
NEWSLETTER

WELCOME

Hello and welcome to the first newsletter of the BLAST! project!

What is BLAST! all about? Through this newsletter we will introduce you to our project.



WHAT IS BLAST!

The BLAST! project aims to work with young people and educators, to address social inclusion and sustainability.

Specifically, BLAST! proposes the development of a non-formal learning model that will foster social inclusion by harnessing the potential for action on the sustainable revolution offered by emerging technologies such as Blockchain and Distributed Ledger Technologies (DTL).

How will we do this? We will address sustainability topics such as (1) climate change, (2) natural disasters, (3) biodiversity loss, (4) ocean health deterioration, (5) air pollution and (6) water scarcity, and we will give examples and show how Blockchain and DTL can support whole communities to track, monitor and take action to support the sustainable revolution!

The project proposes the development of innovative, state-of-the-art non-formal learning modules, which are supported by video-based digital learning materials to promote and facilitate youth engagement with these topics.

WHAT WILL BLAST! DELIVER?

To achieve our ambitious objectives with BLAST! our team is currently working to develop a range of bespoke learning resources, which use innovative non-formal education methods and digital tools to deliver this training to young people.

By integrating digital tools and applying creative and collaborative non-formal learning approaches, our intention is to engage NEETs (Young People Not in Employment, Education or Training) and other socially disadvantaged young people in this training programme.

Specifically, we will develop the following educational materials, in English, Dutch, Portuguese and Turkish:

BLAST! Curriculum for Sustainable Revolution through Blockchain

BLAST! non-formal education methodology for Sustainable Revolution

BLAST! Learning programme

Good practices webinar for the implementation of the BLAST! Programme

To find out more about these education materials, please visit our project website at: <http://blast-euproject.com>

THE TEAM BEHIND BLAST!

BLAST! is brought to you by a team of 5 organisations from 4 European countries, namely: Ireland, The Netherlands, Portugal, and Turkey. These organisations include

From Ireland:

University College Cork and
Future in Perspective Limited



From the Netherlands:

Inthecity Project Development



From Portugal:

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