



# Projects Team

VSE Annual General Meeting 2024

Activity Report Jan - May 2024

Future look May - Dec 2024

# How did members benefit from your current work?

- **Identification and communication of project opportunities** with a specific - though not exclusive - focus on national contexts and support of members' project partnerships' creation through VSE's network;
- **Increased level of participation** of members in VSE-led projects;
- **Increased opportunities** for members **to join projects** under new programmes, both within and outside of the EU;
- **Improved strategic coordination** and **shared approach** with members when identifying and pursuing project opportunities;
- Higher availability of **project development** and **implementation templates, guidelines** and **checklists** to members;
- Availability of **new resources** developed through projects, e.g. reports, papers, methodologies, and videos.



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## **BeneVict:**

- Analysing data for the preparation the report on the practical assessment of the VRD;
- Preparation of advocacy strategy;
- Collection of data for the cost-benefit analysis.

## **2Gether4Victims:**

- Further development of the research at the national and EU/international level;
- Organisation of expert focus groups, victim interview and, verification roundtables in partner countries;
- Organised verification workshop at the EU level with international stakeholders and experts.

## **COVIS**

- Study Visit and partners meeting in Croatia, 7-9 March;
- Study visit and partners meeting in France, 9-11 April.

## **LINK**

- Review of the National Briefing Papers sent by project partners;
- Review of the methodology for Child Advisory Boards;
- Feedback on communication and dissemination;
- Initiation of work on the model multidisciplinary cooperation system.

## **IAPHP:**

- Partners meeting in Milan, 19-21 of March.

## **EUCVT DEMOS**

- 4 webinars were organised;
- 14 articles on EUCVT hub published;
- Development of online and hybrid courses for professionals working with victims of terrorism;
- Review and approval of Engagement Strategy;
- Review and approval of Guidance Document.

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## **DISRUPT:**

- Report on national roundtables;
- Conducted additional expert interviews;
- Supported the organisation of EU roundtable;
- Development of social media campaign;
- Develop graphic novel.

## **INVERT:**

- Social media campaign launched;
- Legal and ethical compliance report;
- Submitted deliverable of company focused and victim focused risk indicators for labour trafficking.

## **UNDP Ukraine:**

- Final Report delivered and comments addressed.

## **CROSSING PROTECT:**

- Kick-off meeting.

## **Breaking Barriers:**

- Development of exit strategy training module.

## **Litigate:**

- Consultations with persons with disabilities and with experts in strategic litigation.

## **Chat for Victims:**

- Preparation of Handbook 'Providing distance support-live chat services' version 2 - updated Handbook with lessons learned from the CHAT piloting in Croatia and Slovenia;
- Development of international research report and recommendations.

## **AREV:**

- Drafted impact measurement report;
- Submitted technical and financial report.



# VSE-led proposals

## **Call for proposals for action grants to support transnational projects on training of justice professionals covering civil law, criminal law or fundamental rights:**

VSE led a proposal that aimed at building a knowledge and skills base for legal professionals in Bulgaria, Croatia, Greece, Lithuania and Portugal, enabling legal professionals to engender a human rights based approach in the implementation of the EU Directive 2012/29.

## **Call for proposals to prevent and combat gender-based violence and violence against children:**

VSE is leading a proposal that aims to blend the power of games and facility dogs in supporting children victims of crime who are supported through the Barnahus model.

## **TSI 2024 Flagship technical support project:**

VSE is leading the development of a multi-country proposal (second stage - proposal already approved) on the establishment, implementation and strengthening of a national framework for victim support in Estonia, Malta and Portugal.



# Future look on activities May - Dec 2024

## **BeneVict:**

- Advocacy Workshop on 22 May 2024 in Zagreb;
- Preparation of report for the assessment of the VRD;
- Preparation of cost-benefit analysis report;
- Implementation of advocacy and capacity building events;
- Development of Victims' Rights Index.

## **2Gether4Victims:**

- Organisation of Coffee speed talk during 2024 VSE Annual Conference;
- Publication of the research report;
- Organisation of first study visit(s);
- Development of tool packages for individual needs' assessment and organisational needs' assessment;
- Development of 2G4V podcasts.

## **IAPHP:**

- Training in PT, EL, BE, IT;
- Awareness-raising sessions in PT, EL, BE, IT.

## **LINK:**

- Finalisation of the National Briefing Papers;
- Finalisation of the international synthesis report;
- First in-person meeting (Vilnius, Lithuania).

## **No-Oblivion:**

- Participating in the kick-Off meeting;
- Preparation of dissemination and exploitation strategy;
- Creation of Justice Professionals network.

## **COVIS**

- Final Conference October 2024.

## **EUCVT DEMOS**

- Delivery of 10 Hybrid training courses for 200 professionals across the EU;
- Publication of up to 35 articles on EU CVT Hub;
- Implementation of Engagement Strategy;
- Dissemination of Guidance Document;
- Organisation and delivery of 7 webinars.



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## **DISRUPT:**

- Conduct validation interviews;
- In-person partner meeting in June 2024;
- Develop graphic novel;
- Organise dissemination webinar;
- Support development of capacity building activities on national and EU level.

## **INVERT:**

- Realization of prototype;
- Development and implementation of training manuals and training;
- In-person workshop with all partners in May;
- Awareness raising materials;
- Test and validate prototype INVERT suite in a specific and general environment.

## **INVICTUS:**

- Kick-Off meeting in Brussels;
- Preparation of research methodology;
- Development of dissemination strategy.

## **Breaking Barriers:**

- Drafting of final report.

## **Litigate:**

- Guidebook on strategic litigation;
- Training to legal experts on strategic litigations;
- Podcasts focused on strategic litigation.

## **Chat for Victims:**

- International research report and recommendations;
- Handbook 'Providing distance support-live chat services'.

## **CROSSING PROTECT:**

- Welcoming training event in Brussels;
- Training methodology.



# THANK YOU!

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