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#### CREATING ' YOUNG PEOPLE WITH VALUE' MODEL AT EUROPEAN LEVEL



# **Final Conference**

The Final Conference had been a great success with impressive and inspirational speeches. It's is difficult to capture such an amazing event in just this newsletter. However, we've tried to make you relive the Final Conference for when you were there, and we've tried to give you a sweet taste of the event for when you unfortunately couldn't attend.

The Final Conference kicked-off in the most amazing theatre, where we enjoyed not only an incredible diner, but also many inspirational speeches. There were many Brazilians sharing their experience of the Jovem Aprendiz project, which is the project that we have used as a foundation for the European approach. The governor of Goiás, Gracinha Caiado, shared the importance of these kinds of projects for young people with value. This was strengthened by two teenagers that joined the programme in Brazil. They shared not only their experiences, but also the opportunities that were given to them by joining the programme and what it meant for them. By sharing their stories, they proved the importance of YoPeVa even more. Moreover, they were able to show the difference a programme as YoPeVa can make to European representatives, such as Member of European Parliament Mr. Jordi Solé.

"My dream is to become doctor.
Thanks to this opportunity I have the hope to achieve the dream.
This opportunity gave me the idea of concurring the world"
Allana Vitória Ferreira Dos Santos, one of the teenagers that joined the Jovem Aprendiz project





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The inspiring speeches of the magical night before, did not hold anyone back from giving great speeches the next day at the European Commission. After all, that is the place where our message, our goal and our project needs to be heard. One person, that is definitely convinced of YoPeVa, that is Jordi Solé, member of European Paliament, who said during the Final Conference:



#### "Accompanying young people in their journey to labour, as part of their personal development process and transition to adult life, is of vital importance"

Which we couldn't agree more to, and which is exactly why YoPeVa is so important. Mr. Solé did not only strengthen the importance of the project in general, but also mentioned the importance of a European approach, because:

#### "Youth deserve all our attention; we have to focus on them, we have to invest in them, because they are the future."

Besides Mr. Solé, again representatives from our Brazilian example explained their experiences and the importance of a European Approach to the YoPeVa project. Which was strengthened by representatives from our consortium. Each of the partners showed why YoPeVa is important in their country and what opportunities there are. Which are based on the results we gathered in the National Plans.





## National Implementation Plans

Not only did the Final Conference show us the potential that YoPeVa has to succeed in Europe, we already analysed its potential beforehand. After concluding that we need to develop the Young people with Value' model together with stakeholders, we have analysed at what level the model is realistically deployable in each local context and what the nature of its implementation should be. Each partner of the consortium involved different stakeholders, making their profiles multiple and different in each country.

These analyses are formed together in National Implementation Plans, which provide information about implementing the YoPeVa model at a local, regional and national level of the consortium partner countries. It examined for example the necessary financial resources, alignment with policies on both local as EU level and issues and challenges.

## International Workshop

We agree with the words of João Victor, cause that is exactly what we will be doing. Because even though it on the one hand feels like we are still recovering from the success of the Final Conference, we are also rumbling on to succeed further success. We have invited different peers and stakeholders from all partner countries to exchange and engage in an international discussion on how to support NEETS. Everyone will share their experiences, knowledge and input, which can be used to enhance YoPeVa's opportunities. We will tell you more about this in January!

Not only will we rumble on for success with YoPeVa, we have also started a project YoPeVa Entrepreneur, where we will also build on to the success and potential of a European Approach on our YoPeVa project.

During the Final Conference João Victor Gonçalves Matos, one of the "We will be working together to transform the world."

Check yopeva.eu for more information on us and YoPeVa Entrepreneur





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