

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
Participant:	[3] - [ASSOCIAZIONE CULTURALE CIRCOLO GIANNI BOSIO] ([CGB])
PIC number:	[895647755]
Project name and acronym:	[Engaging Young People with the Past to Commit to a European Future] — [Blue4EU]

EVENT DESCRIPTION			
Event number:	[WP3]		
Event name:	[Training on oral history and storytelling for advocacy and civic engagement for young people/university students (in Romania)]		
Type:	[Training Course]		
In situ/online:	[in-situ]		
Location:	[Rome]], [Italy]		
Date(s):	[October 2024-March 2025]		
Website(s) (if any):	https://istoriaorala.ro/en/blue4eu		
Participants			
Female:	51		
Male:	53		
Non-binary:	-		
From country 1 [Italy]:	104		
Total number of participants:	104	From total number of countries:	1 (Italy)
Description			
<i>Provide a short description of the event and its activities.</i>			
The 3-day training course on Oral History and Storytelling for Advocacy and Civic Engagement was designed for 25 young people from Italy who are interested in learning how to discover and tell life stories about fascism, resistance, democracy and emigration. We organised the event between 19-21 of December 2024 with 26 young participants, under 25 years of age, 15 males and 11 females. In order to train the young students involved, training materials were drafted by each trainer. For this training course, the trainers also used the Blue4EU Oral History Training Toolkit developed within Work Package 1 of the project. A particular attention was given to the legal and ethical aspects of the oral history research and the gendered constructed narratives. The training course final evaluation			

was conducted during the last session of the TC using various tools, including an online evaluation form. All the participants were invited to fill out the form anonymously. The general learning objectives were:

- Train 25 young people from Italy on oral history and storytelling for intergenerational raising awareness research.
- Involve 25 young people from Italy in intergenerational & raising awareness research on Italy's EU integration and immigration flows.
- Involve 60+ witnesses of Italy's EU integration and immigration flows in intergenerational & raising awareness research.

The specific learning objectives were:

- Understand the concepts, processes, and methods of oral history and storytelling;
- Develop skills in interviewing, organising collected information, and structuring stories;
- Explore and plan oral history interviews and mini-storytelling campaigns.

A detailed description of the **3-day training course on Oral History and Storytelling for Advocacy and Civic Engagement** which includes the application form, the agenda, the curriculum with all training materials, presence lists, evaluation form, photos from the event is reflected in Deliverable D3.1, already uploaded on the SyGMa platform.

Following the training course, the young people conducted **intergenerational raising awareness research**, collecting testimonies from 78 witnesses of Italy's recent history. The list of testimonies collected by the young people is reflected in Deliverable D3.2, available on the SyGMa platform.

HISTORY OF CHANGES		
VERSION	PUBLICATION DATE	CHANGE
1.0	28.03.2025	Initial version
	01.10.2025	Added the link - in section Website(s) - to the webpage on which the EDS is made available.