BASELINE SURVEY
ÀMBIT (PP5), SPAIN

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Organizations identified and studied

Civil Society

- Xano Channel
- CEAR
- Movimiento Contra la Intolerancia
- Jarit
- Fundación Al Fanar
- Centre Delàs d'Estudis per la Pau
- Islamic Centre of Valencia
- IECAH (Inst. Of Studies on Conflicts and Humanitarian Action)

Prisons

- **Platform of 3rd Sector Entities Working in Prison:
  SJM; Pastoral Penitenciaria; Entreculturas; Obra mercedaria;**
- ACAIP (Agrupación Cuerpos Admón. de Inst. Penitenciarias)

Public Institutions

- **Real Instituto Elcano – Program on Global Terrorism**
- CITCO (Intelligence Centre against Terrorism and Organised Crime
- Fundación Pluralismo y Convivencia.
- BCN Acció Intercultural
- Ministeries, regional and local govs.

Media & Internet

- **Córdoba TV**
- WebIslam
- SomosMás
- Stop Rumores
- EsGlobal
- StopRadicalismos

Good Practice

MINDb4ACT: Innovative, ethical and effective actions to tackle radicalization leading to violent extremism

- This project has received **funding** from the European Union's Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation Programme Grant Agreement No 740543

- Its **aim** is to develop a comprehensive approach to violent radicalization in the EU from early understanding to improving protection.

- **Duration:** September 2017 – August 2020.

- **Consortium partners:** Project coordinator is Real Instituto Elcano (Madrid, Spain) with a consortium consisting of 18 partners from 10 European countries.

- **Contact:** Francisco Andrés y Carola García-Calvo (RIE)

Priority 1. Systematizing the available knowledge and expertise to support strategic decision-making

Priority 2. Enhancing interdisciplinary fieldwork on terrorists' recruiting grounds, socialisation and techniques

Priority 3. Using big data in order to analyse the information related to the communication practices of violent radicalisation

Priority 4. Improving existing links between academia including non-EU researchers, policy-makers and other stakeholders

- 7 agencies + security forces from 5 countries

- The Project intends to be useful for the stakeholders involved with prevention policies. To do so, it will use scientific evidences and research results to develop 21 pilot projects in 5 prioritary areas for violent radicalization: schools, prisons, detention centers of migrants and asylum seekers, urban areas and communication and internet contexts. The evaluation of these Project will be used as a criteria to wether incorpórate them or not to National strategies of member states.

- The Project will also develop:
  - 6 scientific missions
  - A scientific paper on the process of radicalization and an evaluation on rehabilitation practices
  - Impact analysis of mass media and internet
  - Psycosocial analysis of self-radicalization
  - A macro-survey for stakeholders
  - An analysis on how intelligence forces are evaluating the problema
  - An online network of interested stakeholders
  - Training courses for professionals

Good Practice

Peace Education by Tackling Youth Radicalization and Extremism – PETYRE

• **PROGRAMME:** ERASMUS +
• **KEY ACTION:** Training Course for Youth Workers
• **NUMBER:** 2017-1-ES02-KA105-009429
• **VENUE:** Xátiva (Valencia), SPAIN
• **DATES:** 15th – 21st October 2017
• **PROMOTER:** Xano Channel Asociación para el desarrollo comunitario
• **PARTNERS:** 9 organizations from 9 different European Countries
• **CONTACT:** Elena Bruno

PETYRE Project is a Training Course for Youth Workers that aims at tackling Youth Radicalization and Extremisms through:

• PREVENTION STRATEGIES
• SOCIAL COHESION
• INTERCULTURAL DIALOGUE

MAIN OBJECTIVES
• To raise awareness about youth radicalization and analyze causes and recruitment strategies
• To provide participants with knowledge, tools and competences to prevent and tackle youth extremism (i.e. Conflict resolutions, dialogue facilitation, counter narratives,
etc.)
• To learn and test young-person centered approach in designing educative methodologies
• To promote cooperation between youth organizations and other relevant stakeholders on this topic.

METHODOLOGY
All the Activity Program has been implemented through non-formal education and learning by doing methods.
Participants have been provided with theoretical knowledge and got familiar with innovative tools, methodologies and strategic interventions.

Good Practice

Strong Cities Network

- The SCN is made up of mayors, municipal-level policy makers and practitioners united in building social cohesion and community resilience against violent extremism in all its forms.
- The global network is currently made up of more than 100 cities. Membership is completely free of charge. Malaga is the only Spanish one so far.

- Facilitate systematic sharing of knowledge, expertise and lessons learned on building social cohesion and community resilience to prevent violent extremism across cities on an international basis, through both regional workshops and international conferences.

- Raise awareness of existing policy, programming, and practice through a dynamic and searchable 'Online Information Hub', providing an extensive library of existing local approaches and responses to prevent violent extremism.

- Directly support cities to develop strategic frameworks and capabilities to build resilience that safeguard the rights of their local communities, including through capacity building seminars and interactive training modules on themes of mutual interest.

Relevant practices

regardining integration and intercultural dialogue

Manual for preventing and detecting racism, xenophobia and other forms of intolerance in the classroom – FRIDA PROJECT

- Ministerio de Empleo y Seguridad Social, through the Spanish Observatory of Racism and Xenophobia–OBERAXE–, part of the Secretaría General de Inmigración y Emigración. Also collaborates: Centro Nacional de Innovación e Investigación Educativa (CNIIE) del Ministerio de Educación Cultura y Deporte.
- It aims to improve the skills and awareness of teachers and the entire educative Community by reinforcing the positive visión, integration and inclusión of migrants and ethnic minorities.

Kifkif: comics against islamophobia

- Foundation Al Fanar
- Aim: promoting through comics, games and workshops interculturality and the inclusion of muslim youngsters within their context.
- With a better inclusion they fight islamophobia.
- Understanding the complexity of identities.
- Break rumors, prejudices and stereotypes.
- Included in CEV Policy Conference: Promoting Inclusion, Preventing Extremism (PIPE)

Stop Rumores

- Strategy of communicative and social impact.
- Aim: Fight in the long run against negative stereotupes and rumours that impede a diverse way of living together.
- Federación Andalucía Acoge, funded by the Ministerio de Empleo y Seguridad Social and European Fund for asylum, migration and integration.
- Online campaigning through "agents"

Other relevant practices

Stop Radicalismos

- Ministerio del Interior + CITCO
- Part of the Strategic National Plan to Fight Violent Radicalisation
- Strategic Campaign against propaganda from Daesh
- Creation of a Coordination Centre of Information on Radicalization (CCIR)
- Website + ponenumber + app for citizens' collaboration

#SomosMas

- Campaign against hate and radicalism.
- Ministeries; AWARE Network; Youtube Creators for Change.
- Aims: preventing and raising awareness of hate speech and violent radicalization .
- Workshops for more than 28.000 youngsters in schools.

De-radicalization Plan for Yihadi Inmates

- Soto del Real and Burgos (Spanish Prisons)
- Based on an experience by Dounia Bouzar (Prevention Centre Against the Sectarian Derivatives related to Islam).
- Only some measures carried out in Spain, and during a limited amount of time (it could only work in long term).

Training Course by ACAIP

- Communication, early warning and intervention strategies: Contributions for the de-radicalization in Spanish prisons.
- University of Malaga + Fundación Sociedad y Justicia.

Relevant international institutions/organisations/programmes

- PREVENT programmes: Building Cohesive and Resilient Communities. Shereen Williams, Leeds

- Radicalization Awareness Network

- Strong Cities Network

- Let's Talk About It (UK)

- AWARE (Alliance of Women Against Radicalization and Extremism)

- Prevention Centre Against the Sectarian Derivatives related to Islam. Dounia Bouzar

Conclusions

- Funding difficulties except for European programmes.

- Spain has got a limited expertise regarding: terrorism and radicalization but also integration and diversity management.

- Many misconceptions and misunderstandings regarding programmes and policy-making when it comes to Muslim community.

- Preventing exclusion and discrimination seems essential to prevent radicalization and extremism.

- Civil Society entities and public institutions seem to have very different approaches, especially those involving security forces. An approach based on interculturality, active citizenship, equality and a human rights perspective seems essential at the moment.