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## EUROPE FOR CITIZENS Action 2: Active civil society.3

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**PROJECT: Nets – network of styles**

**APPLICANT: Le Lingue Nel Mondo**

"**Democratic engagement and civic participation**": This part of the program aims at strengthening the general public's understanding of how EU policies are shaped today. It also fosters the close involvement of civil society in European policy-making. Citizens' organizations can draw on funding to encourage and develop the responsible, democratic civic engagement of the general public in the processes of European integration.

### General objectives:

To contribute to citizens' understanding of the Union, its history and diversity;  
To foster European citizenship and improve conditions for civic and democratic participation at Union level;

### Specific objectives:

Raise awareness of remembrance, common history and values of the European Union's aim that is to promote peace, its values and the well-being of its peoples by stimulating debate, reflection and development of networks.  
Encourage democratic and civic participation of citizens at Union level, by developing citizens' understanding of the Union's policy-making process and promoting opportunities for societal and intercultural engagement and volunteering at Union level.

### Annual program priorities for 2014

### Strand 2: Democratic engagement and civic participation

- The 2014 elections to the European Parliament and citizens' participation in the democratic life of Europe. Action 2 of the Europe for Citizens program seeks to help and encourage civil society organizations to work together at European level in such a way as to foster action, debate and reflection in relation to European citizenship and democracy, shared values, common history and culture.  
The measure **3, Active civil society** includes projects proposed by international network of associations, that involve directly the citizens. The project aims to let citizens from different context to compare and act together on subjects linked to the European Union and its politics. The main objective is to give citizens the opportunity to participate concretely into the process of European integration. Projects should possibly take in consideration the priorities of Work Program 2014.

> to promote social devotion, solidarity, intercultural dialogue  
> to pick up the opinions  
> voluntary work

### Activities aimed to :

**Kind of associations** : non as civil active society, cultural association, corporate body of search, corporate body of education, local authority.

**Minimum numbers of partners** : at least 3 countries

**Maximum duration of the project** : 18 months

**Deadline** : 1st September 2014

**Annual priorities** :

- Elections to European Parliament from 22 to 25th May 2014
- The participation of the citizens at the democratic life of European Union
- close examination of the debate about the future of Europe.

#### Annual program priorities for 2014

#### Strand 2: Democratic engagement and civic participation

- The 2014 elections to the European Parliament and citizens' participation in the democratic life of Europe.

#### Title of the project : Nets – network of styles

Gli stili di vita nella società civile come trama di uno stesso tessuto.  
The lifestyles in the civil society as a contexture of the same tissue.

**Idea of the project :** styles of life **meant as a relationship with things, people, nature and world. An harvest of opinions about the most common styles of life of the specific** territory, underlining the most predominant and the less suitable. Transposition in concrete actions of a change from the lower part upward. New practices that come from the people actions to involve the change also the structure and the vertex of the politics. Harvest of opinions that will involve different levels of the society : young and elderly people, workers, educators, politicians.

Each partner identifies through the harvest of opinions and the analysis of the data, the specificity of the styles linked to that territory.

#### We especially ask partner :

1. to identify 3 national partners and stakeholders.
2. to discuss about aims and concrete activities of the project between the Applicant and Partners : first meeting, only person responsible.
3. to build together the questions of the survey.
4. to put together the data of the survey about styles of life among schools, business world, associations of voluntary work, community of recovery, common people.
5. to put together and organize meetings of people from the different kind of citizens to establish a job of close examination about styles of life.
6. Each partner will harvest the different opinions about styles of life and that will be object of the public debate, opened to all the citizens during the transnational meeting.
7. to organize the welcome the partners during mobility event.
8. to create a final document formed by the different opinions
9. the applicant will ask a sociologist to analyze the surveys.

#### **Methods and ways of diffusion and dissemination :**

since the beginning creation of a website, facebook and twitter to let citizens chat and discuss on common platforms.

**Important:** if interested the first step must be the registration at ECAS site to get your PIC number.

**To be able to use the Participant Portal Submission Service, it's mandatory to have:**

- **an ECAS account:** register yourself through the European Commission Authentication Service (ECAS) in order to access the IT tools of the Participant Portal
- **a PIC number:** the 9-digit Participant Identification Code is used to identify organisations throughout the different steps of a project's lifecycle.

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