



Bridging the Gap in Digital skills for migrants and refugees



THE PROJECT

DIGITALL 4 MIGRANTS

"DigitAll 4 Migrants" targets digital inequalities among migrants and refugees in Europe, exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic. The project recognizes the vital role of digital access and skills in economic and social spheres. The pandemic underscored the significance of these capabilities, revealing a digital divide due to unequal internet access and digital literacy.

The consortium is comprised of three organizations: Kista Folkhögskola (Sweden, the project's coordinating entity), Consorzio l'Arcolaio (Italy), and Asociación Progesión (Spain). All three organizations work for the social inclusion of migrant and refugee communities through education and social intervention.

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WHAT IS THE DIGITAL DIVIDE BETWEEN MIGRANTS AND LOCALS?

The digital divide between migrants, refugees, and local populations in European countries refers to the disparities in access to and proficiency in digital technologies. Migrants and refugees may face **challenges in acquiring the necessary skills and resources to navigate the digital world effectively**, and therefore, to be ready for the fulfillment of certain rights and duties that require a minimum level of digital competence. Factors contributing to this divide include limited access to the internet, lower levels of digital literacy, language barriers, and socio-economic constraints among migrants and refugees.

In contrast, the local population in European countries generally has better access to digital infrastructure, educational opportunities, and support systems, which can contribute to higher digital literacy rates. **The divide can impact various aspects of life, including employment opportunities, education, social integration, and access to essential services.**

With the project "DigitAll 4 Migrants" **we aim to bridge this gap by providing support, training, and resources to enhance the digital capabilities of migrants and refugees**, fostering greater inclusion in the digital society of their host countries.

PROJECT RESULTS

RESULT 1

Methodological framework for identifying the digital divide and its application for the target group

RESULT 2

Toolkits of knowledge transfer to address the common digital needs for each partner

RESULT 3

OER - Resource base to overcome the digital gap in migrant population

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