PRESS RELEASE
TRAINING FOR GLOBAL LEARNING MULTIPLIERS

Assistance and Programs for Sustainable Development – Agenda 21 organized the first part of the Facilitating Global Learning training, addressed to members of non-governmental organizations from Romania. The training took place in Bucharest, during October 15th – 18th, 2014.

The training aims at developing the key competences of the participants in the field of global learning, at continuously increasing the number of multipliers that work in the field of global learning, at improving the quality of multipliers’ activities, as well as at motivating and preparing the participants for getting involved in actions of and for facilitating events in the field of global learning.

16 non-governmental organizations from Romania participated in the first part of the training. In March 2015 the second part will take place. In between, the participants will apply the knowledge and competences they gained, by organizing and implementing at the level of their organization and local community global learning activities addressed to the organization’s target groups.

“This training is based on the results of a research study realized by us at the end of 2013. The results for Romania showed that “there are different interpretations and understandings of Global Learning among the non-governmental organizations” and that “Global Learning is only partially understood or limited to the NGOs own experience.” Thus, the training modules were designed considering the needs in the field expressed by the NGOs members themselves. We want to contribute to increase the number of multipliers active in Global Learning in Romania”, said Nina Cugler, executive president of the association.

The training is part of the project Facilitating global learning – key competences of members of European CSOs, implemented by a consortium of organizations from Germany, Portugal and Romania: the main applicant DachverbandEntwicklungspolitik Baden-Württemberg (DEAB) – Germany; partners: Forum for international development + planning (FINEP) – Germany, EntwicklungspädagogischesInformationszentrumEPIZimArbeitskreisEine Welt Reutlingen e.V. – Germany, InstitutoMarquês de Valle Flôr – Portugal, AIDGLOBAL - Acção e Integração para o Desenvolvimento Global – Portugal, Assistance and Programs for Sustainable Development – Agenda 21 – Romania.

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