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*"A journey of a thousand  
miles starts with a step"*  
Confucius

*"Every person you meet and  
every experience that you  
face, are a potential in your  
life. All you have to do is to  
be open.*

*Open your mind to see the  
opportunity .*

*Open your heart to hear  
whatever you want.*

*Open your arms to catch all  
the gifts that you will  
receive. "*

*Jack Canfield*

### WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS EVENT?

*"Application of the Global  
Agenda of Social Work in  
Education" it is an international  
event and represents a part of  
the project Cross European  
Blended Learning of part time  
students, project financed by  
EASSW, which involves six  
european universities.  
This event highlights global  
tendencies of social work and  
education.*

*"Cross-European Blended  
Learning of Part-time Students"*  
project financed by the European  
Association of Schools of Social  
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**EASSW**



**INTERNATIONAL  
JOINT LEARNING WEEK**  
*"Application of the Global  
Agenda of Social Work in  
Education"*  
Petroșani, February  
23 -27, 2015





**Fields of Interest in Global Agenda of Social Work and Education Scientific Contributions Workshops:**

**General topic:** “Promoting multiculturalism in social work education, practice and research: examples and critical analysis. Perspectives of communication, communities and citizenship and human rights.”

Määttä Tuula, Sanna Lindroos, Laine Johanna: “The role of the immigrant associations and multicultural centers of promoting and advocating immigrants' social citizenship locally, nationally and globally”

Luka Agrez and Lea Sugman Bohinc: ” Global agenda of social work in education from two perspectives: epistemology of global agenda and its realization in direct practice ”

Julija Beliavskaja: “International social work: the migration quest in Lithuania”

Monica Boglea, Cristian Morariu, Alina Urzică, Marius Costineanu: ”Multicultural Issues in Jiu Valley”

**Fields of Interest in Global Agenda of Social Work and Education Scientific Contributions: Lectures**

Felicia Andrioni “The Global Agenda and contemporary tendencies in Social Work”

Kati Turtiainen "Forced migration as a concept and phenomenon"

Tuomo Kokonen "Active citizenship and changing ideas of social work. The case of activation policies in Finland"

Lea Sugman Bohinc "Global agenda of social work in education from two perspectives: epistemology of global agenda and its realization in direct practice"

Jan Hlousek "Social work in cyberspace"

Lavinia Popp and Felicia Andrioni „Vocational training - valid educational opportunity in youth unemployed- social work"

Jan Hlousek "MacDonaldisation of social work in public administration of social affairs in Czech Republic"

Melinda Szasz , Ana Păun "The distribution of financial resources by Petroșani administrative and territorial unit to social work field"

Camelia Barbu "Erasmus + in Petroșani – a way for evolution"

Jorge Ferreira and Maria João Pena "Education and intervention with homeless people in social work - the portuguese experience"

Roxana Pleșa "Psychosocial intervention and professional help - seeking behavior specialist"

Jonas Agdur "Incorporating or Widening- a research study of what factors that influence young peoples sense of participation in youth work"

Laura Marica, Felicia Andrioni, Mihaela Schmidt "The influence of occupational stress on social life of employees"

Justinas Sadauskas "Activities of social workers assisting social risk families to satisfy the needs of their children"

Felicia Andrioni, Remus Runcan, Patricia Runcan, Ion Petrică "The Jiu Valley – A files of true stories"



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*Cross-European Blended Learning of Part-time Students project financed by the European Association of Schools of Social Work*

**E A S S W**

### Project presentation

In the spring of 2014, during the annual reunion of the European Association of Schools of Social Work (EASSW), the Executive Committee agreed to finance the project "Cross-European Blended Learning of Part-time Students", which was elaborated by the University of Petrosani, the Department of Social Assistance, in partnership with five other European Universities that are members of ALLISW network: University of Jyväskylä – Kokkola, University Consortium Chydenius (Finland), University of Ljubljana

Faculty of Social Assistance Slovenia, University of Lisbon – School of Sociology and Public Politics (Portugal), University of Mykolas Romeris – Faculty of Technological Sciences with specialty in Social Assistance (Lithuania), University of Hradec Kralove – Department of Social Assistance (Czech Republic).

This project will create a new model - framework for this new form of blended learning – with the possibility to extend it internationally by developing its content from year to year.

**“When a door is closed, another opens but sometimes we look so hard at the door that was closed, we don't see the one which has been opened for us”  
Hellen Adams Keller**







## **The purpose of the Project**

The purpose of this Project is to consolidate the education in European social assistance, by offering a new type of participation on a short term, and by providing a new form of education in social assistance, internationalized with the help of virtual connections. These forms of education are intended especially for students which are not capable to utilize the options of international conventional mobility or the students that are working. The scope of this project is to establish a new form, based on blended learning, and developing a common mode, allowing an active European connection. Also it gives the possibility of common learning for students of Social Assistance, along with training of teachers of universities partners; in using this form of blended learning that benefits students.

## **Expected results in international and cross-cultural collaboration**

During the project the network between 6 universities will develop together a frame for a course consisting of various elements of distance-learning, co-operation through internet, intensive present week and presentation of the project product by students and teachers by internet and the European Conference of Schools of Social Work 2015.

Also, all the partners will develop the joint planning process of the course in sessions via internet with teachers and students and will watch the development and performance of the students shared pre-tasks.

Through this project the training module “International Social Work and Global Agenda - A bridge between Academia, Professionals and Students” will be created that incorporates objectives; theoretical reference, methodology and evaluation.

## **Expected contribution and outcomes of the project**

1. Equality in the internationalisation of Social Work Education: Active participation and international experience of those Social Work students who have minor options to use conventional forms of it.
2. Improved skills in using blended learning methods and IT-technology in Social Work teaching and learning. New European frame of Learning Module based on IT-technology and blended learning and which we can use with varying topics.
3. Internet-based learning material on Application of the Global Agenda of Social Work from various countries produced by the experiences of adult part time student experiences.

