

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
Participant:	[1] - [UNIVERSITATEA BABEȘ-BOLYAI] ([UBB])
	[2] – [C.SCHOOL FOR CREATIVE ACTS SRL] ([C.SCHOOL])
	[3] – [ASSOCIAZIONE CULTURALE CIRCOLO GIANNI BOSIO] ([CGB])
	[4] – [GUTENBERG - ORGANIZATIA STUDENTILOR VORBITORI DE LIMBA GERMANA] ([Gutenberg])
	[5] – [ALKADAR ALBAGHDADI MOHAMED ADEL] ([WE organization])
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Project name and acronym:	[Engaging Young People with the Past to Commit to a European Future] — [Blue4EU]

EVENT DESCRIPTION	
Event number:	[WP1]
Event name:	[Co-design session for project's research tools and processes (in Romania)]
Type:	[Co-Design Event]
In situ/online:	<u>[in-situ]</u>
Location:	[Romania)], [Cluj-Napoca)]
Date(s):	[4-6 th of September 2024]
Website(s) (if any):	https://istoriaorala.ro/en/blue4eu Instagram: https://www.instagram.com/blue4.eu/ Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/Blue4EU/

Participants			
Female:	22		
Male:	10		
Non-binary:	0		
From country 1 [Romania]:	30		
From country 2 [Italy]:	1		
From country 2 [Netherlands]:	1		
Total number of participants:	32	From total number of countries:	3 (Romania, Italy, Netherlands)

Description
<i>Provide a short description of the event and its activities.</i> The Blue4EU Co-Design Event took place from 4–6 September 2024, gathering 32 young people, experts, and multipliers from Romania, Netherlands and Italy for an interactive, three-day program on oral history, storytelling, and advocacy. Over three days, participants engaged in interactive workshops, fieldwork, and co-creation sessions. They learned oral history techniques, shared partner stories, and collaboratively designed the structure and content of an Oral History Research Toolkit. The event fostered reflection, exchange of perspectives, and collective planning for future project steps, with the goal of empowering young people to connect with the past and contribute to Europe's future. Day 1 – Exploration Day Participants were welcomed with coffee and icebreaker activities before being introduced to the project's context and the basics of oral history and storytelling. In the "Humans of Blue4EU" exercise, young people went into the field to interview people, collect stories, and share them through texts, photos, and videos. In the afternoon, the focus shifted to advocacy and community intervention projects, including the "Living Library" model, where participants experimented with turning collected stories into advocacy messages. The day closed with group reflections and planning for the next sessions. Day 2 – Storyline Day The day began with interactive presentations from project partners — Babeş-Bolyai University's Oral History Research Institute, Circolo Gianni Bosio, C.School for Creative Acts, Gutenberg Association, and WE Organization — each using creative storytelling methods. This was followed by an exploration of the Blue4EU project story: its purpose, target groups, and planned activities. In the afternoon, participants collectively examined expectations, challenges, and potential risks for the project through brainstorming and Q&A sessions. The day ended with reflections and preparation for the final day. Day 3 – Co-Creation Day The final day focused on designing the Oral History Research Toolkit for teachers and young people. Participants reviewed the project's purpose, reflected on the data collected during Day 1, and mapped the journeys of both teachers and youth as toolkit users. In the afternoon, the group worked on defining toolkit principles, methodologies, and structure, while also assigning tasks, a timeline, and deadlines. The event concluded with a wrap-up session summarizing key insights, results, and next steps for the project. Overall, the event combined presentations, fieldwork, and collaborative design, leading to the creation of a toolkit (in Romanian, English and Italian) that will support teachers and young people.

HISTORY OF CHANGES		
VERSION	PUBLICATION DATE	CHANGE
1.0	30.09.2024	Initial version