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BRIGHTS

Fostering social cohesion and promoting
intercultural dialogue and democratic
values in Europe



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ABOUT BRIGHTS

BRIGHTS is our initiative for promoting **Global Citizenship Education (GCE)** in formal and non-formal education.

What is **Global Citizenship Education**?

It is a developing practice, which started from the need to deal with the changing international social and political situations, globalization, migration, multi-cultural societies and climate change, to name a few.

These 'global' issues have led many countries to develop practices known as "Global Citizenship Education". The methods used and the practices adopted in different countries are often not the same and not based on the same thinking.

HOW?

We build educators' capacity to teach **Global Citizenship** to their students with the help of **digital storytelling** techniques.

We will also inform policy-makers and civil society on what Global Citizenship Education is and why it is important"

WHY?

Our ultimate goal is to give young people real opportunities to challenge discrimination, value cultural diversity, and become active global citizens.





WHO CAN BENEFIT?

- Educators working in formal and non-formal educational settings with young people: secondary school teachers, youth workers, trainers, etc.
- Young people (13-19 years old)
- Organisations providing learning opportunities for youngsters at risk of social exclusion
- Education and training policy-makers and stakeholders

JOIN OUR COMMUNITY ON GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION!

This community is an open working group for anyone willing to support and advocate for the potential adoption of GCE as an inclusive educational methodology in different contexts and at different levels using digital tools.

Join and follow us here:

www.unite-it.eu/group/global-citizenship-education

BRIGHTS is an EU-funded project implemented in Belgium, Croatia, Greece and Italy and lasts two years (2017-2018).

OUTCOMES

- **Collection of good practices** for promotion and learning of GCE
- **Blended training course for educators** (including a MOOC and face-to-face workshops) on how to implement GCE using digital storytelling
- **Digital stories** produced by young people on GCE topics, such as human rights, peace and democratic values, intercultural dialogue, active citizenship, etc.
- **European Community on GCE** on the Unite-IT platform
- **Information kit on GCE** for policy-makers
- **Policy recommendations on GCE**, based on the project experimentation in Belgium, Croatia, Greece and Italy

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