



Smart
for Democracy
and Diversity



IN THE SPOTLIGHT

The project Smart for Democracy and Diversity (SDD) has come to an end after 3 years. One of the outputs for SDD is an online game available in seven languages. On the e-learning platform you will find a very dynamic learning offer on the area of discrimination, related to racism, sexism, and transphobia, among others. The Compendium tells the stories of people affected by discrimination, with detailed explanations about target groups, intersectionality, contexts when and where, and online and offline hate speech.

SDD E-LEARNING PLATFORM



GAME

SDD's online educational game shows participants the complexity of discrimination in the form of a detective game, in which a painting is stolen from the museum. The game is based on real life experiences of people experiencing discrimination.

[Click on this link to play the game.](#)



TRAINER MANUAL

The SDD Game Trainer Manual is designed for adult educators and other teachers and offers the possibility to create workshops about different discrimination topics.

[Click on this link if you want to create your own workshop.](#)



POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS

Policy recommendations have been developed, gathering appropriate policy guidelines from the European partner countries.

[Download the SDD policy recommendations at the bottom of this page.](#)

Fighting racism and discrimination: recommendations for political decision-makers, associations, and lobby-groups

WHAT WE DID SO FAR



FINAL MEETING IN BRUSSELS

AGE Platform Europe (AGE) and SDD partners had a final meeting where they discussed the outcomes of the project in Brussels and reflected on the strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats of the project.

[Read the full article here.](#)



INFORMATIVE MEETINGS NATIONALLY

A few project partners organized SDD events in their own country to explain the approach of the project. The participants were enthusiastic about the project.

[Click here to read more about the event in Portugal.](#)

[Click here to read more about the event in Italy.](#)

[Click here to read more about the event The Netherlands.](#)

The website of SDD as well as the game will be hosted and maintained for ten years, and the game will remain free of charge.

The SDD-game is part of a pool of games including BIG, STEP-UP and SAA. The game itself can be played individually, but it is also possible that a workshop is generated by the user in a group for educational purposes in a playful manner. It is also very useful to play this game on international days, such as the UN International Day for Countering Hate Speech, The International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination or Zero Discrimination Day.

OUR NEXT STEP

MORE NEWS



PORTUGAL CREATED OBSERVATORY OF RACISM AND XENOPHOBIA

The Observatory of Racism and Xenophobia in Portugal was officially formalized. Its mission will be the production, collection, processing and dissemination of information and knowledge on racism, xenophobia, and discrimination.

[Read the full article here.](#)



INVOLVEMENT IN THE SDD PROJECT

For the closure of the SDD project, project partners Lunaria from Italy and AFEdeMy from the Netherlands were interviewed. We asked them why they joined the project, what they learned from it, and much more.

[Read the full interview here of Lunaria here.](#)

[Read the full interview of AFEdeMy here.](#)



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