



DIMENSAAI

Diversity and MENToring approaches to Support Active Ageing and Integration



Workshop:

“SUPPORTING DIVERSITY, INCLUSIVE EDUCATION, AND (RE-) INTEGRATION INTO WORK OF OLDER PEOPLE AND THOSE WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS”



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Ilci Residence Hotel, Ankara, Turkey

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This workshop is organized by the **DIMENSAAI** (<http://www.dimensaai.eu>) and **MOTION** (<http://www.ldvmotion.com>) project teams.

DIMENSAAI (Diversity and Mentoring Approaches Supporting Active Ageing and Integration - www.dimensaai.eu) is a European ‘Transfer of Innovation’ project to improve participation in education and employment, particularly by disadvantaged groups, with the use of a socially innovative Diversity and Mentoring training model, focusing on social networking and inclusive workplaces in the healthcare sector.

MOTION (The Promotion of a Good Transition of Disabled Young Persons from School to the World of Work and Adult Life) is a ‘Leonardo da Vinci Partnership’ project to contribute to the planning of school activities designed to increase the vocational skills and abilities of students with additional needs, to support their entry into the world of work.

Participants in the workshop will learn about these projects and will have the opportunity to discuss them with the target groups viz., older people and people with additional needs, and with project partners. In addition, experts from the fields of consulting, education and research, policy makers and managers, will discuss sustainable solutions for improving education and employment opportunities for people with additional needs, and the skills-shortage in the healthcare sector.

Programme

9:30-9:45	Welcome Stephan von Bandemer (IAT/BPC, Germany)
9:45-10:00	DIMENSAAI Project Ileana Hamburg (IAT, Germany)
10:00-10:15	MOTION Project Sulbiye Cebeci (Mamak RAM, Turkey)
10:15-10:45	Employment and DIVERSITY in the Healthcare Sector Hans Werner Roessing (APD, Germany)
10:45-11:15	Healthcare strategies in Malta Janet Mifsud (University of Malta / Caritas Malta Epilepsy Association)
11:15-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:00	Transition from school to employment for persons with disabilities: challenges and barriers Sabrina Ferraina (EASPD, Belgium)
12:00-12.30	Transition to employment in Turkey Sinan GERGIN (Ministry of Family and Social Policy, Turkey)
12:30-13:30	Questions and Answers Moderator: Alexandra David (IAT, Germany)
13:30-14:30	Lunch
14:30-16:00	Discussion Groups
	Group 1: Diversity and Mentoring of people with additional needs Inputs: Grudrun Stubenrauch (Lebenshilfe GuV, Austria) John Keogh (ITT Dublin, Ireland) John O'Neill (ITT Dublin, Ireland) Moderator: Matthew Attard (Caritas Malta Epilepsy Association)
	Group 2: Diversity and Mentoring of older people Inputs: Ligia Rusu (University Craiova, Romania) Lars Helbsing (Stadtmission Kiel, Germany) Margaret Fingleton (ITT Dublin, Ireland) Moderator: Feysa Esimn (Mamak RAM, Turkey)
16:00-16:15	Coffee break
16:15-17:30	Plenary: Discussion Group Reports Conclusions Moderator: Stephan von Bandemer (IAT/BPC, Germany)
17:30	End of the Workshop