## **PARTNER SEARCH**

R.E.A.D. – Ride Enjoy And Discover	
Funding	Erasmus+ 2016
Programme	
Call for	Strategic Partnership KA2 –
proposal	http://ec.europa.eu/youth/programme/partnerships/strat_partnerships_en.htm
Applicant	Association Mobilita Palermo"Mobilita Palermo" is a cultural association founded in 2010 and still active in Palermo (Italy). It proposes a sharing manner from bottom to make information and to aware people on the issues of sustainable mobility, civic sense and territorial development through the use of the web and the creation of innovative activities for engagement.
Topics of	Immigration, social inclusion
interest	
Description of the project	The project involves the development and testing of innovative learning methodologies for young students in the age group 14-18. In particular, students will be supported in the trial of a process of socio-historical research on the issues of immigration and acceptance. Specifically, the student, through the installation of a bicycle pedal in place ("Virtual Bikers") *, will have the opportunity to explore virtual geographic maps related to the theme of migration in Europe. This theme, chosen for the pilot application, will be approached from both an historical and social point of view, as the main aim is the knowledge of the historical process behind migration path.  The object of learning is focused on a very topical issue that has historically affected the European continent as a whole, however the phenomenon is still a social issue and the knowledge of specific episodes with their origin and causes will configure an important step toward acceptance of foreign.  Finally the Virtual Bikers tool allows students to learn the historical causes of migratory flows, European policies, the level of integration of the various communities living in Europe, all strongly related to the acceptance of the different aspects and difficulties that come with it.  The pilot testing will be to assess the impact of the actions undertaken within the project into different aspects of the educational sphere, including the effectiveness of the instrument on learning outcomes, its ability to improve social integration, and reduce early school leaving. The project also aims to strengthen the awareness of the younger generation of their role in influencing political decisions of the European Union in terms of migration flows.  The pedagogical model that will be developed in the project will be adopted in a first pilot trial, focused on the topic of migration and social cross, but with room for replicability of different themes.

	Main activities of the project The project will be divided into three phases: a first phase of research, where students will be involved and subject partner in the production of multimedia content to be included in the geographic maps themesan experimental phase of training tools, again with the involvement of the students in the workshop of a more "technical" a third phase of presentation of the project outputs, or cognitive skills acquired by the users of the platform through innovative methods of learning.  In accompaniment to these steps, we will conduct constant monitoring activity aimed at evaluating the effectiveness of new training methods developed, also the current state of the art.  * "Virtual Bikers" is a system that provides for the possibility of exploring geographic maps virtual through the installation of a bicycle pedal in place. Students ride, its location is displayed in real time on the map, and are at the same time provides information on the subject of learning.
Partner	Schools with previous experience in Erasmus + projects young students in the age
sought	group 16-18,
Duration of	24 months
the project	
Budget	Max 300.000€
Deadline of	31 March 2016
the call for	
proposal	
Deadline for	29 February 2016
receiving	
declaration of	
interest	
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