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Transnational ESF-Program

„IdA – Integration through Exchange“

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The IdA - Programme

- Target Group: disadvantaged youth and unemployed young people
- Spending at least **1 month up to 6 months** in another EU member state (training, internship, job-camp)
- 69 project associations are funded until mid 2012 in cooperation with the local jobcenters
- Financial volume: about **75** Mill. € ESF
- participants going abroad: about **10.000** young people



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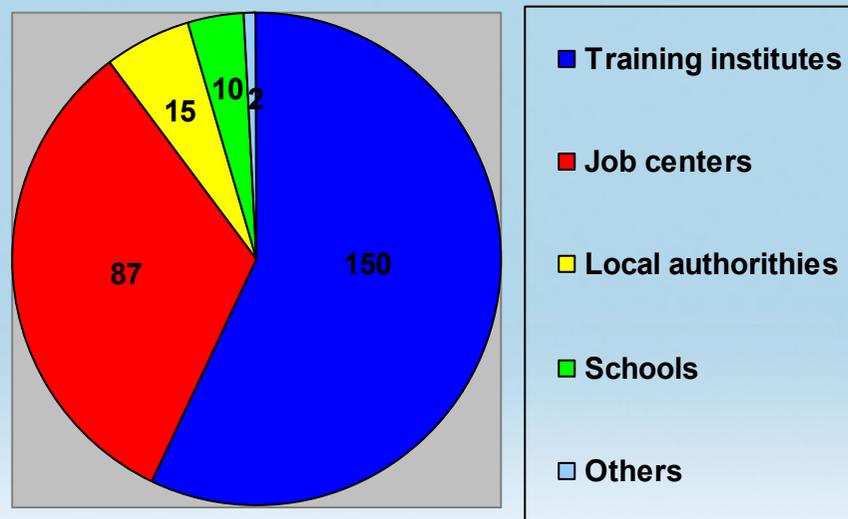
The IdA - Programme

Core Partner: Jobcenters and Employment Agencies

A very important decision was undertaken with the jobcenters in Germany: As soon as unemployed young people go abroad for an internship within the IdA - programme they will not lose their social security benefits (unemployment benefits, housing).

First IdA – Call: partners in the 70 project associations

- Training institutes: 150
- Employment agencies /
job centers: 87
- Local authorities: 15
- Schools: 10
- Others: 2





First IdA – Call: Transnational Cooperation Partners

Italy	17	Greece	5
Austria	16	Ireland	4
The Netherlands	15	Malta	4
Poland	14	Ungary	4
Spain	12	Belgium	3
France	10	Finland	3
Ceska Republika	8	Lithuania	2
United Kingdom	8	Portugal	2
Turkey	7	Luxemburg	1
Sweden	7	Rumania	1
Danemark	5	Schwitzerland	1



Indicators to monitor the results/outcomes

- Number of disadvantaged youth and young people who have participated in transnational exchange and mobility activities;
- Number of disadvantaged youth and young people who have increased their professional skills through the transnational actions;
- Number of disadvantaged youth and young people who have increased their knowledge of a foreign language;

Reasons for why IdA is considered as successful (1)

Project Example: IdA project association Hamm / Unna
 Institutions involved: Jobcenter Hamm, Jobcenter Unna,
 Multikulturelles Forum e.V., Projektfabrik e.V.
 Number of participants: 60 youth

Results until 31.12.2010: 16 participants

before transnational action		after transnational action	
<u>No. of participant</u>	<u>Education</u>	<u>No. of participants</u>	<u>Integration result</u>
8	“Hauptschule”	5	job
4	“Realschule”	3	vocational training
4	school drop outs	2	voluntary social year
		5	(further) education
		1	employment measure

Reasons for why IdA is considered as successful (2)

Project Example: IdA project association Schleswig-Holstein
 Institutions involved: Employment agency Kiel, Jobcenter Lübeck,
 Jobcenter Plön, Jobcenter Dithmarschen,
 Jugendaufbauwerk Koppelsberg etc.
 Number of participants: 190 youth
 Results until 31.12.2010: 60 participants

before transnational action		after transnational action	
<u>No. of participant</u>	<u>Education</u>	<u>No. of participants</u>	<u>Integration result</u>
23	“Hauptschule”	35	vocational training
3	school drop outs	17	employment measure
34	Special school (“Förderschule”) for children with learning difficulties	4	voluntary social year
		4	job



Synergies with LLL

Cooperation with LEONARDO Mobility (1)

- Synergies regarding target group

IdA: focus on labour market

Leonardo: focus on vocational and educational training

Synergies with LLL

Cooperation with LEONARDO Mobility (2)

- using LEONARDO lump sums for financing mobility (including subsistence and travel costs)

in Euro (€)	STAFF, EXPERTS (travel excluded)					YOUNG PEOPLE (travel included)	
	Weekly rate			Monthly rate		Monthly rate	
	1st week	2nd week	3rd and 4th week	1st month	2nd and further months	1st month	2nd and further months
Belgique/Belgie	750	350	200	1500	800	1200	700
Bulgaria	425	198	113	849	453	680	396
Ceska Republika	679	317	181	1358	725	1087	634
Danmark	1019	476	272	2038	1087	1631	951



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Why transnational mobility for disadvantaged young people?

- Disadvantaged young people are absolutely underrepresented in mobility schemes and in measures promoting stays abroad for learning and qualifying purposes.
- The IdA experience shows that in the case of disadvantaged young people staying abroad heavily and in an extraordinary way contributes to broadening their social skills and to improving their employability.

The IdA thematic network supports the Initiative: “Promoting learning mobility for young people with fewer opportunities' as a support tool within the transnational ESF measures (2014-2020)”



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Thank you very much!

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