Good Practice EYE Erasmus for Young Entrepreneurs

Name of the project / programme	Erasmus for young entrepreneurs programme
Name of the organisation	CSCS Italia
Mainmethodology applied	The programme started in 2009 under the dg enterprise and industry and is now carried out under EASME. CSCS is an intermediary organisation running the programme which is a cross-border exchange helping aspiring entrepreneurs to learn from experienced entrepreneurs
Main Project milestones	Implement the exchanges allowing aspirant entrepreneurs to acquire entrepreneurial skills needed to run an SME while shadowing an experienced entrepreneurs in a different eu country
Players involved in implementation	EASME Support office in Brussels Consortia Leaders Intermediary organisations Host entrepreneurs "Young" entrepreneurs
Resources applied to implementation	Grants for unexperienced entrepreneurs going aborad
Mentoring and evaluation of results	Done by EASME, support office, intermediary organisations
Implementation period	More than 5 years
Description of targets / users	Host (experienced) entrepreneurs = HE New/ Young (unexperienced) entrepreneurs = NE
How the users are selected	They apply to the programme and select an intermediary organisation who then makes the assessment (requirements, business plan, CV, etc)
Needs and situations on which the project is based	Job marketrelated, entrepreneurship
Specify "Other/s"	
Main objectives of project / practice	 internationalisation networking business consultancy foster sharing of experience between entrepreneurs identification of new potential partners

	- support networking among entrepreneurs in different participant countries
Main impacts on project / practices targets	10.000 applications in europe 3.000 exchanges
Impact on methodological innovation	"onthejob" training
Impact on institutions	The programme is known at EU level, carried on by EASME, supported and financed by the European Comission and in now ever more known at national/local levels.
Impact on social, educational, economic organisations	Besides the intermediary organisations implementing the programme, many other stakeholders (chambers of commerce, innovation clusters, business incubators, universities, local authorities support and disseminate the programme
Impact on local community	Impact on: - Entrepreneurship - Employment and therefore growth
More information about needs and situations on which the project is based	The programme aims to help entrepreneurs overcome the markte/ business obstacles. Young entrepreneurs have an "on the job" training in order to acquire the skills needed to run their own business. Host entrepreneurs benefit for fresh ideas and skills and knowledge NEs have in other areas
More information about the main objectives of project / practice	New entrepreneurs gather and exchange knowledge and business ideas with an experienced entrepreneur, with whom they stay and collaborate for a period of 1 to 6 months. Thestay in partlyfinancedbytheeuropeancommission.
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