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The Environmental change consortium brings together a development agency, a university, two SMEs, a technical centre and a chamber of commerce and industry.

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Environmental change in European start-uppers thinking and acting – the solution for common sustainable development

TARGET GROUPS

The **Environmental change** project is addressed at strengthening and validating competences of start-uppers, young entrepreneurs, SMEs and VET providers (trainers, teachers, educators) in environmental change subjects.

OUTCOMES AND ACTIVITIES

> An environmental syllabus to enhance the professional development of VET providers in environmental change competences.

> A modular training curriculum, framed by the EU instruments for mobility and transparency (EQF, ECVET, EQAVET) and focused on circular economy as an alternative path for self-employment.

> An environmental APP for start-uppers, designed for mobile learning structured around the project key-areas.

> Engagement of relevant stakeholders (education institutions, development agencies, chambers of commerce, start-up incubators, SMEs) trough dissemination and scaling actions to promote the project outputs, including six national outreach seminars.

DURATION

The Environmental change project is implemented between December 2020 and November 2022 in five European countries: Poland, Portugal, Greece, Slovenia and Spain.

> ABOUT THE PROJECT

The European Union aims to be climatic neutral by 2050. To this goal, achieve the European Green Deal foster opportunities and initiatives to promote a transition to a sustainable economy. Aligned with these principles, the Environmental change project promotes proactive reskilling and upskilling to reap the benefits of the ecological transition. The aim is to and validate promote knowledge, skills and attitudes on climate change and sustainable development in six key-areas.



KEY-AREAS

> Ways of transition to natural energy and combating climate change

> Towards biodiversity and ecological transformation

> Plastic waste management

- > Redesigning products and services to minimise the use of materials
- > Circular businesses models
- > Life cycle thinking