

## **CB4LLP - COOPERATION AGREEMENT**

CB4LLP Consortium

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Represented by

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and

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### **ON THE BASIS OF**

1. Capacity Building for Lifelong Learning Programme Consortium is an International group lead by CSCS Italy within the framework of the Lifelong Learning Programme, started with the support of the EACEA and by the European Commission and including the following founders:
  - CSCS, ITALY
  - EUCIS LLL, BELGIUM
  - CDEU, DENMARK
  - EfVET, BELGIUM
  - CBE-GEIE, BELGIUM
  - European Minds, SWEDEN
  - ASSET TEC, GREECE
  - SVAP, GREECE

- Lapplands Gymnasium, SWEDEN
  - School of Economics and Business - University of Sarajevo, BOSNIA and HERZEGOVINA.
2. Capacity Building for Lifelong Learning Programme Consortium aims at incorporating European Lifelong Learning Programme (LLP) projects and results into institutional development strategies, and points to the design and the development of methodologies and practical tools to facilitate the exploitation of these projects' results by policy makers and other stakeholders at various levels in setting up policies, strategies and actions.
  3. Capacity Building for Lifelong Learning Programme Consortium creates and promotes new Capacity Building methodologies, to implement practical tools for sectoral, regional, national and international stakeholders, to overcome barriers, to boost cooperation and synergies among different players by sharing methodologies, tools and good practices with a wide audience – primarily with decision makers, public administrators and educational providers – with the objective to contribute to the integration of LLP results and tools within capacity building processes;
  4. ABUplus International GmbH is an educational services provider
  5. Both organizations, in coherence with the objectives of the Programme, are strategic to promote international cooperation and the incorporating of LLP projects results and resources into development strategies;
  6. Both organizations share the interest in establishing synergies and cooperation within the framework of the Capacity Building for Lifelong Learning Programme activities;

## HAVE AGREED

### ART. 1 – Aims

Both organizations declare the willingness to establish a mutual benefit cooperation with the final aim of contributing to Human Resources Development, Organisational Development and Institutional and Legal Framework Development through the promotion of new Capacity Building methodologies and the implementation of practical tools.

### ART. 2 – Activities of CB4LLP Consortium

By signing this agreement the CB4LLP Consortium expresses the willingness to cooperate with ABUplus International GmbH and commits to accomplish the following specific actions:

- Publish on [www.capacitybuilding.eu](http://www.capacitybuilding.eu) the ABUplus International GmbH logo among the beneficiary organizations;



- Support ABUplus International GmbH with disclosure of periodic information about the Consortium activities and initiatives addressed to stakeholders;
- Support ABUplus International GmbH providing learning opportunities within the context of LLP or sub-programmes, concerning any specific aspect of lifelong learning at local, regional, national or international level;
- Support ABUplus International GmbH providing guidance, counselling and information services;
- Setting out tools and methodologies for Human Resources Development, necessary to equip ABUplus International GmbH Capacity Builders with the understanding, the skills and the access to the information, the knowledge and the training and enables them to incorporate effectively LLP projects' results into their Capacity Building activities and strategies;
- facilitating, ABUplus International GmbH, for Organisational Development, in the incorporation of LLP projects' results into the management of structures, processes and procedures, not only within the organisation in itself but also for the management of relationships between other organisations and sectors (public, private, community);
- enabling ABUplus International GmbH, for his Institutional and Legal Framework Development at all organizational levels and in all sectors of his activities, to enhance his capacities in including LLP projects and results in his legal and regulatory changes.

### **ART. 3 – Activities of ABUplus International GmbH**

By signing this agreement ABUplus International GmbH expresses the willingness to cooperate with the CB4LLP Consortium by the means of the following points:

- accessing to periodic information offered by the Consortium on activities and initiatives addressed to stakeholders;
- taking advantage of learning opportunities within the context of LLP or sub-programmes, concerning any specific aspect of lifelong learning at local, regional, national or international level offered by the CB4LLP Consortium;
- taking advantage of support in guidance, counselling and information services;
- taking advantage of CB4LLP tools and methodologies addressed to Human Resources Development;
- taking advantage of CB4LLP tools and methodologies addressed to Organisational Development;
- taking advantage of CB4LLP tools and methodologies addressed to Institutional and Legal Framework Development;



- ABUplus International GmbH is allowed to ask for any other kind of support in Capacity Building activities and resources in all the sectors covered by CB4LLP Consortium activities
- ABUplus International GmbH is allowed to take part with one representative to the Annual Meeting which orientate the activities of the Consortium;
- ABUplus International GmbH is allowed to publish on his website the CB4LLP logo and link to [www.capacitybuilding.eu](http://www.capacitybuilding.eu) website

Both organizations express the willingness to cooperate on Capacity Building initiatives although this Cooperation Agreement do not entail for both organizations any mutual financial nor organizational obligation or commitment.

**ART. 4 – Duration**

The Cooperation Agreement is valid for one year from the date of signature and it will automatically be renewed. Both organizations have the right to withdraw from the Cooperation Agreement at anytime in writing.

**SIGNATURES**

Pistoia, Italy, 15.10.2013

Signature of CB4LLP Consortium  
Mr Giovanni Crisonà, President of CSCS

Berlin, Germany 25.10.2013

Signature of ABUplus International GmbH  
Eva-Maria Henckel, Managing Director