

Evaluation Letter

Dear Coordinating Team,

on behalf of Tredu Club (Austria), we would like to thank you for the cooperation and the opportunity to implement PEMEHECON 2025-1-AT01-KA153-YOU-000297129 as a Professional Development Activity (KA153) for youth workers in Vienna. This activity was an important step for our organization in strengthening our capacity to host and coordinate international learning formats for professionals in youth work.

1) Organisation and preparation

The preparation phase required thorough planning and clear coordination between partners: participant management, logistics, venue set-up, daily scheduling, and documentation routines. Hosting the training at Appartements Ferchergasse allowed us to create a stable and safe framework for learning and group processes. As applicant organization, we learned a lot about structuring workflows, ensuring timely communication, and balancing program ambitions with realistic implementation and team capacity.

2) Implementation of the Youth Workers' Training

The implementation in Vienna worked very well overall. The training provided youth workers with practical, experience-based methods connecting nature, mental health and creative approaches, with a strong focus on non-formal education and "learning by doing". It was especially positive to observe how actively youth workers engaged with the program, reflected on their own practice, and exchanged tools that can be transferred into their daily work with young people. The international setting supported peer learning, mutual support, and professional networking across countries.

3) Follow-up impact at local level

At local level, PEMEHECON strengthened our organisational competence in professional development activities for youth workers and expanded our network for future cooperation. The methods tested during the training will be integrated into Tredu Club's ongoing youth work formats and future Erasmus+ activities, particularly where mental health, resilience, outdoor approaches and sustainability are relevant.

4) Added value for participants and organisation

For participating youth workers, the added value was the combination of concrete tools and reflective space: they could deepen their understanding of the link between connection with nature and well-being, and explore how to translate this into inclusive, creative youth work practices. For Tredu Club, the project brought strong capacity building: improved project management routines, stronger hosting competence, and clearer quality standards for international trainings.

5) Feedback and recommendations

Overall, we consider PEMEHECON highly valuable and well implemented. Based on our experience, we recommend:

- keeping partner communication routines structured and consistent (clear deadlines, shared templates, defined responsibilities),
- ensuring enough reflection time for youth workers to translate learning into practical applications,
- maintaining flexibility to respond to group dynamics, learning pace, and emerging needs during the training week.

Thank you again for the trust and collaboration. We look forward to building on PEMEHECON's outcomes and continuing to strengthen quality youth work through international learning and shared practice.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Stephanie Rank".

Stephanie Rank

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