into contact with you!

Participate in the *Conferences & Film Festivals* to be carried out in each of the partner countries in October/November 2018.

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