



“UPCYCLING CLOTHING REGENERATION VIA CIRCULAR EMBROIDERY”

2024-1-DE02-KA210-VET-000249741



UPcycling clothing regeneration via circular embroidery”: all the results of the innovative clothing recycling project, funded by the Erasmus Plus Programme, VET sector.

INTRODUCTION:

Our project “UPcycling clothing regeneration via circular embroidery” - 2024-1-DE02-KA210-VET-000249741 has now come to an end: in this final newsletter, we'll share all the results achieved and the project activities implemented.

The **project began** on **September 1, 2024**, and **ended on August 31, 2025**.

Happy reading!

COORDINATOR

The Deutsche Stickgilde
e.V. - Germany

PARTNER

Think Act Go Green/TAG-Green -
Athens, Greece

In Progress - Messina - Italy



PROJECT ACTIVITY



A4: Piloting

After the training course that took place in **Greece (Athens)**, from **11th to 13th February 2025**, the project partners, the trainers of TAG GREEN and IN PROGRESS, started the piloting in their country, creating the first group of trainers in each partner country.

2 trainers trained multiplied the lessons learnt through the training, take a hold of their new knowledge and widen the capacity of the course to bring results.

A4: Piloting in Greece

- Number of participants:16
- Duration May - June 2025
- Location- full address Tag Green workshop & Fabric Republic Premises Kifisou 108, 10443 Athens, Greece

Description:

The pilot training took place over five consecutive working sessions, involving 16 participants from various backgrounds. Most participants were mainly staff members from Fabric Republic, a key initiative of TAG-Green, who are actively engaged in clothing collection, sorting, and regeneration.

Conclusion and perspectives

The piloting phase in Greece demonstrated the feasibility and relevance of embedding embroidery into the upcycling workflow of Fabric Republic. The hands-on nature of the training fostered high engagement, and the results showed clear potential for scale-up.





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A4: Piloting in Greece - PHOTOS

The images:

Some of the works created by participants during the workshops.



Some Feedback:

"I feel very good, and I am excited about the sewing class. I couldn't make anything before, and now I have beautiful and practical things, a case for my glasses, my keys, my cards, pins for my jackets, which I show to my friends! And I feel proud that I made them with my own hands".

"The course offers me relaxation and stress relief".



PROJECT ACTIVITY

A4: Piloting in Italy

- Number of participants: 15
- Duration 25 - 29 august 2025
- Location- full address: via *Mariano Riccio* 22 - Messina (Me), Italy

Description:

From August 25 to 29, 2025, the Italian pilot project took place in collaboration with the Solidarity in Action association, with the support of Angelina Cafarella, a trainer trained by Dr. Aldo Cammara.

Conclusion:

The result was quite promising: the guys applied themselves with dedication and created interesting and useful works for future work application, consequently improving their embroidery skills.



The images:

Participants during the workshops and their work.



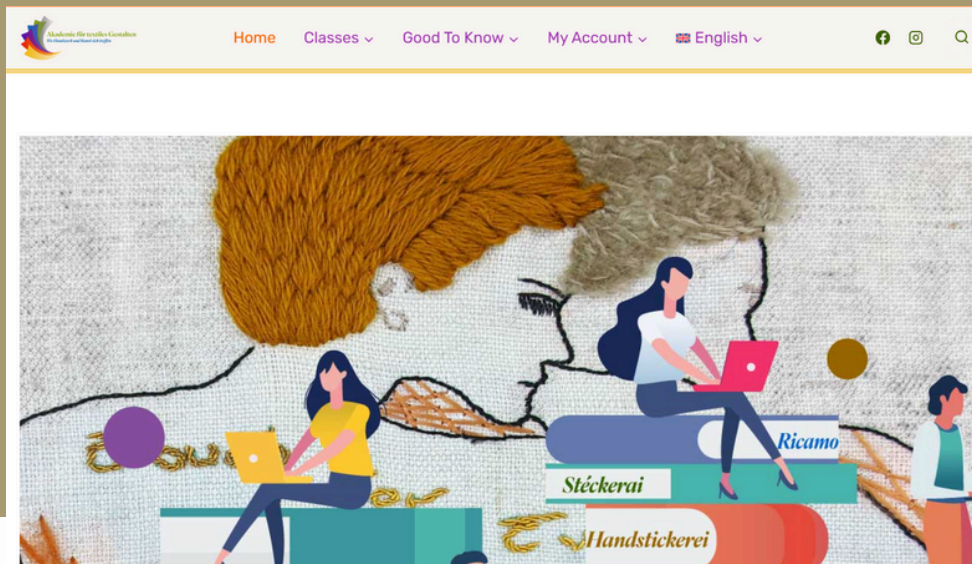


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Recall A2 Activity, now available in the practical set of courses: the e-learning platform “Textilart Academy.”

All implemented training courses have been made available free of charge via the Textilart Academy e-learning platform: This platform includes free basic courses that provide a step-by-step introduction to the world of hand embroidery. Users will learn the most important terms, materials, and tools, applying basic fastening techniques and receiving instructions on key stitches.



Direct link of the Platform: <https://textilart.academy/>



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A5: Exploitation Activity

This activity was created with the goal of preserving the art of embroidery and making it functional. Thanks to the skills provided during the pilots, all final beneficiaries gained a competitive advantage in the fashion industry and, at the same time, added value in contributing to environmental protection through garment circularity. This activity aimed to combine digital expertise with functionality.

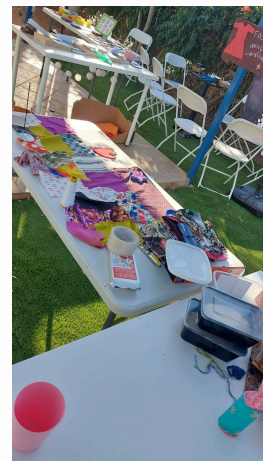
A6: Dissemination Activity

The main results of this activity, in line with the project's objectives, were:

1) The project website: it can be consulted at the following web address:

- <https://upcyclingembroidery.eu/>

2) The Multiplier Events, took place in Greece (24th of June 2025) and Italy (30th of August 2025):





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A6: Dissemination Activity

3) **Brochure** briefly illustrating the project, available in all partner languages on the project website.

Il progetto crea un modello educativo aperto, utilizzabile anche da altre istituzioni. Tutti i curricula formativi, i materiali didattici e gli esempi saranno disponibili sulla piattaforma di apprendimento online dell'Accademia. Aggiornamenti regolari, foto e storie saranno pubblicati sul sito web del progetto, sui social media e nelle newsletter dei partner. In questo modo si crea una rete europea che unisce il patrimonio artigianale tessile alla sostenibilità innovativa, dando al ricamo una nuova vita nell'economia circolare.

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Όλα τα αναπτυγμένα προγράμματα σπουδών, το εκπαιδευτικό υλικό και τα παραδείγματα θα δημοσιευθούν στην ηλεκτρονική μαθησιακή πλατφόρμα της Ακαδημίας.

Τακτικές δημοσιεύσεις, φωτογραφίες και ιστορίες θα εμφανίζονται στην ιστοσελίδα του έργου, στα μέσα κοινωνικής δικτύωσης και στα ενημερωτικά δελτία των εταιρών.

Έτσι δημιουργείται ένα πανευρωπαϊκό δίκτυο, που συνδέει την παραδοσιακή υφαντική τέχνη με τη βιώσιμη καινοτομία και δίνει στο κέντημα μια νέα ζωή μέσα στην κυκλική οικονομία.

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