







HELIOS PROJECT Final Event

"Enhancing the skills of NEETs and women towards the development of the Blue and Circular Economy sectors in the Mediterranean region"

Palermo - Sicily 26th of January 2023

Venue:

Sala dei Dipinti dei Giardini del Massimo, Teatro Massimo, P.zza Giuseppe Verdi, 90139 Palermo

Streaming link:

www.youtube.com/@DistrettoPescaCosvap/streams

AGENDA

Associazione ARCES

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On 26th January 2023, the ENI-CBC project *HELIOS* will celebrate 3 years of collaboration between 6 countries in the Mediterranean during the closing event to be held in the *Sala Dei Dipinti* located in the magnificent Teatro Massimo, Europe's third largest opera house.

During the project, Helios brought together public and private organizations, and enterprises from **Italy**, **Palestine**, **Spain**, **Jordan**, **Greece and Tunisia** to carry out concrete actions to promote the employment of young people and women.

Helios introduced new methodologies, focusing on coordinating the needs of unemployed young people and women (NEETs – not in employment, education or training) and those of enterprise in the target areas. Helios organized courses, created new curricula and an e-learning platform, and activated ongoing partnerships between technical and vocational training organizations and local enterprises. The courses provided participants with an introduction to the Blue and Circular Economies, those soft skills which are imperative to successful entry into the labour market and key entrepreneurial skills for those interested in developing a new business idea of their own.

Thanks to EU ENI-CBC funding, Helios partner organizations have dedicated over three years to forging the way forward to tackle the issue of skills mismatching, extremely high rates of unemployment amongst young people and women and transition towards a more sustainable future in industry. Now we would like to cascade the results and lessons learnt to those working towards similar goals.

The event programme includes guest speakers from our partner countries presenting key case studies, speakers from Sicilian enterprises which participated in the co-creation of our courses and skills development, and testimonial participants.









Thursday,26 January 2023	
09:30	Registration & Coffee
	 Attendees: Helios Project partners ENI CBC MED MA/ JTS representatives Local and Regional Authorities Local Stakeholders (SMEs and Hosting organisations) Beneficiaries of Training courses and Traineeships
10:00	Welcoming Speech
	 Mr. Forzinetti Giuliano Councillor for Productive Activities, Municipality of Palermo Mr. Francesco Attaguile President of ARCES association Ms. Dua'a Qurie Senior project officer, ENI CBC MED Programme Moderator: Mr. Alessandro Pernice
10:15 -11:30	Overview of 3 years project implementation Mr. Alessandro Pernice (HELIOS project coordinator, ARCES association) and Ms. Broni Hornsby (HELIOS project Manager, ARCES association) • Contribution from IeD - Greece Ms. Vaia Kyratzouli,"Capitalization experiences and the creation of murals as engagement means"
	 Contribution from UCAS - Palestine Mr. Hatem Sultan and Mrs. Samah Hammouda, "Helios Actions toward NEETS social inclusion in BaCE sectors" Contribution from ACH - Spain Ms. Sabina Morillo and Mr. Agustí Jorba, "Soft skills and experts' collaboration"









	Contribution from UTAP-Tunisia Mr. Hatem Mensi, "The
	project experience in Tunisia"
	Contribution from COSVAP – Italy Mr. Francesco Foraci, "The
	field activities carried out by the HELIOS project's learners within the
	SMEs belonging to the fishery sector".
	 Contribution from NARC – Jordan Ms. Ala'a Wahbeh "The
	project experience in Jordan"
	Moderator: Broni Hornsby
11:30	Coffee break
12:00-13:00	Introducing the role of National, Regional and Local actors
	operating in the active labour market policies and sustainable
	development.
	National & Regional actors
	Mr. Giacomo Scala Extraordinary Commissioner of
	C.I.A.P.I ¹ (Sicily), "The role of active labour market policies in
	Sicily: Youth Guarantee second phase and GOL Programme".
	Ms. Patrizia Caudullo Responsible territorial area Sicily,
	ANPAL SERVIZI SPA, Mr. Maurizio Lo Piccolo I Project
	coordinator ANPAL Servizi SPA ² "ANPAL SERVIZI SPA:
	Programmes, projects and initiatives aimed to the integration of
	young NEETs and unemployed women into the labour market".
	Local actors: Trainers & Coaches

¹http://www.ciapiweb.it/ ²https://www.anpal.gov.it/anpalservizi









- **Ms. Claudia Armenio** l Project teacher and Blue Economy Expert, ARCES, "Effective outreach to NEETs: experience from the ground".
- **Mr. Massimo Tucciarelli** I Senior coach expert, ARCES association, "The coaching as a tool to assist NEETs in discovering their talents: the experience of HELIOS".

HELIOS beneficiaries: SMEs, Hosting organisations, NEETs and unemployed Women

- Testimonials from hosting companies and trainees
 - Carlino Srl, Mr. Nino Carlino (CEO)
 - Arance Amare, Ms. Roberta De Grandi (CEO)
 - La Tramontana, Mr. Natale Amoroso (CEO)
 - Blu Ocean Srl, Mr. Antonio Lo Coco (CEO)

Bringing experience from other ENIC CBC MED projects and constructive challenge to previous methods

• Testimonials from Resmyle (ENI CBC MED Programme) | Mr. Guido Spaccaforno, Amesci, European Unit Director

Delivery of the certification to all trainees who attended the HELIOS training course held on December 2022-January 2023

 Each trainee from Sicily will receive the certification of attendance to the last training course on BaCE held on January 2023

Moderator: Mr. Alessandro Pernice

13:30 Closing