

## EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
<b>Participant:</b>	<b>101089597 - COMUNA ULIES (ULIES)</b>
<b>PIC number:</b>	<b>917783737</b>
<b>Project name and acronym:</b>	<b>KÖZÖS JÖVŐ EURÓPÁBAN! COMMON FUTURE IN EUROPE! — ULIESCOMFU</b>

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<b>Event number:</b>	1
<b>Event name:</b>	COMMON FUTURE IN EUROPE!
<b>Type:</b>	MEETING – CONFERENCE, WORKSHOP, CULTURAL PROGRAMES
<b>In situ/online:</b>	<b>in-situ</b>
<b>Location:</b>	ROMANIA - COMUNA ULIES
<b>Date(s):</b>	[10-13.08.2023] – 01.01.2023 – 01.12.2023
<b>Website(s) (if any):</b>	<a href="https://kanyadkozseg.ro/index.php/eu-comm-fut">https://kanyadkozseg.ro/index.php/eu-comm-fut</a> <a href="https://www.kanyadkozseg.ro/">https://www.kanyadkozseg.ro/</a> <a href="https://www.comunaulies.ro/">https://www.comunaulies.ro/</a> <a href="https://www.comunaulies.ro/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=category&amp;layout=blog&amp;id=85&amp;Itemid=611">https://www.comunaulies.ro/index.php?option=com_content&amp;view=category&amp;layout=blog&amp;id=85&amp;Itemid=611</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/EuAftBr/">https://www.facebook.com/EuAftBr/</a>
Participants	
Female:	117
Male:	90
Non-binary:	0
From country 1 [HUNGARY]:	Örkény Város Önkormányzata – Female 42, Male 28 Total 70 invited participants
From country 2 [HUNGARY]:	DARUSZENTMIKLOS KOZSEG ONKORMANYZATA - Female 31, Male 29 Total 60 invited participants

From country 3 [CROATIA]:	OPCINA BREZNICKI HUM - Female 4, Male 4 Total 8 invited participants		
From country 4 [SERBIA]:	UDRUZENJE GRADJANA POKRET ZA MALE PIJACE - Female 22, Male 13 Total 35 invited participants		
From country 5 [SLOVAKIA]:	OBEC MAD - Female 18, Male 16 Total 34 invited participants (in the List of participants there is the Hungarian name of the organisation Nagymad Község Önkormányzata)		
Total number of participants:	207	From total number of countries:	5

### Description

*Provide a short description of the event and its activities.*

The event of the program took place in the village of Comuna Ulies, the hungarian name is Kányád and covered 4 days and was structured in such a way as to provide a varied and meaningful program: conferences, round table discussions, debates, lectures, study visits and cultural programs. The target group : citizens of Comuna Uliesi (1068 people), 207 international participants, indirect more than 10000 people from all Harghita county. During the implementation of the program, the organizing settlement involved the relevant civil organizations active in the area, entrepreneurs and local residents. A significant number of young volunteers helped organize the events. The aim of the project was for the partners participating in the project to think together about the actions that are absolutely necessary to create a safe and stable future, taking into account the direction in which Europe is moving. Lectures, round table discussions and debates contributed to the achievement of this goal. The presentations were given by experts from local and partner settlements, open questions and discussion took place at the end of each presentation. Among the speakers was Csaba Áron Jakab, the president of the Székelyudvarhely Association of Private Entrepreneurs, who gave a presentation on the economic and development opportunities provided by the EU, as well as on young people staying at home. These presentations outlined how different countries see the future of Europe, what steps need to be taken for the preservation and further development of the EU, through the common exchange of ideas, common thinking and cooperation. Active participation and the promotion of volunteerism also help young people to be more open, informed and to learn that they have to participate in the processes, not as an outside observer - this is what forges and builds the different nations in Europe -, having a say and participating through their vote is also was one of our important goals. The cultural and gastronomic programs, as well as visiting the built heritage in the area, contributed to getting to know each other better. The participating partners signed a memorandum of understanding for further long-term cooperation. We must strengthen young people's sense of European identity, we must make it clear to them the value of European civilization and the foundations on which the peoples of Europe want to build their development today, these are primarily the preservation of the principles of democracy, social justice and respect for human rights holding. It provides a space for EU citizens to get to know and understand the EU better, avoiding to a certain extent doubt in the institutions of the European Union, the majority of which stems from the fact that they do not, or do not know well, the operation and role of the EU. Getting to know each other better is the key to making these settlements feel like an integral part of Europe. Europe faces a challenging agenda over the coming years, and serious issues are at stake. Since decisions need

to be made and policies developed on issues such as economic growth, security and Europe's role in the world, it is even more important than before that citizens participate in the negotiations.

**AUGUST 10, 2023:**

Arrival and accommodation of guests.

Show yourself! Presentation of settlements with illustrative tools (film, pictures).

Dinner together and getting to know each other. One of the indispensable program points of our meeting was the introduction of the settlements, an exchange of ideas about European values, the cultural and historical identity of local people and citizens, and the future plans of the settlements. As an opening event, the Cultural and Historical Round Table facilitates the presentation of the reflections of the settlements on each other, the presentation of similarities, "brotherhood", the common cultural and historical heritage, as well as the future visions of the settlements, plans.

**AUGUST 11, 2023:**

Our future in Europe: how to stay in our homeland? The fight against the depopulation of small settlements. The partners signed a long-term letter of intent for cooperation. Discussion forum with the participation of delegations, the population, and local/regional decision-makers. EU tour: What application opportunities does the EU offer. Respecting the past: visiting the Mini Erdély park, Székelyudvarhely.

Exploring the causes of Euroscepticism among young people by strengthening participatory democracy. Mapping tender opportunities. We are trying to make everyone in the EU aware of the positive results of the EP elections and Romania's consecutive presidency

the goal was to increase trust. The involvement of as many age groups as possible would greatly facilitate the fulfillment of our basic objectives - building a common future based on the exchange of experiences, strengthening volunteerism and innovative solutions.

**AUGUST 12, 2023:**

Our children's Europe and volunteering: what steps should we take now to leave our children a Europe where they can live well and safely. Everyone regardless of gender and age will participate in the cultural, musical, historical and gastronomic cavalcade, many local volunteers will take part in the organization.

Young people, children, the elderly, families, even those with limited mobility and disadvantaged situations, for whom this series of events aims to create opportunities in the field of the European spirit, where everyone can feel equal, on the full spectrum of equal opportunities.

**AUGUST 13, 2023:**

Evaluation of the meeting, summary of results.

An overview of common responses to the question of democracy building and solidarity.

Departure of guests.

The project expressed its values: educational, cultural, informational, sports and gastronomic. We approached the participants in such a way as to contribute to two-

way communication and the dissemination of interesting ideas about the presented project and the EU without any discrimination. During the activities, the participating nations got to know each other. We guided all participants to our chosen topics in the project. The benefit of the project was cultural cooperation in a cross-border space having a concrete impact on improving the quality of life in the partner municipalities. In the aspect of cross-border cooperation, social problems were solved through cultural dialogue, the benefit was the transfer of culture and education. By getting to know each other, getting to know the culture of the other partner municipalities, and through close cooperation, the residents have united into one whole, regardless of state borders. The needs of the project depended on the needs of the target group. By meeting the participants, a space for greater tolerance and understanding was created. The project was built precisely on culture, traditions, history of the EU and the common values of tolerance, democracy, solidarity, and the fight against growing prejudices. By bringing these elements to the fore through the activities, the project's contribution to building a common identity was highlighted. The understanding of the need for a common European future was reflected in a change in thinking about the EU, and consequently a sense of ownership of the EU was promoted. One of the needs was to focus on highlighting the advantages and achievements of the EU and, on the contrary, to get rid of criticism of the EU, because all these aspects affect the everyday life of citizens. The project was also a practical expression of its benefits. The cultural and linguistic diversity of the EU was highlighted by the presentation of culture, gastronomic traditions and languages of all participants.

HISTORY OF CHANGES		
VERSION	PUBLICATION DATE	CHANGE
1.0	01.04.2022	Initial version (new MFF).