

## **B-ENTREPRENEUR PROJECT – 75 PROJECTS SELECTED**

In this moment of economic crisis in Europe becomes urgent to find a suitable method to address this problem. The EC has repeatedly shown how the solution is to encourage the entrepreneurial spirit and the real possibility of starting a business. Investing in entrepreneurship education is therefore one of the greatest investment that Europe can do.

Numerous individual Lifelong Learning Programme Projects have been developed during the 2007-2013 programming period in the field of entrepreneurship. **B-Entrepreneur**, this is the name of the project carried out by 8 partners in 7 European countries (Spain, Romania, Ireland, Austria, Italy, Czech Republic, Finland), aims to identify and evaluate 300 best practices within this programme about entrepreneurship in 27 member states, disseminating these results so to foster good entrepreneurship.

On 01-02/12/2014 the partners had the 2nd steering meeting in Prerov (Czech Republic), in which has been defined the numeric criteria to be used to select the best 75 projects. Projects have been selected and, by now, every partner is gathering more info from project managers, so to start with the experts' meetings for a deeper review.

Partners have, by now, reviewed and selected the best 75 project under three main themes:

- Entrepreneurship in disadvantaged groups: immigrants, disabilities, women, youth, unemployed, recently graduated, etc.
- Best practices in training methodologies in entrepreneurship.
- Best practices in accompanying measures, such as coaching, mentoring, volunteering, counseling, advising etc.

The follow-up of this selection will be a serie of experts' meeting, focused on reviewing each project and taking in exam the informations gathered through the compilation of questionnaires proposed to each project manager of the selected project.

This will lead to the alimentation of the most important tool of the project - the Online Library.

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