

# 1<sup>st</sup> Newsletter of the EARTH Project

Subject: 🚀 OFFICIAL: EARTH Has Started! – Summary of the First Online Steering Committee Meeting

## 🌟 The EARTH Project Takes Off!

We are pleased to announce the official launch of EARTH – Every Action Restores The Harmony, a key initiative co-funded by the European Union under the Erasmus+ Capacity Building in the Field of Youth programme.

The project runs for 24 months (1 November 2025 – 31 October 2027) and aims to strengthen the environmental capacities of young people and youth NGOs, particularly in rural and disadvantaged areas, with a strong focus on the Eastern Partnership region (Ukraine, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Moldova). For more information, visit the official project page: [EARTH Project – HEKET Foundation](#)

### ● Strategic Kick-Off: First Online Steering Committee Meeting

The official first step of the project has been successfully completed.

On 4 December 2025, the consortium held the inaugural Online Steering Committee Meeting, bringing together all 17 representatives from partner organisations across Eastern Europe and Spain.

Led by the Coordinator, Fundacja Heket (Poland), the meeting was essential to:

- Introduce and reaffirm the project's objectives and expected results
- Define the specific responsibilities of each partner within the Work Packages
- Outline the next crucial steps, including:
  - Research seminars in partner countries
  - Development of the DriveEd LMS digital training platform
  - Methodology preparation for the training needs assessment study



## 🎯 Main Objectives of the EARTH Project

The overarching goal of EARTH is to strengthen the environmental knowledge and capacities of youth and youth NGOs in rural and disadvantaged communities.

To achieve this, the project will focus on:

### 📖 Innovative Training

Development of online training programmes for youth NGOs in Ukraine, Moldova, Georgia, and Azerbaijan, focused on environmental competencies and sustainability.

### 💻 Digital Platform

Creation of a dedicated online learning platform hosting training materials, multimedia resources, and environmental awareness campaigns.

### 🌱 Youth Environmental Projects

Support for young people to design and implement local ecological initiatives and challenges, encouraging concrete actions within their communities.

### 🤝 The International Consortium

The success of EARTH relies on the collaboration of a strong and committed partnership:

Role	Organisation	Country
Coordinator	Fundaĉja Heket	Poland
Partner	Cappadocia Innovation Institute, Ministry of Youth and Sports	Türkiye
Partner	La Salle Andalucía	Spain
Partner	Kharkiv IT Cluster, King Danylo University	Ukraine
Partner	IDIS Viitorul	Moldova
Partner	Society Bridge to the Future	Georgia
Associated Partner	Young Leaders' Education Training and Development Public Union	Azerbaijan

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