



Newsletter

January 2025

Knowledge is POWER: Providing learning and empowering opportunities for young adults with special educational needs (SEN)

The "PowerUP!" project is an innovative initiative designed to empower young adults with special educational needs by enhancing their digital and entrepreneurial skills.

Through a series of high-quality entrepreneurial-focused resources and training modules, freely accessible and tailored to the learning needs of young adults with SEN, "PowerUP!" seeks to equip participants with the necessary skills to navigate and succeed in today's digital landscape, fostering inclusion, and opening up new opportunities for personal and professional growth.

The project partners have organised dissemination events and have made the website available in all partner languages. They have also finalised the Small-Scale Data Review and Analysis Report (A1) and the Needs Identification and Module Design (A2) Report. The partners are now working on the microlearning modules and scripts for the instructional material which will be ready and available in early 2025.

Stay tuned for more information!

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Key Milestones

Small-Scale Data Review and Analysis Report (A1)

A comparative analysis of SEN inclusion and entrepreneurship education across consortium countries, forming the foundation for targeted module development.

<https://powerup-programme.eu/wp/wp3/>

Needs Identification and Module Design (A2)

Collaborative focus groups and questionnaires with 52 key stakeholders, including SEN educators and psychologists, provided actionable insights for developing six microlearning modules.

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Website Launch and Dissemination Events

The Power Up website, accessible in all partner languages, is live and actively sharing project updates. The project was also showcased during Erasmus Days and the Up to Youth Festival in Cyprus.

Project Meetings

The Power Up Consortium had its second TPM on 23rd July, where the project updates and key management issues were discussed. The project partners have been meeting monthly to keep up with project developments, to work on the project and build and develop transnational relationships.

Dissemination Events



2 October 2024

Up to Youth Festival 2024

The Power Up! project was proudly promoted at the Up to Youth Festival 2024, held on September 28th in Nicosia, Cyprus, and organized by the Youth Board of Cyprus.

During the festival, our Cypriot partner, Enoros Consulting Ltd, shared the vision and achievements of the Power Up project with many enthusiastic youngsters.

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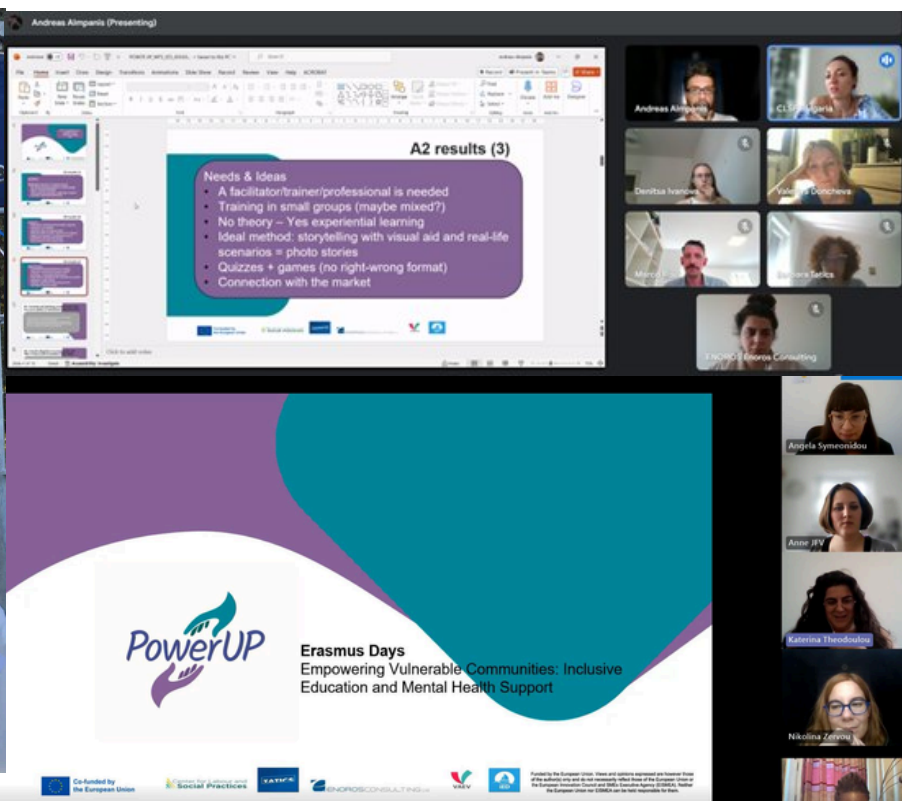
18 October 2024

Erasmus Days

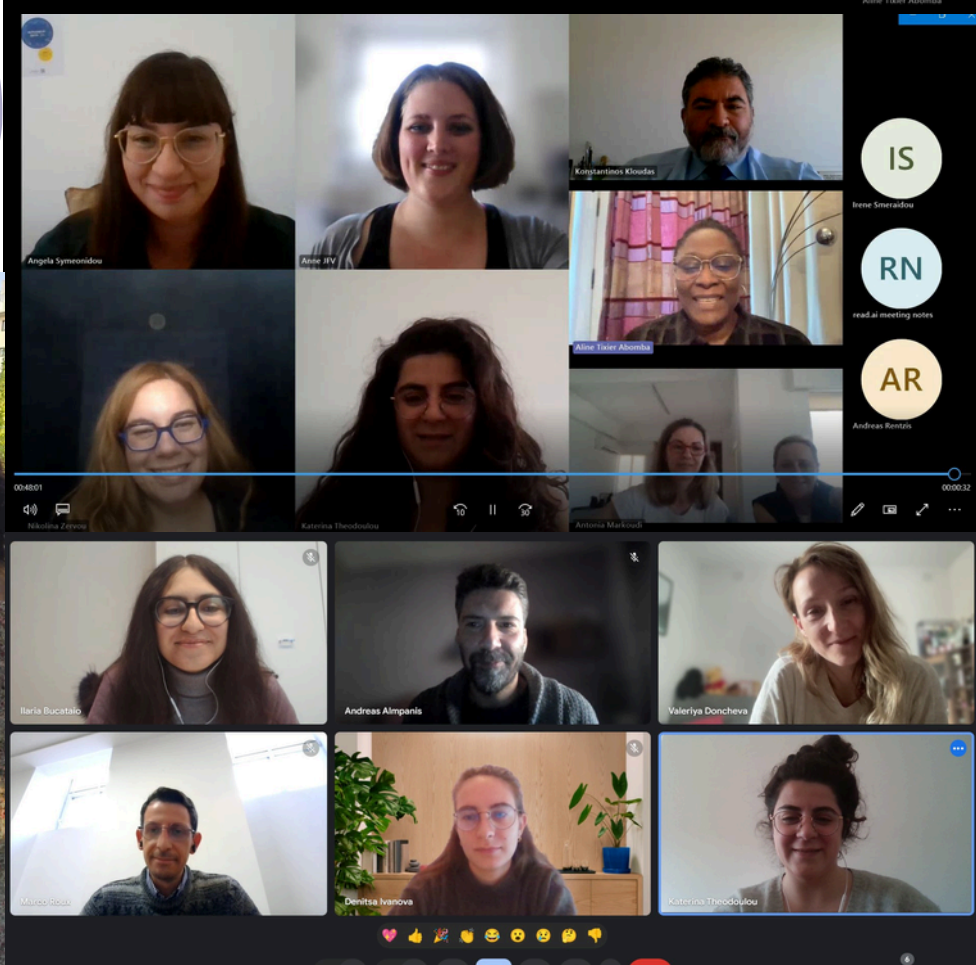
On October 18th, the Power Up project team proudly took part in an online conference as part of ERASMUSDAYS, focusing on empowering vulnerable communities through inclusive education and mental health support.

This virtual event brought together experts, educators, and some of our consortium partners to share valuable insights and strategies funded by Erasmus+ initiatives.

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Here's some photos from our meetings and events



What's Next

Comprehensive Educational Modules

Six interactive microlearning modules, designed based on expert insights, will provide practical tools to empower youth with SEN in entrepreneurship. The modules and materials are under development and will be available in early 2025 for the pilots.

Inclusive Digital Platform

An engaging and accessible learning platform will host resources, including photo stories, interactive quizzes, and real-world scenarios will be added to the project's website where all material will be freely accessible.



Training pilots

In the upcoming months we will be hosting pilots in all partner countries to 'test-drive' the digital platform. The pilot process of the project will be completed with an international multi-day training event for inclusive educators that will take place in Greece.

We're on social media and have a website just for you!

Please take a look at our website and stay tuned for all upcoming events and activities

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Thank you for reading!