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Project Update

The innovative [online platform](#), developed by InEuropa srl in cooperation with partners, has been tested in all partner countries with young dropouts. The feedback from the piloting allowed partners to finalise the online self-capacitating and networking platform.

The main purpose of this online platform, which is available in all partners' languages, is to bridge the gap between the labour market and disadvantaged youth, by tackling their skills mismatches.

Moreover, the ebook of the Drop In project will be available on early July through IARS Publications. The ebook will present the main outcomes of the project in all participating countries, through the research results, workshops and events that took place in the context of the Drop In project. Project partners developed the full chapters of the ebook in their respective national languages (English, Greek, Italian and Romanian), while the executive summaries are available in English.



Invitation to our Closing Conference

The Drop In International Closing Conference will take place in London (UK) on Tuesday July 16th, 2019 during the 7th IARS International Conference. This high profile CPD accredited event aims to push the barriers of national and European policy making and practice through the presentation of evidence-based solutions, and by allowing the voices that are rarely heard to lead debates that matter. The first day of the conference is dedicated to the results of the Drop In project and will focus on developing tools that allow the re-introduction of early school leavers and dropouts into informal learning based on an innovative, tailor-made capacity-building model. **There will be 200 euros available for bursaries to attend an international Conference.** You can find more information here:

<https://www.iars.org.uk/content/7IARSconference>

London Transnational Partners' Meeting

IARS will organise and host in its headquarters the 4th and final Transnational Partners Meeting on the 15th of July 2019. During the meeting partners will have the opportunity to reflect on project's outcomes and results, discuss about the collaboration they had these two years and how to build upon the project's legacy in the near future.

The Project Legacy

The tangible legacy of the project is the Drop In self-capacitating and networking platform, available in 4 languages. The platform gives the opportunity to those young people who are interested, to develop some basic skills through the digital courses, in order to increase their potential for social inclusion and self-sustainability. The platform will be available even after the end of the project. In parallel, the Drop In project achieved to raise awareness about the young dropouts and early school leavers in all partners' countries through the research, training and dissemination activities. The main scope was to give to those young people more opportunities and the Drop In project worked on that.

The Project is funded by the European Commission and runs for 24 months (September 2017 – August 2019).

Project Partnerships



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