

**IMPLEMENTATION PHASE
and MICROPROJECTS
in**

**THINK FUTURE
VOLUNTEER TOGETHER**

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AFTER RETURN PHASE

- One of the most important part of the project
- Experience from abroad as inspiration
- Take home what is applicable
- Keep for future what is not applicable now
- At least 4 following activities



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1. PROMOTION OF ELDERLY VOLUNTEERING

- Volunteers as “promoters of volunteering of elderly“
- Talking about foreign experience in organisations, in public, with friends and in the media,
- Promotions in institutions as Universities of The Third Age, Senior Clubs, Senior Centres, etc.



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2. CONTINUING VOLUNTARY ACTIVITIES

- Bringing some new inspiration or new elements
- E.g. new system of work or new elements in volunteer management
- E.g. new volunteer activities and new methods of promoting their activities



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3. INITIATING NEW ACTIVITIES

- New volunteer organisation or informal group of volunteers
- Contact and convince a local authority to cooperate in activities of elderly volunteers or to invest into elderly volunteering
- Create a prize or recognition of elderly volunteers
- Establishing new senior centres
- National conferences on elderly volunteering



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4. EUROPEAN NETWORK

- Establishing a European network of volunteer organisations and informal activities with elderly volunteers
 - new European projects and continual European exchange of information on elderly volunteering
 - promotion elderly volunteering on European level.



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ROLE OF PROJECT COUNTRY MANAGERS

- Support volunteers by tutoring and stimulating them into new activities
- Help volunteers to find new partners for developing their ideas
- Assist volunteers in establishing new organisations
- Directly cooperate during the first months
- Organise a national network of (new) volunteer organisations and connect this network to partners' network → create a European network



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CONCLUSION

- Partners are committed to stimulate the process, to monitor and influence the project results by active approach
- Deeper perspective of the project – exchanges have a positive impact on national as well as European level
- It make us analyse:
 - what is the basic and additional value of exchanges
 - what is the common base and differences among European countries.



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Thank you

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