

LOCAL EVENTS: 32 events

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1	Citizen's Forum	Braga	Universidade do Minho	Portugal	The importance of critical thinking in the information era. A crítica como exercício de cidadania: desafios da informação digital	16th October 2018	16:00	2h	65	60	5		Undergraduated students	<p>Speakers: Mr. Gonçalo Marcelo - Invited lecturer, Católica Business School, Porto Ms. Vanessa Fraga, PhD Student, University of Minho</p> <p>Moderation: Ms. Patrícia Oliveira - Citizen's Forum</p> <p>In the first part of this event undergraduated students in political sciences and public administration from the University of Minho had the opportunity to participate in a lecture/conference held by Mr. Gonçalo Marcelo about the importance of critical thinking in the information era. In the second part of this local event students were stimulated to participate in a debate and simulation of "citizen's forum"</p>
2	Citizen's Forum	Covilhã	Universidade da Beira Interior	Portugal	Active citizenship and elections - the importance of european institutions and legislative procedures Simulação de uma sessão do Conselho da União Europeia	11th December 2018	9:30	4h	64	63	1		Undergraduated and master students	<p>Speakers: Ms. Liliana Reis - Professor, Universidade da Beira Interior, Covilhã</p> <p>Moderation: Ms. Patrícia Oliveira - Citizen's Forum Mr. Samuel Paiva Pires - Universidade da Beira Interior</p> <p>In the first part of this local event undergraduated and master students in political sciences and international relations from the Universidade da Beira Interior had the opportunity to participate in a conference held by Ms. Liliana Reis (Professor at the Universidade da Beira Interior) and specialist in EU Institutions and Politics. In the second part of the local event students were invited to participate in a simulation of a session of the EU Council. Students were distributed by EU delegations by sortition. Students had 20 minutes to prepare main arguments against and in favor of the topic in discussion (Preservation of the Human Rights in Hungary) followed by a period dedicated to initial interventions/declarations of 2 minutes each delegation. At the end of the debate all the EU delegations represented by students were invited to voto for a final recommendation on the issue debated.</p>
3	Citizen's Forum	Lisbon	Agrupamento de Escolas D. Filipa de Lencastre		The importance of critical thinking in the information era	13th December 2018	11:30	2h	85	85			High school students	<p>Speakers: Ms. Cristina Gouveia - Citizen's Forum Mr. Cláudio Fonseca - Podcast Conversa</p> <p>Moderation: Ms. Patrícia Oliveira - Citizen's Forum</p> <p>High School students in the main areas of economics and sciences studies were invited to participate in a debate dedicated to the importance of critical thinking in the information era. Ms. Cristina Gouveia first presented an historical and critical perspective on the usages of the internet and social media main challenges followed by the second invited speaker. Mr. Cláudio Fonseca shared with students his experience as a podcaster ("Podcast Conversa") and introduced the issues on the Article 13 about the usages of content rights in the Internat and the Data Protection Agreement. Students also participated in an online survey conducted by Citizen's Forum through the Sli.do platform.</p>

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4	Citizen's Forum	Lisbon	Observatório Político/ Instituto Superior de Ciências Sociais e Políticas - University of Lisbon		Active citizenship and its role in sustainable development Immigration and citizenship in the EU	20th December 2018	11:00	1h30	23	20	3		Undergraduated students	Speakers: Ms. Maria João Cabrita - Researcher, Observatório Político (www.observatoriopolitico.pt); Professor, Universidade da Beira Interior, Covilhã Moderation Ms. Cristina Montalvão Sarmento - Professor, University of Lisbon; Coordinator, Observatório Político (www.observatoriopolitico.pt) Ms. Patrícia Oliveira - Citizen's Forum Undergraduated students studying political sciences (contemporary political thought) were invited to participate in a conference held by Ms. Maria João Cabrita about the immigration policies in the EU and the immigration crisis in the EU facing the human rights agenda.
5	Citizen's Forum	Lisbon	Escola Secundário de Camões		The importance of critical thinking in the information era	7th January 2019	11:30	1h30	43	43			Undergraduated students	Speakers: Ms. Cristina Gouveia - Citizen's Forum Mr. Cláudio Fonseca - Podcast Conversa Moderation: Ms. Patrícia Oliveira - Citizen's Forum High School students in the main areas of economics and sciences studies were invited to participate in a debate dedicated to the importance of critical thinking in the information era. Ms. Cristina Gouveia first presented an historical and critical perspective on the usages of the internet and social media main challenges followed by the second invited speaker. Mr. Cláudio Fonseca shared with students his experience as a podcaster ("Podcast Conversa") and introduced the issues on the Article 13 about the usages of content rights in the Internet and the Data Protection Agreement. Students also participated in an online survey conducted by Citizen's Forum through the Sli.do platform.
6	Eurokom	Siderno	High School Technical G Marconi	Italy	60 years of Europe of population	Dec 16th, 2018	10:30	2,5 hours	250	250			250 students of the high Technical schools "G Marconi" and "Pitagora" secondary educational institutions	starting of work 10.30 am with contributions of: Ms Clelia Bruzzi director of high schools, Alessandra Tuzza Edic Calabria&Europa, on the theme 60 years of Europe and I Debate Project, Mr Carmela Panella University of Messina on the theme The Human right protection in 60 years of Europe, Mr Francesco Aiello University of Cosenza on the theme economic integration in Europe. Yesterday and today.
7	Eurokom	Locri	Culture's Centre of Town	Italy	Digital Citizenship : Open Day of Public administration 2018	February 6th, 2018	09.30 am	3h 30min	220	195	25		High schools students and teachers	presentation by exeperts on the themes of digitalization, innovation and transparency in the PA; presentation of young people by 5 high schools of the results of monitoring research over some projects of local development, realized by the cofinanzing of European Funds. Each team has presented a particular work conducted by slides or by brief film in Mp4 over the research. The relators were: Loredana Panetta and Alessandra Tuzza of Eurokom association; Marina Galluzzo, Responsible of communication town of Udine; local responsible of territorial office of MISE Dr Giuseppe Antonio Sofia; The economist Francesco Aiello Professor of Economic for the Unical Univesity; Porzia Benedetto, office of Unioncamere Calabria, and Desk EEN.
8	Eurokom	Lamezia Terme	UnionCamere Desk EEN	Italy	Active digital citizenship. Tools for modern civic participation	March 6Th,2018	9.30 am	4 h	100	25	75	-	High schools loyers; and professionals orders	Presentation conduct by Italian Solvit service form Rome dr Cipri Francesco; The role of European network of communication: Europe Direct Centre and EEN presented by Alessandra Tuzza Edic Calabria&Europa and Irene Lupis EEN of Union Camere Calabria; Eu Single Market presented by Giulia D'Agnone Teacher of Commun Right at University of Pescara and University of Catanzaro; Opportunity and legislation in Calabria Region connected with Single Market presented by Francesco MARANO, Calabria Region
9	Eurokom	Gioiosa Ionica	Teatro al Castello di Gioiosa Ionica	Italy	Evento Processo all'Europa	3rd May, 2018	10:00	3h	200	150	50		sevondary schools students (16-19 years) and teachers	The event was held at the Teatro al Castello di Gioiosa Ionica - Rc and had as guest Mr. Pier Virgilio Dastoli, President of Cime, and former Head of the Italian Representation of the European Commission. During the same period, the prosecution and the defense were compared through a simulated process in which the boys of the ENT Umberto Zanotti Bianco of Marina di Gioiosa Jonica and those of the Liceo Scientifico di Gioiosa Ionica have exposed many issues for / against the EU with the sentence final that acquitted the same.

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10	Eurokom	Locri	Cinema auditorium Vittoria	Italy	Dialogo "Un Sabato con l'Europa dei cittadini: Dialogo sui Fondi Europei e il loro utilizzo per la crescita dei territori"	17th November 2018	10:00	3h	150	100	50	Secondary schools students (16-19 years) and teachers; associations and local institutions	On November 17, at the Vittoria cinema hall in Locri, a dialogue was held with the citizens "A Saturday with the citizens' Europe: Dialogue on European Funds and their use for the growth of the territories". The event, organized by Gioiosa Jonica's Edic "Calabria & Europa", conducted by the director Alessandra Tuzza, was conceived in direct collaboration with the European Parliament and the European Commission. The meeting made the Point with local, regional and European institutions on the funds aimed at implementing territorial cohesion policies. Involved in the event over 150 participants among citizens, young people from high schools, associations and numerous mayors of the territory, among which they brought their greetings to the hall the Mayor of Locri Giovanni Calabrese and the first citizen of Gioiosa Jonica Salvatore Fuda. Among the regional institutions, at the beginning, the regional councillor for the Budget and for the staff Mariateresa Fragomeni took the floor; Following the Councilor for Community policies of the Metropolitan City of Reggio Calabria Giuseppe Marino, and then Loredana Panetta of Eurokom.Francesco Aiello Professor of Economics at the University of Calabria; Ivonne Spadafora, Head of the Department of National and Community Planning has outlined the progress and the process completed for the development of the current 2014-20 regional programming;the Vice President of Regional Affairs European Parliament Andrea Cozzolino, who answered the questions of young people, highlighting the importance of having lived through Europe as the longest and most consolidated period of peace.	
11	Eurokom	Locri	Zaleuco , High school Lyceum	Italy	Europa=Noi...education to active european citizenship	24 November	9.30 am	7 hours	75	50	25	high-school students and teachers	the Local event of the #Debate project took in Place in Locri, Italy with 75 participants with the participation of Young people of secondary schools and their teachers and the participation as Expert of Department of Italian presidency of Ministry from Venice by Skype conference, Italian Representation of European Commission from Rome Ms Claudia De Stefani, and from the participation of the president of Civicamente Association responsible for Trivia national's contest	
12	Evropska generacija	Zrenjanin	Youth Club Zrenjanin	Serbia	The history of fake news	18th June 2018	13:00	1h	29	29		high school students	Speakers: Mr. Marko Miskeljic - president, Evropska Generacija Mr. Ivan Mikalacki - head of City Youth Office From the 90s to 2016 USA Elections, discussion about emergence and consequences of fake news.	
13	Evropska generacija	Zrenjanin	Zrenjanin City Hall	Serbia	City Hall assembly simulation	10th December 2018	11:00	4h	67	67		high school students	Speakers: Mr. Marko Miskeljic - president, Evropska Generacija Mr. Miroslav Lanistanin - City Youth Office Mr. Goran Tomic - head of city assembly youth board Mr. Dusko Radisic - Deputy mayor Students had the opportunity to learn about the process of passing a bill in the city assembly. Later they took part in simulating the process with every student taking a roll of a city assembly member with a task to pass a proposed bill or write amendments for it.	
14	Evropska generacija	Zrenjanin	Zrenjanin Cultural Center	Serbia	Why my vote counts	27th December 2018	16:00	1h	24	24		high school students	Speakers: Mr. Marko Miskeljic - president, Evropska Generacija Mr. Zoran Davidovac – Faculty of Economics Subotica Students learned about history of the voting process in Europe and Serbia from ancient greeks to 21st century.	
15	Evropska generacija	Zrenjanin	Youth Club Zrenjanin	Serbia	Importance of critical thinking in the 21st century	17th December 2018	19:00	1h	27	27		high school students	Speakers: Mr. Marko Miskeljic - president, Evropska Generacija Mr. Zoran Davidovac – Faculty of Economics Subotica Discussion about what critical thinking is and why it is important in the digital era.	
16	Evropska generacija	Zrenjanin	Youth Club Zrenjanin	Serbia	Information in the digital age	17th January	19:30	1h	24	24		high school students	Speakers: Mr. Marko Miskeljic - president, Evropska Generacija Workshop on how to use the digital age to find the right information, fact checking and the use of critical thinking.	

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17	Pest County	Érd	Gárdonyi Géza Secondary School	Hungary	Active digital citizenship. Tools for modern civic participation	February 21st	10:00	2 h	95	92	2	1	Secondary schools students (14-18 years) and teachers	<p>The first local event of the Idebate project in Hungary was held in Érd where students of Gárdonyi Géza Secondary Grammar School discussed the tools of active digital citizenship and presented their ideas on improving youth participation in modern democracy. The methodology of the debate was based on the case solving method, an approach to learn battle-proven ways of how to solve complex problems and how to present solutions in an effective way. Before the event students took part in an online round where they filled in a questionnaire based on a short video. Their task was to help the four typical young characters in making their study or career choices. The video also draw the attention to the opportunities offered by European citizenship such as study, work or doing voluntary work in another member state and to the EU programmes connected to them. After the evaluations of the online round 4 teams were formed from the students achieved the best results. They got the second case study which dealt with active citizenship, digital democracy and e-voting. The case study was written with the help of experts from European Parliament Liaison Office and consisted of info videos made by European Parliament. Students also get tips on effective presentation and could consult experts. Based on these background information the teams presented their ideas at the event.</p> <p>All teams agreed on that the usage of digital tools would enhance youth participation in democracy and would offer a direct way to form public life. As young people are open to digital world and it is a part of their everyday life it can be motivational to voice their opinion and cast their votes this way. Among the disadvantages and threats of digital democracy safety issues, the cost of devices and the necessary infrastructure and the risk of manipulation of the results was mentioned. As another difficulty to cope with, the aversion or incompetence of elder generations was brought up. Among the ideas to boost voter's participation an application like Tinder to elect Members of European Parliament (Swipe Right to Vote, Swipe Left to pass) was presented.</p>
18	Pest County	Cegléd	Cegléd School for Economics and IT	Hungary	Active digital citizenship. Tools for modern civic participation	February 27th, 2018	14:00	2 h	74	69	5		Secondary schools students (14-18 years) and teachers	<p>Volunteers teach elders digital voting, videos of influencers in social media to motivate youth participation in voting and in public affairs, voting and political compass application for smart phones for EU citizens - some of the ideas came up at iDebate Cegléd II where students of Kossuth Lajos Gimnázium discussed the tools of active digital citizenship and presented their ideas on improving youth participation in democracy. The methodology of the debate was based on the case solving method, an approach to learn battle-proven ways of how to solve complex problems and how to present solutions in an effective way. Before the event students took part in an online round where they filled in a questionnaire based on a short video. Their task was to help the four typical young characters in making their study or career choices. The video also draw the attention to the opportunities offered by European citizenship such as study, work or doing voluntary work in another member state and to the EU programmes connected to them. After the evaluations of the online round 4 teams were formed from the students achieved the best results. They got the second case study which dealt with active citizenship, digital democracy and e-voting. The case study was written with the help of experts from European Parliament Liaison Office and consisted of info videos made by European Parliament. Students also get tips on effective presentation and could consult experts. Based on these background information the teams presented their ideas at the event.</p> <p>All teams agreed on that the usage of digital tools would enhance youth participation in democracy and would offer a direct way to form public life. As young people are open to digital world and it is a part of their everyday life it can be motivational to voice their opinion and cast their votes this way. Among the disadvantages and threats of digital democracy safety issues, the cost of devices and the necessary infrastructure and the risk of manipulation of the results was mentioned. As another difficulty to cope with, the aversion or incompetence of elder generations was brought up.</p>

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19	Pest County	Ráckeve	Ady Endre secondary Grammar School		Active digital citizenship. Tools for modern civic participation	February 28th, 2018	12:00	2 h	73	69	4	Secondary schools students (14-18 years) and teachers	Voting on weekdays with digital voting relays at workplaces, webshop coupons and online bonuses for e-voting, public voting relays in bus stops and train stations to vote on EU, national and local issues - ideas that came up at iDebate Ráckeve the third local event of the Idebate project in Hungary where students of Ady Endre Gimnázium discussed the tools of active digital citizenship and presented their ideas on improving youth participation in democracy. The methodology of the debate was based on the case solving method, an approach to learn battle-proven ways of how to solve complex problems and how to present solutions in an effective way. Before the event students took part in an online round where they filled in a questionnaire based on a short video. Their task was to help the four typical young characters in making their study or career choices. The video also draw the attention to the opportunities offered by European citizenship such as study, work or doing voluntary work in another member state and to the EU programmes connected to them. After the evaluations of the online round 4 teams were formed from the students achieved the best results. They got the second case study which dealt with active citizenship, digital democracy and e-voting. The case study was written with the help of experts from European Parliament Liaison Office and consisted of info videos made by European Parliament. Students also get tips on effective presentation and could consult experts. Based on these background information the teams presented their ideas at the event.	
20	Pest County	Gödöllő	Török Ignác secondary Grammar School	Hungary	Active digital citizenship. Tools for modern civic participation	21st April, 2018	8:45	2 h	120	118	2	Secondary schools students (14-18 years) and teachers	DeVotit a dedicated device for EU citizens to vote, Democracy Festivals on Voting Day, Junior MEPs to represent European youth, e-votes cross-checked by Member states - some of the ideas came up at iDebate Gödöllő where students of Török Ignác Gimnázium discussed the tools of active digital citizenship and presented their ideas on improving youth participation in democracy. The methodology of the debate was based on the case solving method, an approach to learn battle-proven ways of how to solve complex problems and how to present solutions in an effective way. Before the event students took part in an online round where they filled in a questionnaire based on a short video. Their task was to help the four typical young characters in making their study or career choices. The video also draw the attention to the opportunities offered by European citizenship such as study, work or doing voluntary work in another member state and to the EU programmes connected to them. After the evaluations of the online round 4 teams were formed from the students achieved the best results. They got the second case study which dealt with active citizenship, digital democracy and e-voting. The case study was written with the help of experts from European Parliament Liaison Office and consisted of info videos made by European Parliament. Students also get tips on effective presentation and could consult experts. Based on these background information the teams presented their ideas at the event. All teams agreed on that the usage of digital tools would enhance youth participation in democracy and would offer a direct way to form public life. As young people are open to digital world and it is a part of their everyday life it can be motivational to voice their opinion and cast their votes this way. Among the disadvantages and threats of digital democracy safety issues, the cost of devices and the necessary infrastructure and the risk of manipulation of the results was mentioned. As another difficulty to cope with, the aversion or incompetence of elder generations was brought up.	

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21	Pest County	Cegléd KLG	Kossuth Lajos secondary Grammar School	Hungary	Active digital citizenship. Tools for modern civic participation	17th May, 2018	12:40	2 h	87	87			Secondary schools students (14-18 years) and teachers	Volunteers teach elders digital voting, videos of influencers in social media to motivate youth participation in voting and in public affairs, voting and political compass application for smart phones for EU citizens - some of the ideas came up at iDebate Cegléd II where students of Kossuth Lajos Gimnázium discussed the tools of active digital citizenship and presented their ideas on improving youth participation in democracy. The methodology of the debate was based on the case solving method, an approach to learn battle-proven ways of how to solve complex problems and how to present solutions in an effective way. Before the event students took part in an online round where they filled in a questionnaire based on a short video. Their task was to help the four typical young characters in making their study or career choices. The video also draw the attention to the opportunities offered by European citizenship such as study, work or doing voluntary work in another member state and to the EU programmes connected to them. After the evaluations of the online round 4 teams were formed from the students achieved the best results. They got the second case study which dealt with active citizenship, digital democracy and e-voting. The case study was written with the help of experts from European Parliament Liaison Office and consisted of info videos made by European Parliament. Students also get tips on effective presentation and could consult experts. Based on these background information the teams presented their ideas at the event. All teams agreed on that the usage of digital tools would enhance youth participation in democracy and would offer a direct way to form public life. As young people are open to digital world and it is a part of their everyday life it can be motivational to voice their opinion and cast their votes this way. Among the disadvantages and threats of digital democracy safety issues, the cost of devices and the necessary infrastructure and the risk of manipulation of the results was mentioned. As another difficulty to cope with, the aversion or incompetence of elder generations was brought up.
22	Student Plus	Timisoara	"Azur" Technical Highschool	Romania	"Active citizenship and solidarity - European Solidarity Corps"	Nov 10th, 2017	10:00 AM	1.5 hours	84	72	12		high-school students and teachers	The first local event of the #iDebate project took place in Timisoara, Romania. 84 participants: high-school students teachers, volunteers Special guest: ms. Oana Talos, flying health promoter supervisor - Doctors without Borders Event agenda: - dialogue on solidarity and volunteering - with Ms. Oana Talos and Mr. Mihai Lazăr - "to have or not to have" solidarity game - presentation of the European programs for young people European Voluntary Service and European Solidarity Corps - "solidarity" questionnaire Event organised by: Student Plus Foundation and the Technical College "Azur" from Timisoara - Romania The event was live streamed and the recording is available on the fb page and on the project website https://i-debate.eu/live/
23	Student Plus	Resita, Caras-Severin county	Traian Lalescu national College	Romania	Art of Dialogue in the new information era: young people and the European institutions	Jan 30th, 2018	11:00	2 h	97	97			highschool students, teachers	90 participants, high-school students. The event was organized in 2 sections. In the first part, the team of EU Parliament Ambassadors made short presentations on the EU institutions, political parties from the EP which were followed by practical activities and dialogue. In the second part, Mrs. Maria Ciorba, made a presentation of the digital tools which the young citizens have at their disposal for their civic involvement, followed by dialogue.
24	Student Plus	Timisoara	"Azur" Technical Highschool	Romania	"Active citizenship and sustainability - The Young People and the Planet: how can we save it?"	January 30th, 2019	12:00 AM	1.5 hours	71	59	12		high-school students and teachers	The last local event of the #iDebate project took place in Timisoara, Romania. 71 participants: high-school students and teachers Special guest: Univ. Prof. dr. Ing. Petru NEGREA from the Industrial Chemistry and Environment Engineering Agenda: - introduction in the environment policies, - young people debate on two topics, - Q&A. Partnering organisations: Student Plus Foundation, Technical College "Azur" from Timisoara and Theoretical Highschool N. Lenau, Timisoara - Romania The event was live streamed and the recording is available on the fb page and on the project website https://i-debate.eu/live/
25	Udruga IKS	Glina	High school	Croatia	The importance of critical thinking in the information era	19th April, 2018	9:40	1 h	31	26	5		highschool students, teachers	Discussion about what critical thinking is and what we will achieve by critical thinking. After presenting the short video from the media, and following the important steps of critical thinking, the students worked in groups on "Influence of Media on Citizens' Opinion".

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26	Udruga IKS	Topusko	High school	Croatia	Active citizenship and voting – understanding the EU institutions and the legislative procedure	28th September, 2018	9:30	1 h	34	32	2	Secondary schools students (16-18 years) and teachers	In the first part of the event the students were informed about the basics of the EU, its Institutions and bodies and legislative procedure. More details were given about the European Parliament, its role, location, how does it work, its' composition, how to get involved and contact the Parliament, and about the elections. In the second part of the event, the students were playing roles. They've been members of two parties (named "List 1 - D" and "List 2 - M" who candidate for the European Parliament, giving pre-elections speeches. Other students were representing young, middle-aged and older groups of population with their expectations from candidates and they voted. Even though the "List 1 - D" met more people's expectations, after counting votes, the "List 2 - M" won the elections.	
27	Udruga IKS	Hrvatska Kostajnica	High school "Ivana Trnskoga"	Croatia	Digital active citizenship – modern civic participation	13th September, 2018	12:00	1 h	30	26	4	Secondary schools students (16-18 years) and teachers	The main discussion points were: methods of active digital participation of individuals; security and privacy and responsible behavior in today's digital age. Together we also covered the benefits that the digital age offers to enable citizens to vote online, to obtain various personal documents and to take advantage of online education opportunities. Students discussed the issues of their local community in groups and how to solve them through active citizenship.	
28	Udruga IKS	Sisak	High school, Tehnička škola Sisak"	Croatia	Active citizenship and its role in sustainable development	27th September, 2018	14:00	1 h	31	28	3	Secondary schools students (16-18 years) and teachers	The event took place in the Secondary school "Tehnička škola" Sisak where students had the opportunity to understand their role and involvement in active citizenship and sustainable development. Since the school is inovative and active, it was important that students understand they are already active and why is that important for them and the community. The school is implementing "volunteer club" project, in particular voluntary school volunteering and community volunteering programs. They were implementing "DroneTeam" project where they worked on concepts of product innovation. Since last year, the school is a part of ERASMUS+ project "Professional Practice in the EU to Competence for the Labor Market" with objectives to increase students' knowledge and skills based on the experience of practical work in companies. "SOELA - solar electric car" Project is implemented for years with aim of developing of innovative extracurricular activities encouraging the use of renewable energy sources for vehicle power. Students were introduced with Sustainable Development Goals which are the blueprint to achieve a better and more sustainable future for all. The students worked in groups to develop their idea for affecting one of the goals.	
29	Zavod PIP	Maribor	II. gimnazija Maribor (The Second Gymnasium, Maribor)	Slovenia	Digital citizenship: Knowledge and Digital Society	Dec 12th, 2017	13.45	1 h 15 min	67	65	2	highschool students, teachers	Discussion on the importance of knowledge to exploit the potential of digital society. Digital technologies have changed the way we learn, work and socialise, the way we interact with each other. Topics discussed: digital single market and the role of EU, knowledge and digital society, negative influences of digital technologies.... It is important to develop the skills and knowledge to use the internet and digital technologies effectively and in appropriate and responsible way in order to engage and participate in society, as well as in politics. The debate was particularly lively on dilemma whether programming in the Slovenian elementary schools should be introduced as a compulsory course from the first grade. Speakers: dr. Benjamin Lesjak, University of Primoska, Katja Koren Ošljak (Code-week ambassador in Slovenia), Boris Volarič (IT professor, head of nonformal training programs in Creator lab); Host: II. Gymnasium Maribor, amphitheater	
30	Zavod PIP	Maribor	Srednja gradbena šola in gimnazija Maribor	Slovenia	Active citizenship and solidarity	3rd December 2018	12:30	1,5 h	40	36	4	Secondary schools students (16-20 years)	Better recognition of volunteering experiences among employers and formal educational institutions, better quality of mentoring for volunteers – quality standards for mentoring programmes, information campaigns on volunteer work are the ideas that came up at second local event of the iDebate project in Slovenia, where students of Secondary Building School and Gymnasium Maribor, were discussing the topics of active citizenship and solidarity. The methodology of the debate: After a brief presentation of the topic and volunteering opportunities in EU (Erasmus+, European Solidarity Corps), the questionnaire on facts and trivia about volunteering in the EU was filled in. Further on 4 teams were formed, discussing Pros and Cons, and effects of Volunteering with 4 volunteers with volunteering experiences on national and EU level. Students created posters on the topic "I want to become a volunteer ..." or "I see the following obstacles for volunteering ...". Later on they exchanged posters and continued the discussion in the direction of finding solutions to remove obstacles or improve the conditions for performing volunteer work. At the end, the teams presented their ideas and concerns (e.g. volunteers as a source of cheap labour).	

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31	Zavod PIP	Maribor	Srednja ekonomska šola in gimnazija Maribor	Slovenia	EU and Youth - Climate Change	6th December 2018	12:30	1h	33	33			Secondary schools students (16-20 years)	3rd Local event in Maribor: Climate change is one of the most critical global challenges of our times. Recent events have emphatically demonstrated our growing vulnerability to climate change (severe droughts and floods, the process of disappearance of the clearly divided four seasons, the increasingly high temperatures in summer...) . Being an active citizen, to cooperate in the everyday democratic life, means to be involved and to care about the world around you. An expert from Umanotera gave the presentation on the topic, followed by discussion on how young people can be proactive on the matter. As individuals, everyone can help by taking action to reduce a personal carbon emissions and thus contributes to the EU's climate change objectives.
32	Zavod PIP	Maribor	Srednja ekonomska šola in gimnazija Maribor	Slovenia	Youth and European elections	13th December 2018	12:30	1h	35	35			Secondary schools students (16-20 years)	4th local event in Maribor. Voters in all member states of the European Union (EU) will go to the polls May 23-26, 2019, to elect representatives to the European Parliament. It's one of the largest democratic events in the world, and the upcoming vote is set to be the most important for over 400 million European citizens will have the opportunity to influence the future direction of the EU. Discussion topics: role of the European union and its impact on our daily lives, role of the European parliament, elections to the European parliament, presentation of "This time I'm voting " campaign. Discussion on "Why vote" and how to increase the participation of young people in elections to the European Parliament followed. Initially, the participants filled out a questionnaire on the European Parliament, the video content of the eu's impact on life around us followed.
TOTAL									2448	2156	291	1		