

**ALL DIGITAL Newsletter** [View this email in your browser](#)  
**November 2021**



**Dear Reader,**

We are ready to share with you the most important news in our sector occurred in October and November! In October we organised the **ALL DIGITAL Summit** in Rome, the main meeting point of all our members and stakeholders. Check the **Summit Report** to know what happened.

ALL DIGITAL has been also busy in its **advocacy** work and participated in the 2nd meeting of the Expert Group on tackling disinformation and promoting digital literacy through education and training. We are also happy to announce the **ALL DIGITAL Weeks dates**: Our annual awareness campaign will start on 14 March and finish on 14 April. Save the date!  
 We have researched **new funding opportunities** for you and we suggest to consult the Erasmus+ 2022 call for proposals!

We are glad to invite you to participate to the **Social Hackademy** final policy event last week on 7 December and to contribute in the **DigComp 2.2 validation survey**, finalising the work of the CoP led by JRC.

The ALL DIGITAL Network has also many upcoming activities and events, policy works, open calls, available, apart from conferences, and resources...and last but not least: get the updates on all the projects we work on.

Yours,

ALL DIGITAL Team

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**ALL DIGITAL SUMMIT 2021 REPORT**

On 13-15 October the ALL DIGITAL Summit 2021 was held online. We had more than 500 registered participants over the 3 days, more than 50 speakers ranging from renowned EU policymakers, stakeholders involved in digital inclusion, academics and young hackers. We enjoyed the networking possibilities, and more than 250 online meetings were scheduled. This event looked at how digital skills and digital tools unlock and amplify the subjects of STE(A)M Education and Digital Social Innovation, how they solve real world problems and add value to the beneficiaries.

[Read the report](#)

**Social Hackademy Webinar**

The Social Hackademy is wrapping up the project with a final online policy event taking place on **December 7 at 18:00 (CET)**.

Focusing on the impact of the Social Hackademy in Croatia, France, Greece, and Italy, this event dives into **policy recommendations to support the implementation of the Social Hackademy's inclusive and collaborative educational methodology** and bring together policymakers, local authorities and education providers, this event is a great opportunity to learn about the Social Hackademy project and take part in a mini hack!

The event is co-hosted by MEP Montiz Körner.

Join us to find out how you can kickstart your own Social Hackademy!

[Register here](#)

**ALL DIGITAL is member of the EC Expert Group on**

**tackling disinformation**

All Digital is very pleased to be part of the European Commission Expert Group on tackling disinformation and promoting digital literacy through education and training which is directly contributing to action 7 of the Digital Education Action Plan (2021-2027). To know more read [here](#).

**ALL DIGITAL Weeks (14 March - 14 April 2022)**

**Save the date**  
**ALL DIGITAL Weeks**  
 14 March - 14 April 2022  
 Enhancing skills and competences for the digital transformation

**We are hiring a Project Officer**

As a Project Officer, you will be joining our international team at ALL DIGITAL AISBL, in Brussels. You will be responsible for managing and implementing EU-funded projects and related activities and events, supporting policy advocacy and fundraising efforts, and developing services for ALL DIGITAL members. [Apply now!](#)

**EU Funds Training Course - November 2021**

For the field of Adult Education and Digital Skills, and The five-day in-person training, part of the blended course on "How to prepare an Erasmus+ KA2 Cooperation Partnerships project proposal in the field of adult education and digital skills" organised by ALL and EGINA, was successfully held from 8 to 12 November 2021 in the beautiful town of Folgno, in Italy. The course was attended by professionals working in the adult education sector in different European countries. [Read more.](#)

**Resources**

**Erasmus+ 2022 call for proposals is out!**

Many interesting funding opportunities are available such as:

- Mobility of learners and staff
- Cooperation partnerships, including small-scale
- Centres of Vocational Excellence, Teachers academies
- Capacity building for VET/International cooperation

For more information see:

- [Call for proposals 2022 – EACIA09/2021](#)
- [Factsheet](#)
- [Erasmus+ nearly €3.9 billion in 2022 for mobility and cooperation in education, training, youth and sport](#)

**Have your say: DigComp 2.2 Public Online Validation Survey**

The DigComp 2.2 public online validation survey has been extended until **December 7**. This allows more time for you to have your say on the most relevant examples for all 21 competences. Please consider that your contribution to the validation process is greatly appreciated so that we can successfully accomplish the efforts made so far! Participating in a survey takes some 8-15 minutes of your time, there is no need to register nor leave your personal data.

**Download your Smart Cities Body of Knowledge book**

The **Smart Cities Body of Knowledge** book collects research, analysis and deliverables done in the last three years and organizes them in what is the first attempt to systematically approach the topic of required smart cities competences.

Moreover, it addresses the main question regarding the need of specialized professionals for the development of smart cities and whether this specialization constitutes one or more new, discrete professions(s). Fill in the form to [download the book](#).

**Through School Students' Eyes - OBESSU Report**

"Through School Students' Eyes: Impact and Challenges of Covid19 on Education Systems in Europe" is a research report that seeks to amplify school students' voices bridging the last two academic years disrupted by the pandemic. It focuses on the instruction they received, its contents and modalities, students' overall well-being, and their views on the actions to take in order to "build back better".

The full report is available [here](#).

**News from our members**

**Over 500 thousand people reached by the project CONNECTED LITHUANIA activities.**

Three and a half years ago ALL DIGITAL member association LANGAS J ATEIT and partners launched the project "Connected Lithuania: an Efficient, Secure and Responsible Lithuanian Digital Community" (Connected Lithuania) and set an ambitious goal - to help the LT population to improve their digital skills and learn to use ICT and the Internet efficiently, safely and responsibly. At the finish line the project achieved delightful results - more than 104 thousand adults of LT voluntarily attended the courses to improve their digital skills. Overall, over 500 thousand people participated in all project activities. [Learn more.](#)

**Vocational Education and Training in the post-covid era – EVBB Event on 2 December**

VET can support the momentum of the European economy, offering modern education, through lifelong learning, and by equipping employees with knowledge and skills that are in great demand. For this purpose, new policies should be designed to support a fast recovery. The development of the so much needed, green, and digital skills has become an eminent demand, while transversal skills have become of the utmost importance.

The EVBB public event will take place on 2 December and focus on achieving excellence through internationalization and put in practice the partnership between VET and Business sector and knowledge sharing. [Learn more.](#)

**Cyprot Hackers at the European Cybersecurity Competition (ECSC)**

The Cyprus Cybersecurity Team ranked 6th at the European Cyber Security Challenge (ECSC) held in Prague. [Learn more.](#)

**IDCERT launches "IDCERT Competence Center" to boost digital skilling for citizens**

The Italian member IDCERT (International Digital Certification) has launched a new initiative on Repubblica Digitale, the program coordinated by the Digital Transformation Department of the Italian Government. IDCERT Competence Center allows to companies, organisations and schools to start to provide IDCERT Digital Certifications to citizens and boost their Digital Literacy. [Learn more.](#)

**The Good DEEDs – Digital Energy Efficiency Designers**

The Good DEEDs – Digital Energy Efficiency Designers – is a KA2 Erasmus+ Project coordinated by EGINA Srl (European Grants International Academy). The project started in 2021 and will last until June 2023. It addresses 3 main topics:

- ICT – new technologies;
- Digital competences Environment and climate change;
- Social/environmental responsibility of educational institutions.

The general objective of the project is to develop and test a methodology and a learning platform for VET teachers and students, aimed at fostering a continuous and sustainable growth strategy of sectoral competences on digital energy efficiency. [Learn more.](#)

**The Somos Sia project has been awarded the "ALL DIGITAL Award 2021" for best Digital Resource**

The Somos Sia project has been awarded the "ALL DIGITAL Award 2021" for best Digital Resource during the ALL DIGITAL Conference last month. This project was the result of a creative and research process on Artificial Intelligence, developed by the AUPEX team (Asociación de Universidades Populares de Extremadura) and funded by the Regional Government of Extremadura. [Learn more.](#)

**Media consumption and media literacy in Belarus in August 2021**

The results of the survey "Media consumption and media literacy in Belarus in August 2021" conducted by the Baltic Internet Policy Initiative contains data on the attitudes Belarusians use to get information and sources they trust, their attitudes towards media; ability to identify fake news, etc. Check the slides to [learn more](#) about how Belarusians use the internet to consume information.

**Projects to look at**

**Raising Awareness Campaign on Cybercrimes live on RAYUELA channels!**

ALL DIGITAL has developed and launched an online raising awareness campaign on cybercrimes affecting young people within the digital environment. Through the RAYUELA channels and ALL DIGITAL social media channels the campaign shares questions and potential answers to stimulate the reflection on what we know about the topic, how to support young audiences and prevent cybercrimes.

Like, share and comment on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

**STEAMonEdu final conference at the ALL DIGITAL Summit**

STEAMonEdu final conference has been focused on three main aspects related to the field of STE(A)M education: the results from STEAMonEdu project, the current innovations within STE(A)M and , the future challenges in the field.

Participants to the event gain knowledge on the latest achievements, EU positions and action plans to support and facilitate broader adoption of integrated STE(A)M within the educational system. They learn more about the activities promoted by STEAMonEdu project, its aims and outcomes related to the community of stakeholders, the professional development of educators, and the tools and training developed.

For further information, the recording of the event, the [Press Release](#), [pictures](#) of the event, and [speakers' presentations](#).

**Social Hackademy International Conference highlights the #HackAD success stories**

The conference featured presentations of project results, testimonials from Social Hackademy Labs participants, inspiring keynote speakers and insightful discussions on success factors and impact of co-creation activities. If you missed the conference or would just like to refresh your memory head to our website to read the summary of the conference or watch the recording of it. [Read more here](#)

**Team Allimenta #Zerohunger2 from Italy awarded Social Hackademy Award 2021**

The Social Hackademy Award 2021 was organized during the Social Hackademy International Conference that took place on 15 October 2021 during ALL DIGITAL Summit 2021. Four winners of Social Hackathons in Croatia, France, Greece and Italy competed for the award. The winner was selected by a jury panel composed of experts in digital skills development, ICT, social entrepreneurship, co-creation processes and project development. Check what solutions teams developed and highlights from the Award ceremony on our website. [Read more here!](#)

**The final conference highlights the successes of the DevOps Competences for Smart**

**Cities project**

On 25 November 2021 Smart DevOps project consortium organised the final conference. Project partners presented the methodologies, tools and results of the 3-year project and how it contributes to bridging the skills gap between today's and future's demands in Smart Cities ecosystems. Summary of the presentations and recording of the conference are published here. [Read more here.](#)

**ICT 4 the elderly partners' meeting, final events and resources**

November has been a very intense month for **ICT 4 the elderly** as the project is coming to an end at the end of the month: Partners' meeting, final event, multiplier events in each country, wrapping up and making plans on how to use the results of the project in the future. You can read more about the Belgian event here. In this blogpost, we talk about the partners' final meeting and international event in Geneva. Meanwhile, our [Best practice collection](#) and [Training Manual](#) are already available for free download under [Resources](#) on our website.

**What is the added value of a doctorate degree for a job outside academia?**

DocEnhance has invited non-academic employers to fill a consultation survey about the added value of a PhD. The survey targets non-academic employers – human resources, or management. The main themes of the questionnaire are the recruitment of doctorate holders; skills and competencies needed in within the organisation as well as collaboration with universities and research organisations. Results are going to be published soon! [Sign up for the newsletter.](#)

**Meet the BIBLIO MOOC experts**

The BIBLIO MOOC is one of the most successful online courses for librarians, with over 1000 registered participants. It ran over the last two months (8 weeks), starting on 4th October, and ending next Monday, 29th November. As part of the MOOC, participants have met live every Monday with renowned experts during 1 hour-long webinars on the topics studied during the previous week.

More than 20 experts have shared their experience, research, good practices during the webinars and would like to introduce them to you. Check our website to meet the experts from webinars #1-#3, #4-#6, and #7-#8

**CrAL project in a nutshell - leaflet about the project now available**

While project partners are busy developing training materials for implementation of the Creative Audiovisual Writing and Reading methodology and CrAL Online Platform (it will be launched in December 2021) we prepared a leaflet that presents the project in a nutshell. It explains what challenges of Generation Z we want to tackle with the CrAL project and how we are going to do that. It is available in 6 languages on the [project's website](#).

**The 3D-PRINT revolution has just started!**

The introductory pilot training on 3D printing has just started and it is available in English, Greek, Italian and Portuguese. The pilot will end in December and a cycle of training will be opened straight after. Everyday objects can be designed and printed with 3D technology. Stay updated on the [training programme](#) and the next actions!

**AMELIE training for trainers on how to tackle online hate speech**

Twelve trainers from Italy, Greece, Germany, Romania, Belgium, and Bulgaria gathered in Folgno last week from 15th to 19th November for a one-week long training of trainers on how to tackle online hate speech. The five days were packed with information, field visits and practical exercises on the beta version of the online platform. Read more about what the trainers learned from this [blogpost](#). To stay tuned with the project, follow it [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).

**Updates from TRANSVAL-EU**

During the last few months, the research activities in TRANSVAL-EU have intensified. The state-of-the-art report on validation of transversal competences framework on transversal competences, available in the first ever Common Research Conference. Meanwhile, if you want to know what validation practices already exist, check out these overviews from [Italy](#), [Belgium](#), [Austria](#), [Poland](#) and [Lithuania](#).

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