

# PROJECT PARTNER SEARCH FORM

- I offer my expertise to **participate as a Partner** in a Horizon Europe project  
 I am planning to **coordinate a project** and I am **looking for project partners**

## CALL & TOPIC INFORMATION

PROGRAMME	5. Culture, Creativity and Inclusive Society	CALL DEADLINE	23/09/2027
TOPIC	HORIZON-CL2-2027-01-DEMOCRACY-01: Advisory support and network for countering and preventing radicalisation, extremism, hate speech and polarisation		
FUNDING SCHEME	RIA-IA-CSA	EVALUATION TYPE	Single stage

## INFORMATION ABOUT THE ORGANISATION

ORGANISATION	Centre d'Information et d'Education Populaire (CIEP)
DESCRIPTION OF YOUR ORGANISATION	<p>The Centre for Information and Popular Education (CIEP) is a well-established lifelong learning organisation officially recognised by the Wallonia-Brussels Federation and accredited by the Walloon Region as an integration actor.</p> <p>Its mission is to empower individuals with the knowledge, skills, and critical thinking capacities required to act as engaged citizens in collective processes, contributing to the development of inclusive, democratic, and cohesive societies.</p> <p>CIEP implements a wide range of activities combining information, awareness-raising, training, facilitation, and collective action across key societal domains, including environmental, cultural, economic, social, and political issues.</p> <p>Its core activities include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the organisation of socio-educational, socio-cultural, and socio-political initiatives for the general public (e.g. exhibitions, debates, film discussions, participatory theatre);</li> <li>• capacity-building programmes targeting professionals, staff members, and volunteer activists from social and educational organisations;</li> <li>• socio-cultural and socio-professional integration pathways for low-skilled adults;</li> <li>• advisory services supporting the creation and management of non-profit organisations.</li> </ul> <p>CIEP operates as a non-profit organisation across the Walloon Region, with strong local anchoring and outreach capacities.</p>
ADDRESS	Avenue des États-Unis 10 - 7500 Tournai
TYPE OF PARTNER	Association
WEBSITE	<a href="https://moc-wapi.be/">https://moc-wapi.be/</a>

EXPERIENCE IN EUROPEAN FUNDS/PROJECTS	The organisation has substantial experience in the design, management, and implementation of European-funded projects. It has actively contributed to
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	<p>several Erasmus+ projects as a partner, supporting implementation and transnational cooperation. CIEP has also coordinated a project funded by the European Social Fund (ESF), ensuring full operational, administrative, and financial management.</p> <p>In addition, CIEP has been involved as an associated partner in an Interreg V project, contributing to cross-border cooperation and knowledge exchange. It is currently engaged in a project funded by the Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF), as well as leading an Interreg VI micro-project, where it is responsible for coordination, financial management, and the implementation of activities.</p> <p>Through these experiences, CIEP has developed strong competences in project governance, multi-actor collaboration, and the delivery of impactful, scalable, and context-sensitive solutions, in line with Horizon Europe priorities.</p>
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## ROLE IN THE PROJECT

### **POTENTIAL ROLE IN THE PROJECT:**

*As a PARTNER, please indicate here what your contribution could be in response to the targeted call for proposals. To help structure your input and make it easier for a coordinator to review, you may, if you wish, organise your response using the table below, which includes examples of relevant activities. Alternatively, you may provide your contribution in text form.*

CIEP is a recognized lifelong learning organization and is accredited by the Federal State as an association combating racism and all forms of discrimination. It brings strong field-based expertise in the analysis and prevention of racism, discrimination, and polarization.

Through a range of active and experiential learning approaches - such as decolonial walks, stereotype deconstruction workshops, intercultural dialogue spaces, artistic interventions, and targeted training - CIEP enhances understanding of the social, cultural, and historical drivers of hate speech and exclusion. These methodologies, already tested in real-life settings, enable the identification of polarization factors and the mechanisms through which hate speech spreads. They are transferable and adaptable across European contexts, supporting the co-development, testing, and validation of innovative solutions.

CIEP is embedded in a broad network of grassroots actors in Wallonia and has extensive experience in multi-actor cooperation, including NGOs, public authorities, and community-based organizations. This ensures a collaborative approach and the co-creation of solutions grounded in local realities.

A key strength of CIEP lies in its capacity to reach and engage underrepresented and hard-to-reach groups, including low-skilled adults, learners in French as a Foreign Language (FLE), beneficiaries of social welfare services, asylum seekers, women's associations,... Through participatory methods, CIEP fosters inclusive spaces that promote civic engagement, social cohesion, and democratic participation.

With direct access to 150–200 participants and an extended network of partners, CIEP provides a valuable testing ground for piloting and validating project outputs in real-world conditions, ensuring relevance, inclusiveness, and impact.

CIEP also integrates digital tools and media literacy approaches tailored to vulnerable groups, contributing to the development of inclusive and scalable solutions.

Furthermore, CIEP actively contributes to capacity building and co-creation processes, including the design of training modules, the implementation of pilot actions, and the development of practice-oriented recommendations.

As a consortium partner, CIEP plays a key role in ensuring inclusiveness, access to target groups, field-based experimentation, and tangible societal impact, in line with Horizon Europe's priorities on social innovation, democratic resilience, and lifelong learning.

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