



the true volunteers network

we assist risk groups to get their 'ICT right'
to a better life and employability



Lifelong
Learning
Programme



This project has been funded with support from the European Commission (Lifelong Learning Programme of the European Union). This publication reflects the views only of the author, and the Commission cannot be held responsible for any use which may be made of the information contained therein.

thisisit4u.eu

meet the partners



HELLENIC
AMERICAN
UNION



Ente per la formazione, la riqualificazione professionale
e la ricerca costituito dalla CGIL
Berufs-, Weiterbildungs- und Forschungsinstitut
gegründet von der CGIL



Project ID


Duration	01.01.2012 – 31.12.2014
Programme	Lifelong Learning Programme
Sub-programme	Development of Innovative ICT-Based Content, Services, Pedagogies and Practices
Action	KA3 Multilateral Networks
Total Budget	579.022,00 €
EU grant (~75%)	434.144,00 €

Are you afraid that technology is passing you – or people you know – by? Do you, or people you know, feel excluded from everyday activities just because they require digital skills that not all of us possess?

CONNECT WITH US

our volunteers network assists risk groups to get their 'ICT right' to a better life and employability

- » You will discover existing ICT learning resources and tools
- » You can find local ICT training providers and programmes
- » You will gain new skills, upgrade existing ones, and become more confident and productive
- » And, you will increase your employability opportunities



join now
the "This is IT" network
as a volunteer
and help others
to move forward!

 it concerns us all 



Because digital and web literacy have rapidly become fundamental for individuals in a knowledge-based society and as essential as knowing how to read and write. However, not everyone has the necessary survival tools in the digital era, especially people in risk groups.

Do you know?

In some EU countries over 50% of the population has still never used the internet

this is IT at a glance

- ① Volunteers facilitating risk groups to access and use the available ICT material and further supporting them to update and improve their acquired ICT skills
- ② Creating a transnational multistakeholder network targeting:
 - Training institutions (public, private), trainers and their associations
 - Volunteer organisations and associations
 - Volunteers
 - Associations and partners representing risk groups and the digitally excluded part of European society of all ages, including disadvantaged groups (women, immigrants, disabled people)
 - Policy makers (European, national, regional, local authorities and their associations)
 - Universities and research centres

First Step Data Mining

- ① Collecting data for
 - Stakeholders related to ICT training of risk groups
 - Volunteers willing to register on the network
 - Existing good practices, initiatives, programmes, projects in ICT training of risk groups using volunteers
 - Existing ICT learning tools
- ② Creating of eDatabases with results of data mining

Second Step Network online platform

- ① Creating a News section
- ② Facilitating access to the established and regularly updated e-databases
- ③ Encouraging Learners to post their interest
- ④ Encouraging Volunteers to offer
 - Help
 - ICT courses
 - Webinars
 - Other volunteer programs
- ⑤ Creating a Volunteer registration section
- ⑥ Creating a Showcase section for best practices in LLP for ICT training
- ⑦ Building a live dialogue section
- ⑧ Creating an Intranet
- ⑨ Uploading this multilingual project presentation

Third Step Network Building

- 1 Defining a standard procedure for communication
- 2 Creating a priority list of stakeholders to be approached
- 3 Communicating directly with potential members asking them to join the network
- 4 Issuing an open call to the European-based ICT community, volunteers and volunteer organisations
- 5 Interviewing stakeholders and users and publishing the interviews on the web portal

Fourth Step Development of a toolkit

- 1 Defining the basic knowledge and skills
- 2 Issuing an open call targeted at ICT learning providers/contributors to present and submit some of their basic, simple learning material
- 3 Collecting, reviewing, and incorporating the existing material
- 4 Adapting the toolkit to partner needs and languages
- 5 Developing a trainer handbook for volunteers
- 6 Collecting feedback for the toolkit from volunteers

CONNECT WITH US

BE A VOLUNTEER

AND HELP OTHERS TO MOVE FORWARD!

We care volunteers



we are many



join now
the "This is IT" network
as a volunteer
and help others
to move forward!