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**Applicable to the Strand 2 – Measure 2.2 "Networks of Towns"**



## **6 events have been carried out within this project:**

### **Event 1**

**Participation:** The event involved 53 citizens, including 37 participants from the city of Cefalu (**Italy**), 1 participant from the city of Taurisano (**Italy**), 1 participant from the city of Ribamontan al Mar (**Spain**), 1 participant from the city of Tirana, (**Albania**), 1 participant from the city of Munchen (**Germany**), 1 participant from the city of Bouillante (**France**), 1 participant from the city of Pegeia (**Cyprus**), 1 participant from the city of Gondomar (**Portugal**), 1 participant from the city of Kerkyra (**Greece**), 1 participant from the city of Cajetina (**Serbia**), 1 participant from the city of Burgos (**Spain**), 2 participants from the city of Banska Stiavnica (**Slovakia**), 2 participants from the city of Znin (**Poland**), 1 participant from the city of Skopje (**FYROM**), 1 participant from the city of Piatra Neamt (**Romania**).

**Location / Dates:** The event took place in **Cefalu, Italy**, from 13/05/2019 to 16/05/2019

**Short description:** The aim of the event was to present the partner organizations, introduce the ECHOES project (its main objective, activity plan, partners tasks, the communication and dissemination campaign, etc.), and the funding programme. On the 14th, was held a seminar on “2018 EYCH and its initiatives - sustainability, engagement, protection and innovation: which IMPACT on local communities?”

### **Event 2**

**Participation:** The event involved 65 citizens, including 45 participants from Guadeloupe (**France**), 3 participants from the city of Lecce (**Italy**), 1 participant from the city of Taurisano (**Italy**), 1 participant from the city of Ribamontan al Mar (**Spain**), 1 participant from the city of Tirana (**Albania**), 1 participant from the city of Pegeia (**Cyprus**), 1 participant from the city of Carnikava (**Latvia**), 1 participant from the city of Kistarcsa (**Hungary**), 1 participant from the city of Rabat (**Malta**), 1 participant from the city of Gondomar (**Portugal**), 2 participants from the city of Cajetina (**Serbia**), 1 participant from the city of Burgos (**Spain**), 2 participants from the city of Banska Stiavnica (**Slovakia**), 2 participants from the city of Znin (**Poland**), 1 participant from the city of Skopje (**FYROM**), 1 participant from the city of Piatra Neamt (**Romania**).

**Location / Dates:** The event took place in Ville Pointe-à-Pitre (**Guadalupe, France**), from 04/11/2019 to 07/11/2019

**Short description:** The aim of the event was to present the local community activities and discuss about the specific role of CSOs in the valorization of Cultural Heritage as a tool for social inclusion and citizens' engagement.

### **Event 3**

**Participation:** The event involved 46 citizens, including 3 participants from the city of Ribamontan al Mar (**Spain**), 3 participants from the city of Lecce (**Italy**), 3 participants from the city of Taurisano (**Italy**), 2 participants from the city of Tirana (**Albania**), 3 participants from the city of Munchen (**Germany**), 1 participant from the city of Bouillante (**France**), 3 participants from the city of Pegeia (**Cyprus**), 1 participant from the city of Carnikava (**Latvia**), 3 participants from the city of Kistarcsa (**Hungary**), 4 participants from the city of Rabat (**Malta**), 2 participants from the city of Gondomar (**Portugal**), 3 participants from the city of Kerkyra (**Greece**), 3 participants from the city of Cajetina (**Serbia**), 3 participants from the city of Burgos (**Spain**), 1 participant from the city of Banska Stiavnica (**Slovakia**), 1 participant from the city of Znin (**Poland**), 4 participants from the city of Skopje (**FYROM**), 3 participants from the city of Piatra Neamt

**Location / Dates:** The event took place ONLINE and it was organized by Ayuntamiento de Ribamontan al Mar (**Spain**) on 04/06/2021

**Short description:** The aim of the event was to raise awareness for sport as a tool for social inclusion and to take a better look to the natural heritage of the surf reserves. It was a good opportunity to share initiatives for the involvement of disadvantaged citizens in the valorization and promotion of EU Cultural Heritage and to start the implementation of "European Cultural Heritage: tell your story!" E-book.

### **Event 4**

**Participation:** The event involved 40 citizens, including 28 participants from the city of Tirana (**Albania**), 3 participants from the city of Lecce (**Italy**), 2 participants from the city of Taurisano (**Italy**), 1 participant from the city of Kerkyra (**Greece**), 2 participants from the city of Cajetina (**Serbia**), 1 participant from the city of Burgos (**Spain**), 2 participants from the city of Znin (**Poland**), 1 participants from the city of Skopje (**FYROM**)

**Location / Dates:** The event took place in Tirana (**Albania**) in **HYBRID format**, from 05/09/2021 to 07/09/2021

**Short description:** The aim of the event was to present the results of the Community Activity “My Culture, My Europe, My Future - Tell Your Story” and to have an open discussion with experts on "European Cultural Heritage as a resource for the economic growth and social cohesion - how to revitalize rural and peripheral areas and promote sustainable tourism?". Moreover, during the event the EU policies and programmes such as LIFE, IPA, INTERREG were presented.

### **Event 5**

**Participation:** The event involved 65 citizens, including 45 participants from Munich (**Germany**), 2 participants from the city of Lecce (**Italy**), 5 participants from the city of Taurisano (**Italy**), 2 participants from the city of Tirana, (**Albania**), 1 participant from the city of Rabat (**Malta**), 3 participants from the city of Gondomar (**Portugal**), 1 participant from the city of Kerkyra (**Greece**), 2 participants from the city of Cajetina (**Serbia**), 3 participants from the city of Burgos (**Spain**), 1 participant from the city of Skopje (**FYROM**)

**Location / Dates:** The event took place in Munchen (**Germany**), from 08/11/2021 to 11/11/2021

**Short description:** The aim of the event was to present the Community Activities “Europe, Heritage, Start-Up” and to share participants in 3 teams to work on the 3 selected start-up ideas, together with the help of some experts. The final elaborated business plans were officially presented to the audience and discussed, together with the opportunities to receive financial support from the EU.

### **Event 6**

**Participation:** The event involved 70 citizens, including 49 participants from the city of Lecce (**Italy**) and the city of Taurisano (**Italy**), 1 participant from the city of Ribamontan al Mar (**Spain**), 1 participant from the city of Tirana (**Albania**), 5 participants from the city of Munchen (**Germany**), 1 participant from the city of Bouillante (**France**), 2 participants from the city of Kistarcsa (**Hunagry**), 1 participant from the city of Rabat (**Malta**), 1 participant from the city of Gondomar (**Portugal**), 1 participant from the city of Kerkyra (**Greece**), 2 participants from the city of Cajetina (**Serbia**), 1 participant from the city of Burgos (**Spain**), 2 participants from the city of Banska Stiavnica (**Slovakia**), 1 participant from the city of Znin (**Poland**), 2 participants from the city of Piatra Neamt (**Romania**).

**Location / Dates:** The event took place in Lecce (**Italy**) in **HYBRID format**, from 02/03/2022 to 05/03/2022

**Short description:** The aim of the event was to present the Final Recommendation, in the form of the E-Book “My Europe, My Culture, My Future - Tell Your Story” and the “Europe, Heritage, Start-Up” booklet. The event brought also into discuss the impact ECHOES had it at local/national/international level. During the meeting, partners have come with new proposals/ideas on possible follow-up.