

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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 Please provide one sheet per event (one event = one workpackage = one lump sum.)

PROJECT	
Participant:	[1] - [ASSOCIAZIONE ARCI SOLIDARIETA ONLUS] [2] - [ASSOCIATION COMMUNITY/CENTRE SOCIAL JEAN FERRAT CULTURE ET ANIMATION] [3] - [FAKTOR TERMINÁL EGYESÜLET] [6] – [Mandragola Editrice Società Cooperativa di Giornalisti] [7] - [SZUBJEKTIV ERTEKEK ALAPITVANY] [9] - [ALTERA]
PIC number:	[943111213] [947747037] [919913663] [900110046] [949551625] [931406223]
Project name and acronym:	[WORDS OF EUROPE] — [WE]

EVENT DESCRIPTION	
Event number:	[1]
Event name:	[Definition of the participatory European vocabulary]
Type:	[workshop, awareness-raising, debate]
In situ/online:	in-situ
Location:	[Italy], [Rome, Turin] [Hungary], [Budapest] [France], [Arques]
Date(s):	Rome 19.12.2022 Rome 25.01.2023 Rome 26.01.2023 Turin 25.01.2023 Turin 30.01.2023 Turin 31.01.2023 Arques 23.01.2023 Arques 25.01.2023 Arques 28.01.2023

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Website(s) (if any):	https://www.wordsofeurope.eu/		
Participants			
Female:	181		
Male:	116		
Non-binary:	4		
From country 1 [ITALY]:	146		
From country 2 [FRANCE]:	47		
From country 3 [HUNGARY]:	108		
Total number of participants:	301	From total number of countries:	3
Description			
<i>Provide a short description of the event and its activities.</i>			
<p>Partners organised 16 events in December 2022 and January 2023 in the cities of Rome, Turin, Arques and Budapest involving participants from Italy, France and Hungary. Before realizing the initiatives, partners shared common methodologies and consolidated the goals and action plan for the WP. The main objective of the WP was to collect the keywords, imaginaries, narratives, ideas and expectations on the European Union and on the future of Europe of participants involved. This work is preliminary to all other WPs of the project and constitute the first step to build “Words of Europe” dictionary aimed at enhancing citizens’ participation through a bottom-up process.</p> <p>Methodology. Association community provided an online training for partners on the methodology of “World cafés” on 28.11.2022. After the training the partners agreed on an additional methodology to be used in the meetings: the “future dialogues”. The first method helps participants to feel they are in a safe and informal space in which they can freely express their opinions, the second is useful to make participants think positively about a close and possible future.</p> <p>Implementation. The events were all conceived to provide useful information about the European Union in the opening and collect the opinions and ideas of participants on the EU and its future. Partners reached out participants from different backgrounds: migrants, young people including students and future first time voters, representatives of civil society organization, volunteers, citizens in general. The debates were mostly conducted working in small groups so as to guarantee the participation of all people involved. The main aim of each event was to collect the keywords of Europe according to the feelings, backgrounds and ideas of participants. It was also an opportunity to start building the network and community of Words of Europe and make sure participants acknowledged the opportunity of the project to participate more in the life of the Eu towards the European elections. At the end of the events participants chose the main “words of Europe” through a participatory methodology. All words collected are archived for future use in the different phases of the project, but it was crucial to shift from an individual perspective (“the words I bring”) to a collective one (“the words the plenary of citizens choose”).</p> <p>Reporting. To ensure the correct reporting, the coordinator Arci Solidarietà requested to all participating partners to produce one EDS for each organized events in addition to the obligatory documents such as the signature lists and pictures. In this way partners can better archive detailed descriptions about each initiative and better share experiences and best practices. Specific guidelines for events to organize the work before, during and after events have been shared with partners before</p>			

the start of the activities. Moreover, WE project approved specific documents (conduct policy and the guidelines for inclusion) to prevent any discrimination during the events and empower the participants to enhance their participation.

Communication. Mandragola participated in all the events in Rome, creating social media contents and podcasts dedicated to WE initiatives. The partner is also constantly updating the website with the narrative and results of the different events with all information provided by partners <https://www.wordsofeurope.eu/> Moreover, the events and related results are shared in the social networks of the project (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, LinkedIn).