

BUILDING A GREENER AND MORE INCLUSIVE FUTURE FOR DEAF ENTREPRENEURS ACROSS EUROPE

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As Europe accelerates its transition towards a greener economy, ensuring that everyone has equal access to education and employment opportunities has become more important than ever. Yet, Deaf and Hard of Hearing learners continue to face significant barriers in accessing entrepreneurship education, particularly in emerging sectors linked to sustainability and the green transition.



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GreenEntre4Deaf, a European project co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme, is addressing this challenge by developing innovative and inclusive educational resources that empower Deaf learners to become the next generation of green entrepreneurs.

Bringing together universities, educational organisations and Deaf community representatives from across Europe, the project aims to create a learning ecosystem where accessibility, sustainability and innovation go hand in hand. Through a combination of digital learning tools, practical training and collaborative activities, GreenEntre4Deaf seeks to equip learners with the knowledge, confidence and entrepreneurial mindset needed to build sustainable businesses and actively contribute to Europe's green future.

Among its most innovative outcomes, the project is developing a comprehensive Green Entrepreneurship curriculum, immersive Virtual Reality learning simulations, a Green Entrepreneurship Sign Language Framework, and Green Entrepreneurial Living Hubs that foster collaboration between higher education institutions, businesses and the Deaf community. Together, these resources will offer an engaging and accessible learning experience tailored to the needs of Deaf and Hard of Hearing learners.

Over the past months, the partnership has made significant progress in laying the foundations for these innovative resources. Research activities, stakeholder engagement and collaborative design processes have helped shape the project's educational approach, ensuring that all outputs respond to the real needs of learners, educators and employers.

"GreenEntre4Deaf demonstrates that inclusion and sustainability are closely connected. By making green entrepreneurship education more accessible, we are creating new opportunities for Deaf learners to develop their talents, pursue entrepreneurial careers and contribute to a more inclusive and sustainable Europe," the partnership stated.

As the project moves forward, partners will continue developing and testing its educational resources across Europe, working closely with learners, educators and stakeholders to maximise their quality, relevance and long-term impact.

About GreenEntre4Deaf

GreenEntre4Deaf is a European project co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme that promotes inclusive green entrepreneurship education for Deaf and Hard of Hearing learners. By combining innovative educational methodologies, digital technologies and strong cooperation between higher education institutions and the Deaf community, the project aims to strengthen green skills, entrepreneurial competences and equal opportunities across Europe.

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