

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET*(To be filled in and uploaded as deliverable in the Portal Grant Management System, at the due date foreseen in the system.**⚠ Please provide one sheet per event (one event = one workpackage = one lump sum).)*

PROJECT	
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Project name and acronym:	BRIDGING DIVIDES: RELIGION, YOUTH AND CIVIC ENGAGEMENT IN A CHANGING EUROPE - BDRYCECE

EVENT DESCRIPTION	
Event number:	1
Event name:	Town-Twinning Loreto-Ghajnsielem
Type:	Workshops and Conferencing
In situ/online:	<i>In situ</i>
Location:	Loreto, Italy
Date(s):	23-27th October 2025
Website(s) (if any):	Ghajnsielem Website Link - http://www.ghajnsielemc.com/ and Link - https://ghajnsielemc.gov.mt/en/ Loreto Link 1 Loreto Link 2 Loreto Link 3
Participants	
Female:	109
Male:	67
Non-binary:	

From country 1 [GHAJNSIELEM, GOZO, MALTA]:	102		
From country 2 [LORETO, ITALY]:	74		
From country 3 [name]:			
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Total number of participants:	176	From total number of countries:	2
Description <i>Provide a short description of the event and its activities.</i>			

Deliverables by Event and Activity

Day 1 – European Values, Citizenship and Institutional Cooperation

Event: Official Welcome, Educational Visits and Town Twinning Ceremony

The first day marked the formal and symbolic launch of the Town Twinning between Għajnsielem and Loreto. The key deliverable of this day was the official establishment of the twinning partnership, concretised through the signing of the Town Twinning Agreement by the respective Mayors. This deliverable represents a formal and public commitment to long-term cooperation based on shared European values, democratic participation, and intercultural dialogue.

Additional deliverables included:

- **Official opening session documentation**, including speeches, agendas, photographic evidence, and attendance lists demonstrating inclusive participation of citizens, youth, and institutional representatives.
- **Educational engagement deliverables**, achieved through structured visits to the Istituto Comprensivo “G. Solari” and the Institute of Tourism Studies. These visits produced learning outcomes related to European citizenship, intercultural understanding, and youth awareness. Supporting materials included presentations, educational exhibits on Malta and Gozo, and interaction reports with students and educators.
- **Cultural and heritage dissemination outputs**, including guided visits to Loreto’s Basilica and historic centre. These visits functioned as practical tools for promoting shared European cultural heritage and identity. Documentation included guided tour programmes, interpretative content, and photographic records.
- **Citizen-to-citizen networking outcomes**, supported by informal exchanges and cultural activities, fostering people-to-people contact, social inclusion, and mutual understanding.

Collectively, Day 1 delivered both tangible outputs (signed agreement, reports, visual documentation) and intangible outcomes such as strengthened institutional trust, enhanced civic awareness, and reinforced European identity.

Day 2 – Interfaith Dialogue, Equality and Civil Society Cooperation

Event: Religious, Interfaith and Civil Society Engagement

The second day focused on religion as a driver for dialogue, inclusion, and social cohesion, fully in line with CERV priorities on equality, fundamental rights, and participation.

The principal deliverables of this day included:

- **Interfaith and values-based dialogue outputs**, generated through structured discussions with religious leaders, including the Archbishop of Loreto. These sessions produced documented reflections on shared values, tolerance, and the role of faith in contemporary European society.

- **Civil society cooperation deliverables**, achieved through meetings between NGOs from Loreto and Għajnsielem. These meetings resulted in the exchange of good practices, networking records, and preliminary collaboration ideas aimed at strengthening community resilience and equality.
- **Participation and inclusion evidence**, including attendance lists disaggregated by gender and age, ensuring compliance with CERV requirements on inclusivity and non-discrimination.
- **Reflective and cultural heritage documentation**, linked to the religious celebrations and site visits, highlighting the connection between religious heritage and European cultural identity.

*This day delivered concrete **capacity-building outcomes** for civil society actors and reinforced dialogue mechanisms that can be replicated beyond the project's duration.*

Day 3 – Youth Participation, Democratic Engagement and Sustainability

Event: Youth Workshops, Civic Dialogue and Future Planning

The third day was dedicated to youth empowerment, democratic participation, and long-term sustainability of the twinning relationship.

Key deliverables included:

- **Youth engagement and civic participation outputs**, produced through interactive workshops and walking discussions on democracy, citizenship, and participation in Europe. These sessions generated qualitative data on youth perspectives, expectations, and challenges.
- **Group discussion summaries**, documenting exchanges on traditions, local identity, and democratic life, with the active involvement of NGOs and citizens from both towns.
- **Strategic planning and sustainability deliverables**, achieved through joint planning sessions focused on future twinning activities. Outputs included meeting minutes, proposed follow-up actions, and evaluation summaries.
- **Evaluation and feedback tools**, including completed questionnaires and verbal feedback sessions, forming part of Deliverable D1.2 and contributing directly to the final project report.
- **Closing ceremony documentation**, confirming political commitment, citizen endorsement, and future cooperation intentions.

These deliverables ensured that the project did not end with a single event but laid the foundation for continued civic engagement and long-term European cooperation.

Post-Event Deliverables – Dissemination and Visibility

Across all days, horizontal deliverables were produced related to communication and visibility, including:

- *Social media content, press releases, and website updates ensuring transparency and public outreach.*

- *Visual and written materials clearly displaying EU funding visibility in line with CERV requirements.*
- *Contributions to the final project report, consolidating results, outcomes, and lessons learned.*

Conclusion

Each event delivered clear, verifiable outputs and measurable outcomes that directly correspond to the objectives, activities, and deliverables defined in the approved CERV application. Together, they demonstrate effective implementation, strong European added value, meaningful citizen participation, and sustainable impact in line with the Citizens, Equality, Rights and Values Programme.

HISTORY OF CHANGES		
VERSION	PUBLICATION DATE	CHANGE
1.0	01.04.2022	Initial version (new MFF).