





FROM 23/10/18 TO 02/12/18

CONCORDIA SUD-EST

POSEIDON: Protect and outline basin mediterranean and inclusion throught discover of sustainable actions.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Location: Tiznit - Maroc

Dates: 23 October to the 2 November 2018
Partner Country: France, Italie, Maroc, Espagne

Number of volunteers: 27

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POSEIDON is an innovative multi-stakeholder project between local authorities, local integration structures and associations from various countries with the aim of organizing a youth exchange (EDJ) in the Souss Massa Drâa region. This project aims to bring together a dozen of youngsters from Herault with five Moroccans, five Spaniards and five Italians around activities related to environmental care, outdoor sports, green tourism and socio-cultural activities in the rural area. The aim of this project is to consider the mobility of young people as an experience to strengthen their social inclusion and to encourage their immersion through the discovery of sustainable tourism activities (green tourism, sports and outdoor activities, heritage discover

GENERAL BACKGROUND:

In the Euro-Mediterranean region, some rural areas, especially those which are isolated and depopulate, are facing specific challenges particularly linked to employment, accessibility and growth. The young people from the rural areas have more difficulties to benefit from mobility opportunities and tools for employability or international mobility.

The department of Hérault has a specific network of actors in the field of youth called « Jeun'Hérault » gathering a wide range of institutional and associative partners. Concordia Sud-Est has been an active actor for many years within the network. Since 2013 the department of Hérault, through its various international partnerships especially with the Moroccan area of Souss-Massa-Drâa, have lead several youth projects on sustainable development -promotion of rural tourism, access to water, health and sport. Also since 2016 a permanent working group on youth, inclusion and mobility has been created within the « Jeun'Hérault » network and includes representatives from the « missions locales » (community aid for young people) which are interested to develop collective actions in order to foster mobility and employability for the young NEET.

In this context, Concordia Sud-Est together with their partners intends to set up a youth exchange tackling sustainable development, mobility, social inclusion and employability

OBJECTIVES OF THE PROJECT:

To foster active participation and international mobility of young people with less opportunities from rural areas

- To raise awareness on environmental issues and eco-citizenship
- To promote intercultural learning and exchange, active citizenship and social inclusion through sustainable development, nature and sport activities
- To identify training needs of young people in their career path
- To provide youth with new tools on environmental and sustainability careers and jobs (green tourism, sport and nature activities, natural and cultural heritage, socio-cultural and community work in rural areas)
- To enable young people to take ownership of new tools to enhance their skills through environmental and sustainable development
- To foster new synergies among different local and international organisations

ACTIVITIES:





Environmental activities: citizen actions of beach cleaning, day of sensibilisation to the preservation of the ecosystem ...

Nautical and sports activities

Storytelling, workshops, discussions and debates on employability in the areas of sustainable development and green tourism.

Visit to touristic places and meetings with local Moroccan communities.

Sociocultural activities: international nights, museum visits, and local exhibitions





PRATICAL ARRANGEMENTS:

The travel costs of each participant are covered by the Erasmus + program. Participants will be reimbursed for the price of their trip. All accommodation costs are covered.

Localisation : The project will take place in Tiznit, Morocco. Tiznit is 15km from the Atlantic Ocean and 80km from Agadir.

Accomodation : Accommodation will be in Tiznit. The Moroccan partner association put us in touch with one of their partner in Tiznit, where most activities will take place.





TRAVEL AND FINANCIAL CONDITIONS:

<u>Passport:</u> For nationals of the three European countries, the visa is not necessary in Morocco. On the other hand, the passport will be requested by the authorities.

Remember to request your passport as soon as possible if you don't have one!

Travel costs will be covered based on the unit costs of the program. Please note that participants will be reimbursed the real costs of their transport fees up to a certain limit as per information below.

Maximum amount for travel cost per country:

ITALY: 360€ SPAIN: 275€

Travel expenses are reimbursed from the place of departure to the project location (return trip).

Please do not buy travel tickets until the participation of applicants has been approved.

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