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Urban GARDens for the social INtegration of migrants

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Kick-off meeting in Freising

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Kick off meeting:

in Freising/ Germany, 4th-5th December 2017



In the beginning of December 2017, the project consortium consisting of 7 collaborating partner organizations came together for their first project meeting. The meeting took place on the TUM campus in Freising-Weihenstephan. The kick-off meeting started with introductory presentations of the attending delegates and their respective organizations. Each partner presented their organizational work, the present situation of urban gardening within their country, as well as the current situation of refugees and migrants.

The consortium actively discussed experiences, social inclusion, the various benefits and barriers to social inclusion and urban gardening. The main focus was set on empowerment, and opportunities of learning and skill development. Further the project structure and the proceeding were discussed, times and deadlines were set, and duties and milestones introduced. For the understanding and ease of the cross national project, the consortium decided to use an online platform, which was set up and presented. A joint dinner and social evening raised the spirits after long meeting hours and the consortium members continued discussing experience.

During the first part of the second day's session the project budget as well as monitoring, evaluation, management and reporting procedures were determined. The following part set the dissemination and exploitation framework and concluded the Kick-off meeting with a Q&A session and the meeting evaluation.

The next transnational meeting will be hosted by the Spanish partners. We are looking forward to come together as a consortium and share our results and experiences.



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