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The Transnational Training Lab for Mentors

We are thrilled to share the success of our **Transnational Training Lab**, which took place in Marseille, France, from March 23rd to 27th, 2026. This week-end marked a turning point for the project, as we move from the strategic planning phase to concrete local action

For these five days, **12 Youth Workers from the 5 partner countries** (France, Greece, Slovenia, Bulgaria and Belgium) gathered to master the ASPIRE Accelerator 4.0 methodology.

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● A Major Milestone Reached in Marseille!

What happened during the Lab?

- **Mentoring & entrepreneurship frameworks:** Participants explored methodologies to better support young social entrepreneurs.
- **Knowledge exchange:** Daily workshops allowed mentors to share their diverse expertise and harmonize their practices within a European context.
- **Mentoring roadmaps:** Partners collaborated in sub-groups to build their local action plans, ensuring each national cohort receives structured and tailored support.
- **Local ecosystem engagement:** The week included inspiring meetings with local social innovation actors and visits to key entrepreneurship hubs in Marseille.

What's next?

Now that our mentors are trained and certified with their Youthpass, the project enters its most operational phase:

- **Launch of national mentoring:** In each country, 5 selected young entrepreneurs are starting their personalized support journey.
- **Platform deployment:** Our online platform is now live, hosting the training modules and tools discussed in Marseille.
- **Upcoming events:** We are already looking forward to the Transnational FSF Mentoring Session in Greece (August 2026) and the big Transnational Business Competition in France (October 2026)!



Watch our [last video](#) !



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