

The project «From the Costa da Morte making a better Europe» financed with the support of the European Union within the framework of the "Europe for Citizens" Program

Applicable to Strand 2- Measure 2.1 "Town twinning"

Participation: The town twinning project "From the Costa da Morte making a better Europe", promoted by the Santa Comba City Council (Spain), involved a total of 59 citizens from all over Europe: 8 participants from the Comune di Mandanici (Italy), 7 participants from the Municipality of Pinhel (Portugal), 6 participants from the Municipality of Msida (Malta), 8 participants from the Municipality of Posesti (Romania) and 8 participants from the Municipality of Olesnica (Poland), 8 participants from the Municipality of Tar (Hungary)), 9 participants from the Municipality of Knezha (Bulgaria) and 5 participants from the Municipality of Glabusovce (Slovakia).

Place / Dates: The City Twinning event took place in Santa Comba (Spain) from 25/10/2021 to 30/10/2021.

Short description:

Día I - 25/10/2021

Arrival of the delegation of project partners at the Santiago de Compostela and A Coruña airports and subsequent transfer to the municipality of Santa Comba.

Welcome by the mayor, the councilors and the civil society of Santa Comba. Presentation of the participants and organizations.

Transfer to the hotel.

Night: Typical Galician welcome dinner

Día II - 26/10/2021

Morning: Seminar, Press Conference, Debate

Ceremony in the town hall to place flags of participating countries and anthems. presentation of the project.

Lunch

Afternoon: Round table in the Multipurpose Building of Santa Comba: "Women and conciliation at work within the EU." Meeting to raise awareness about the issues of work-family reconciliation, discrimination in this area and exchange of good practices.

Night: Intercultural dinner between the participating countries with civil society, political representatives, businessmen and young people from the area.

Día III - 27/10/2021

Morning: Working group: The Europe of opportunities for citizens. Erasmus +: How can we use it for more active participation?

Lunch

Afternoon: Participatory workshop on new EU programs promoting entrepreneurship and equal opportunities.

Dinner

Día IV - 28/10/2021

Morning: Meeting in the Galician Parliament with regional political representatives. Colloquium on the different realities of the participants on the current situation of Brexit and the rise of Euroscepticism.

Lunch

Afternoon: Cultural visit to the City of Santiago de Compostela, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Dinner

Día V - 29/10/2021

Morning: Visit to the Municipality of Finisterre: End of the Camino de Santiago. Visit to the Ézaro Waterfall, the mouth of the Xallas River: the only one in Europe that cascades into the sea.

Lunch

Afternoon: Signing of the Brotherhood Pact and performance of the anthems of Europe and the countries represented in the presence of civil society, political representatives and businessmen.

Intercultural dinner: Moment of intercultural coexistence in which the locals and participants were able to learn about gastronomy and typical folklore.

Día VI - 30/10/2021

Farewell to the delegations and transfers to the relevant airports.