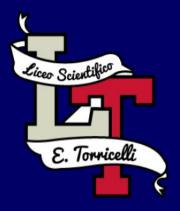
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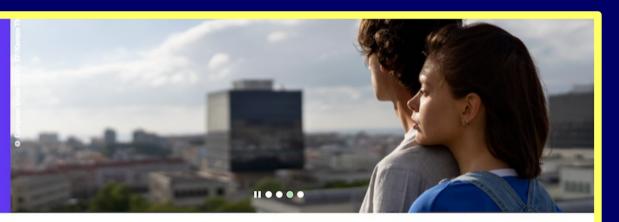
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"From knowledge to civic engagement"

Discover the citizens' recommendations on the Future of Europe.

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The future is in your hands

European Citizens' Panels

National Citizens' Panels

Discover the final report

The Conference on the Future of Europe has ended on 9 May 2022 and with that also the possibility to contribute on the platform.

Students' Presentations





A BETTER FUTURE FOR THE EU

- A better future for ex-inmates (Christian Frederiksen, Ocèanne Odorizzi)
- EU in the Ukraine-Russia conflict (Federico Grata, Tommaso Fabi)
- Teaching basic economics and finance in EU schools (Παναγιώτης Παπλάς Matilde Piliego)
- Infinite Energy: A new type of source (Luca Girelli, Ilaria Malacorti)
- Youth for Europe: "A twinning project in presence" (Eleonora Ceron, Elisa Rocco)
- Promoting health in school (Sara Masha, Teti Vismara)
- The revolution of the EU's school system (Francesco Scianamè, Florian Ciavatta)

A better future for ex-inmates

THE PROBLEM:

- Reintegration of ex-prisoners difficult, high probability to relapse into crime
- Recidivism data (inmates <u>not</u> engaged in a productive circuit):

Italy: 68.4%

Germany: 50% (mostly minors)

• Recidivism data (inmates engaged in a productive circuit):

Italy: <10% Norway: 20%

Recidivism leads to high maintenance costs: average of
2.9 billion euros per year in Italy

EUROPEAN PROJECTS:

• European Social Fund finances the INTRA Project: courses and internships for inmates

OUR RECOMMENDATION

- Our proposals:
 - create mandatory projects and professional training courses within prisons
 - Innovate family visits
 - (e.g. Danish penitentiary system)

European Union in the Ukranian-Russian Conflict

Geopolitical situation:

24th February

Three sides: Crimea, Belarus and Donbass

Russian economy has reached a point close to default by the national bank

Active involvement of the population in the conflict

Plausible Solutions:

EU uses the annual incomes, around 140/150 billions, to finance diplomatic activities

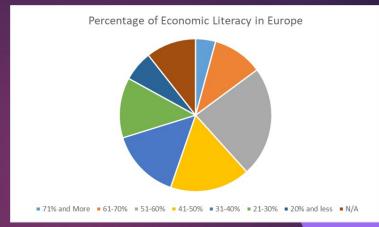
European Union hegemonic role in the crisis

Use of the CFSP as guarantor of democracies

TEACHING BASIC ECONOMICS AND FINANCE IN EU SCHOOLS

THE PROBLEM:

The European Union hasn't invested enough on this topic. According to surveys, financial literacy levels range from 71% to 13% and young adults come out of highschool without a proper understanding of economics.



OUR SOLUTION:

Our solution is to create courses during the school year and an online platform accessible to everyone with material on the following topics:

- How to pay taxes
- loans and debts
- How credit cards, debit cards, payment cards work in general
- How to open a bank account
- How to start a business
- How to invest and how stock market works
- How real estate works

INFINITE ENERGY: A NEW TYPE OF SOURCE

The Problem

Current sources of energy are dangeorus or aren't enough, we need a new type of renewable energy: nuclear fusion.

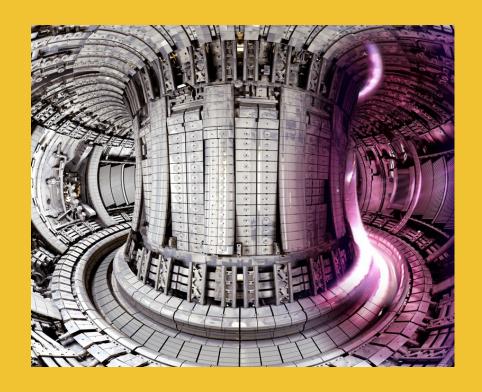
What is Europe doing

A new fusion reactor in France planned for 2035

The **ITER** (International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor) project

What our suggestion is

A communication campaign mainly through social media



Youth for Europe

"A twinning project in presence"



What has Europe done until today:

- -ERASMUS +
- -E-TWINNING
- -FRANCO-GERMAN YOUTH OFFICE

Our Topic

- -COLLECTIVE ACTIVITY BETWEEN ALL EU HIGH SCHOOLS
- -CARRIED OUT IN ENGLISH OR IN A COMMON LANGUAGE
- -OVER ONE OR TWO WEEKS
- -SPECIAL FACILITIES
- -MORNING: LESSONS
- -AFTERNOON: TOURIST TRIPS



Why have we chosen this topic:

- -MORE COLLABORATION AND INTEGRATION
- -"KINGDOM OF YOUTH"
- -OPEN OUR MINDS
- -APPROACH NEW METHODS

PROMOTING HEALTH IN SCHOOL

- relationship with the body
- important for adolescence to accompany them during the period of changes
- what has the EU done: TigerKids
- increase of problems with COVID19
- promote healthy eating in school
- working week in the third year of secondary school



The revolution of the Eu's school system

- The problems of the current system
- Education is not a
 European policy priority
- The weak link between the various national education systems
- The absence of a more structured involvement of students in the school



- Eu education policy projects
- Erasmus+
- European Solidarity Corps
- European Week of Sport



- 3 Our recommendations
- Introduce sport in a more significant way into schools
- Constitute a network of teams established directly within the schools
- Create a greater sense of community that expand a greater bond between European schools

UROPEAN

CORPS

SOLIDA



Gender Pay Gap





- → Earnings
- → Unpaid Work
- → STEM
- → Slow Decrease



What have we done?

- Directive
- Education
- → Strategy fo equality



What should we do?

- → Educate
- → Mandatory Paternity Hours

DIRECTION NATURE

OUR IDEA

The number of green areas on the European territory should be incremented.

WHAT EU HAS DONE

Cultural events, "Green Deal", vast amount of projects.

OUR SOLUTIONS

Host more events, plant more trees, encourage people to take part in these events.



By Balestrucci Cristian, Luchi Emily, Vedovelli Mattia

The dark side of trade

Problems		European policy	Recommendations	
	Eco-sustainability	New circular economy package, eco design and sustainable and sustainable consumption	Request, from countries that want to export to Europe, a maximum limit of greenhouse gas emissions	
	Condition of workers	Rules to counter the exploitation of workers	Funds insurance for frequent checks and screenings and more requirements	
	Disposable fashion and consumer awareness	E.U. law which provides for clarity and accuracy in company declarations	More support of second-hand organizations and elimination of occult advertisements	

Issues:

- Serious burden on the economy
- Fear of stigmatization and discrimination
- Unbalanced nutrition



What the EU has already done:

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European Alliance Against Depression

★ (EAAD)
Joint Action
ImpleMENTAL

Our recommendations:

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Awareness raising; meetings in

- schools/enterprises
- Questionnaire with target questions
 Provide help or support also free of charge

FOR A BETTER MIGRATION

SYSTEM

Problem:
Better management of the migrants' flow

What Europe has done:

Dublin Regulation

New Pact on Migration and

Asylum (failed attempt)

Our ideas:
Twinning between Europe and poor
countries
Help to the first-arrival countries

JUST EAT... HEALTHY!

PROBLEM: pathologies

EU'S POLICY:

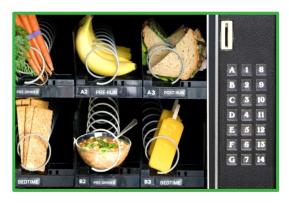
- 1. HealthyLifestyle4All campaign
- 2. Financial support to promoters
- 3. Database of food ingredients

• . RECOMMENDATIONS:

- A. Distribution of healthy food in schools
- B. Informative app for smartphones











THE NECESSARY FIGHT AGAINST CLIMATE CHANGE

Project - The Youth's EU

THE PROBLEM

- what the EU should do
- why support innovation and environmental research

THE SOLUTION

- reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 55% until 2030
- be integrated across all policy areas
- substantial public and private investment

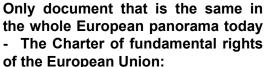
OUR SUGGESTION

- change our habits
- don't use plastic bottles
- use sustainable energy

Alessandro Baldin, Giada Rossato, Iris Rettondini

Does the EU need a Constitution?





- 1) Chapter I Dignity
- 2) Chapter II Freedoms
- 3) Chapter III Equality
- 4) Chapter IV Solidarity
- 5) Chapter V Citizens' Rights
- 6) Chapter VI Justice
- 7) Chapter VII General Provisions



Our suggestions for a possible common Constitution:

- The "Rule of Law" should be the same in every European country.
- Human rights and children's rights are already included in the Charter of fundamental rights - Controls must increase!
- Gender equality should be revised in order to finally create the same opportunities in all areas for men and women.
- About LGBTIQ laws should be made in order to regulate the matter.
 Doing this, themes like equality and hospitality should be considered.
- EU citizenship should be reformed: IUS SOLI should be the key point.
- Judicial cooperation should be standardised by the EU to be the same in all member states
- Regarding racism, laws should be created in order to have major judicial power against those who propagate it and are guilty of it.



DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION

DIGITAL PUBLIC SERVICES AND NEXT GENERATION INTERNET

What has changed?

Business meetings -> online meetings

paper documents -> digital documents

ability to use computers

communication

real time

Recommendation

days dedicated only to these issues

Activities, discussions about the topic

provide a service to all teachers and educate them

digital platform -> visit in real time the council of the Union



PRINCIPLES AND VALUES OF FUTURE TRADE

Fair and free trade has not been achieved yet. The EU has already made many trade agreements, but the problem is still there. For this reason we would like to make some suggestions.

Our recommendation are:

- support small businesses and encourage the creation of new businesses, especially "green and technological"
- to amortize the increases in taxes due to the increase in raw materials
- investing in the free market
- investing in the ecological transition

Fair trade is a form of trade that
aims to guarantee the producer and
his employees a fair price
his employees a market in which
Free market is a market in which
prices of goods are afforadable for
prices and consumers
producers and consumers

EDUCATION, CULTURE, YOUTH AND SPORT



1

Due to the pandemic:
-opportunities of
teaching

-learning abroad, drastically declined.

2

To study abroad with the Project Erasmus+:

-you must be registered in a higher education institution

-for students max. 12 months and for teaching staff 2 months.

3

Extend maximum teaching period to an entire year

4

International high school program

- -network of schools across Europe
- -exchange of teachers, teaching methods and multilingualism

Algrang, Bertacchi, Reyna Salas

FIGHTING UNEMPLOYMENT AND SOCIAL DISCRIMINATION

THE PROBLEM:

Poverty → social

exclusion

Rising rate of unemployment

Non-regular workers

Project - Youth's EU

THE SOLUTION:

EU and European Central Bank work on different aspects regarding labour market institutions, workers mobility and adaptability and economic changes.

OUR SUGGESTIONS:

- Economic incentive for employers
- Bonus income for new workers
- Incentivize to take language exams through bonuses

Gabriele de Mayda, Maximilian Sitzmann, Miriam Cordioli

Conference on the future of Europe, project

EU IN THE WORLD

Pietro Bonadio, Jana Fortunato, Greta Malfertheiner

SPORT, YOUTH AND EDUCATION

Chiara Varsallona, Lisa Baratieri, Andrea Pizzato

RIGHTS AND VALUES

Clara Costa, Laura Vecchiato, Daniele Aldi

HEALTH

Jovana Adzic, Valentina Palmitano, Denise Carlin

MIGRATION

Denise Zanvettor, Ilaria Carelli, Martina Vinante



Water: a right for everyone!



Why did we choose this topic?

No clean water

Epidemic diseases

Walk kilometers for water

Recommendations

- Build more wells
- New methods to purify water
- New technologies



SPORT UNITES US



THE PROBLEMS

- Scholarships
- economic support
- tournaments

THE POLICY

Activation of different projects in the field of sport

RECOMMENDATIONS

- Unite all EU member States
- Economic support to individuals and states
- We need more active EU citizens

SAME-SEX COUPLES: ADOPTION

FOCUS:

Protecting the rights of European citizens: right of adoption of same-sex couples

RECOMMENDATION:

Since the EU has not the power to affect national laws, our recommendation to improve European policy in regard to this issue is to raise awareness through:

- education
- social media

A GREAT MENTAL HEALTH FOR A GREAT SOCIETY

EU-POLICY

- not part of their competences
- many barriers:
 - co-payment
 - limited session
 - lack of resources
 - waiting lists

RECOMMENDATIONS

- "general psychologist" that assists the general practitioner
- money from dead-end projects and Recovery Fund

Adzic J., Palmitano V., Carlin D. Liceo Pascoli 3 I

Migration: what can be done?

- the problem is how borders and opportunities for a better future are managed
- the EU policies/rights (MPI Europe) are:
 - the stay
 - access to the labour market and housing
 - medical care
 - access to education for children
- our recommendations:
 - EU states need to receive at least a small part of immigrants
 - EU states are obliged to accept it

YOUTH'S EUROPE: FROM KNOWLEDGE TO CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

Presentation of the papers of class 3S del LICEO PASCOLI to the EU practitioners 16 may 2022



Topics

EU & WORLD: ——	Army	
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EU & HEALTH:		Mental Health
		Health Promotion
EU & SOCIAL RIGHTS: ——		Racism
		Inclusive Economy

1. EU in the World: Army

Lack of an EU common army:

- Lack of cooperation between national armies.
- Every member state has its own military
- Inefficient spending

What the EU already does:

- Lisbon Treaty → <u>PESCO</u>
- 9 forces and bodies

Why?

Improve security.

Affirm the **authority** of the EU on a global scale.

Achieve a higher profile in the international community.

Military **autonomy.**

Economic advantages.

Attraction and deterrent.

2. EU and Migration: Legal pathways to migrate

- Solutions implemented by the EU
- Change point of view about migrants and migration
- Advantages and recommendations
- Activities to make it happen



3. EU and Health: Mental Health

Why is mental health important?

- country sustainability
- long-term growth
- greater productivity

What the EU is trying to achieve:

- Study projects
- Technical assistance
- Independence from other countries
- Ensuring better access to healthcare

Why should the EU invest in mental health?

- 84 million people suffer of mental problems
- treatment not available for everyone
- only 3.5 % of the health care resources are dedicated to mental health



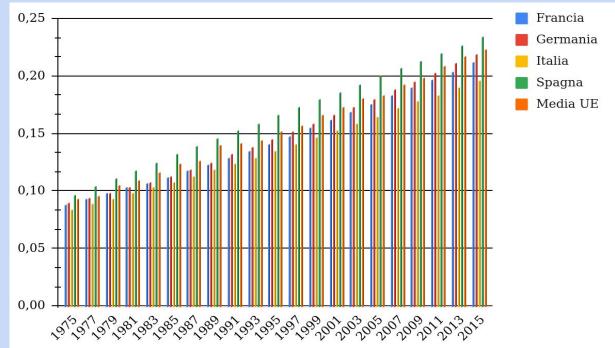
Recommendations

European Commission through member states:

- more visibility on the web
- lower the cost of the treatments
- increase the number of specialized doctors

4. EU and Health: Health Promotion

- One in three teenagers suffers from physical problems
- headache (37%), insomnia (35%), back pain (31%)
- Since 1975 obesity rate in Europe has tripled



Introduction of <u>health courses</u> by specialized instructors

Our proposal:

- Education of adolescents responsibility of individual states
- Equal protection rights like equal conditions competence of EU

5. EU and social Rights: Racism

Values and rights, rule of law, security

Despite the prohibition of discrimination in the European Union, racism still persists in our society and EU has to be active against it with specific policies.

- → EU ANTI-RACISM ACTION PLAN (adopted on 18 September 2020)
- → Our proposal: focus on sensitizing children:
 - Self awareness → to understand people with different experiences
 - Introduction of events like European awareness days
 - Creation of learning opportunities→ acknowledge ethnic diversity and prevent racism through social justice
 - Creation of anti-racist/equity-oriented culture and climate within school environment → culturally relevant teaching

6. EU and Social Rights: Inclusive Economy

Inequality in economy between member states:

equal opportunities; active support for employment; secure and adaptable employment; wages

Equal opportunities, access to the labour market - fair working conditions - social protection and inclusion

Recommendations:

- Reduce inequality
- Introducing laws → protect employees
- Social protection→increase pensions