

Adult Misinformation

Social Media Literacy, Critical and Analytical Thinking as means to combat Fake News and Social Media Misinformation.



About

The technological jump has provided technological access to the masses and has given birth to tremendous achievements for mankind. Nevertheless, it also has created a huge gap in relevant education, meaning that people have gained the means to obtain information without having any education on how to filter it and how to distinguish a media source between professional and amateur, provable news or rumor engine or even more spread due to malicious intents.

Precisely, the purpose of the project is an international synergy between 4 European organisations TO TRAIN ADULT WORKERS TO EDUCATE ADULTS IN SOCIAL MEDIA LITERACY AND CRITICAL AND ANALYTICAL THINKING AS MEANS TO COMBAT FAKE NEWS AND SOCIAL MEDIA MISINFORMATION. Having as target groups adult educators, trainers, educators, researchers, experts involved in social media literacy and social media misinformation, and adults as final beneficiaries, we propose the following objectives:

- ✓ **1** To design innovative training contents and methodologies that promote social media literacy,
- ✓ **2** To increase the professional development (critical and analytical thinking) of Adult Educators of each partner and of other relevant stakeholders working on training centers and public institutions, who will then transmit them to the adults they work with,
- ✓ **3** To design an Education Resource for Social Media Literacy to guide trainers in their teaching (on-line toolkit).

The project

The project tackles the terms "Internet Misinformation", "Fake News", "Critical and Analytic Thinking" and "Social Media Literacy", aiming to bring to the surface the negative effects of Internet Misinformation and Fake News, and the benefits of introducing learners to Critical and Analytical Thinking and Social Media Literacy.

In order to reach the aforementioned goal, this project takes a number of carefully planned steps to introduce Critical and Analytical Thinking and Social Media Literacy to educators working in the field of adults.



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project has 4 linked IOs & 2 approved LTTAs. The First LTTA will be used as a pilot to test the prepared curriculum course on Adult educators and receive feedback.

It will include 3 trainers for each organization. The Second LTTA will be used as a pilot to test the example lectures on Adults and receive feedback.

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