



## Empowering and Activating the Young Generation through the Learning of Employability Skills

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### The Project

The EAGLES is an EU-funded project under the Erasmus+ Strategic Partnerships Programme. The duration of the project is 14 months (Project start date: 01/04/2016, Project end date: 30/05/2017).

The ultimate aim of this project is to strengthen the psychological resilience of youth workers by supplying them with educational and psychological resources to cope effectively and perform their work successfully. By training youth workers (coaches) in four EU countries is considered as a valuable effort to transfer transnational knowledge and skills to their workplace and be effective in coaching young job seekers.

The final result of EAGLES is to develop an innovative and very practical training package including positive psychology principles as well as employability skills that foster young individuals' coping skills as well as their entrepreneurial spirit.

## The Consortium

The consortium of partners is composed of 5 organisations from 4 EU countries:

1. GrantXpert Consulting, CY (Project Coordinator)
2. Institute of Child Education & Psychology Europe (ICEPE), IR
3. N. Charalambous Institute of Development Ltd, CY
4. Panteion University, GR
5. CESIE, IT



## Kick-off Meeting

The Kick-off meeting was held on the 8th of April, 2016 at GrantXpert's Offices in Nicosia, Cyprus. The meeting was a great opportunity for all partners to meet each other and share their experience in topics related to positive psychology and entrepreneurship. During the meeting the Coordinator presented to the partners relevant information regarding upcoming activities, intellectual outputs, multiplier events, the role and responsibilities of each partner in each output.

### May, 2016 - July, 2016 In Progress

We are in the process of developing an in-depth national needs' analysis and a detailed review of previous literature and relevant current projects in a national and European level to identify the existing gap in EU countries.

### September 11-12, 2016

The 2nd Transnational Meeting will take place in Ireland. All partners will attend the meeting.



Above: The EAGLEs Project partners at the kick off meeting in Cyprus

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