

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

PROJECT	
Participant:	Ayuntamiento de Padrón
PIC number:	931881523
Project name and acronym:	Strengthening European Identity in times of crisis – us4EU

EVENT DESCRIPTION	
Event number:	Nº4
Event name:	The Role Of Women In The Europe Of The XXI Century
Type:	Lecture, conference, workshop
In situ/online:	[in-situ]
Location:	Andrychów, Poland
Date(s):	March 13th – 16th, 2024
Website(s) (if any):	https://radioandrychow.pl/liceum-ugoscilo-36-gosci-z-16-krajow-uniiuropejskiej/?fbclid=IwAR3e0UpTSdt7xSVTJxyB7s72zxxIL0sAWNBSe2LpTB0PgVOWkmSPtlb2a08_aem_ASIJsXUqleRSZqzzHEMpu0QP_bA4RIN0m2vB2iVLgN32PrmUqKP01TgsVQyEYpLKlaZq_RalH3GX8UpTjym1-3D https://www.facebook.com/wadowicki/posts/pfbid0Z7nFgutBjqEsCsgoTx5UUT3i11CgDLsAtzs8C2eHWh6F2FMW7VbuKS9iXUByjRdl
Participants	
Female:	46
Male:	32
Non-binary:	0
From country 1 Belgium:	2
From country 2 Czech Republic:	2
From country 3 France:	3
From country 4 Germany:	2
From country 5 Greece:	1
From country 6 Hungary:	1
From country 7 Italy:	3
From country 8 Latvia:	2

From country 9 Lithuania:	2		
From country 10 Malta:	6		
From country 11 Portugal:	1		
From country 12 Poland:	41		
From country 13 Romania:	2		
From country 14 Slovakia:	1		
From country 15 Spain:	5		
From country 16 Sweden:	1		
Total number of participants:	78	From total number of countries:	16

Description

Provide a short description of the event and its activities.

The fourth event of the Project "us4EU" was held in Andrychow, Poland, from 13th to 16th March 2024. It gathered 78 participants, including representatives from 16 partner organizations across all Europe.

Activities:

It featured a program combining participatory activities with conferences and debates. Firstly, the "Role of Women in 21st Century Europe" addressed contemporary societal issues concerning gender equality, women's civic participation, and challenges and achievements in this domain. Secondly, discussions centered around the "Achievements of the European Union throughout its History," highlighting the EU's contributions to peace, prosperity, social cohesion, environmental protection, and global cooperation.

The program included sessions with distinguished speakers, panel discussions, workshops, and cultural visits to local landmarks funded by EU projects. Participants had the opportunity to engage in meaningful discussions, share experiences, and learn from each other's perspectives.

The event received extensive coverage on social media platforms, generating around 3800 thousand impressions, and attracted local media attention, including interviews and live coverage on Local Radio Andrychow.

Various activities were organized to facilitate engagement and learning. These included conferences and debates featuring experts and community leaders, presentations and panels showcasing success stories and relevant examples, guided tours of the host city and its projects funded by EU funds, and workshops and participatory activities encouraging collaboration and idea exchange among participants from diverse backgrounds.

PROGRAM OF ACTIVITIES

Wednesday 13 March

18:00 – First transport from City Center in Kraków to Andrychów

19:30 – Check in and welcome

20:00 – Presentation of the participants – Welcome dinner

23:00 – Second transport from the Airport in Kraków to Andrychów

Thursday 14 March

9:00 - Transport from hotel to school

9:30 – Greetings and welcome by Mayors and the Director of the school

Mrs. Katarzyna Przebinda (Director of the School)

Mr. Tomasz Zak – Mayor of Andrychow (Poland)

Mr. Anxo Rei – Mayor of Padrón (Spain)

Topic – European Index Gender Equality And The Role Of Women

10:15 - Student presentation: welcome to Andrychow!

10:30 - 1st Conference – *Mr. Jerzy Buzek*, EU Member of European Parliament and former president of the Republic of Poland – Lecture on “The achievements of the European Union throughout its history”

11:45 – Coffee break

11:40 - 2nd Conference – The role of women in the Europe of XXI Century through successful examples:

Ms. Dorota Niedziela – Vice Marshal of the Polish National Parliament

Ms. Beata Lyson – Local councillor

Ms. Aneta Lachendro – Artist

Mrs. Jonathan Kruczek – Colombian Migrant integrated in Andrychow

12:30 - Lunch – Mickiewicz Restaurant

14:00 – Park Inwald visit to the territory

16:00 – Czarny Groń – a lift ride to the top of the slope

17:30 – Anteck Pond – sustainable tourism in Andrychow and other projects funded by EU

20:00 – Dinner at Kocierz Spa including musicians

Friday 15 March

9:00 – Workshop – presentation of the handbook – “Achievements of the European Union in each country” Intervention of the different delegations in the Andrychow City Hall

12:00 – Museum – House of Jan Pawel II in Wadowice

13:30 – Lunch at Pestka Restaurant

15:00 – Guided visit to the Cathedral and Center of Wadowice

20:00 – Presentation of the last event in Kekava –Riga (Latvia)

20:15 – Evaluation of the event

20:30 – Dinner in Hotel IBIS ZEMTRUM

Saturday 16 March

8:00 – Breakfast and departure

Results:

The event yielded several outcomes. Participants gained increased awareness and understanding of women's roles in European society and the EU's impact across different sectors. Moreover, it strengthened participants' sense of belonging to the EU by fostering discussions and exchanges among individuals from various European countries. Active participation in debates and activities empowered attendees, promoting their commitment to building a more inclusive and cohesive Europe. Additionally, the event facilitated networking and collaboration, laying the groundwork for future cooperation and the exchange of ideas and best practices among participating countries and organizations.

Overall, participants provided positive feedback on the event, commending the organizers for the high-quality program, logistical arrangements, and conducive networking opportunities. The evaluation survey indicated satisfaction with accommodation, meals, logistics, meeting facilities, speaker quality, and the overall experience of the event. Participants appreciated the warm atmosphere, diverse topics, and engaging activities, highlighting the success of the event in promoting European identity and fostering collaboration among participants from different countries.

HISTORY OF CHANGES

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