



Activity Report 2025



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Dr. Antonia Torrens, General Director KMOP

Dear all,

For almost half a century, KMOP has remained dedicated to proposing innovative solutions that address modern societal challenges, empowering individuals and strengthening communities to create tangible and lasting change.

Our journey began on **19 November 1977**, when **Vivi Papadimitriou** founded KMOP in Perama, initially focusing on providing essential social services to vulnerable populations. What started as a local initiative has since evolved into a dynamic organization with a strong presence in **Greece, Belgium, and North Macedonia**. Our mission is clear: to **empower individuals** and **strengthen communities** to thrive in an ever-changing world.

Over the years, we have had the privilege of empowering thousands of people, by offering direct social services while implementing a wide array of social innovation initiatives. These initiatives have been integral in building more resilient communities. Our programs have reached over **450,000 individuals**, making a significant and positive difference in their lives.

Our objectives have been achieved through a **multifaceted approach**, which includes **social services, education, research and policy**, and **raising awareness**. By establishing strong partnerships with national and international organizations, as well as collaborating with the Greek state and local authorities, we have broadened our scope and impact.

In this report, you will discover some of the key highlights of our work in 2025 in Greece, Belgium, North Macedonia, and our broader presence across Europe and beyond. Throughout the year, we reached more than **15,000 individuals** across fourteen thematic areas, ranging from bullying prevention and child protection to mental health, human trafficking prevention, migrant inclusion, education, sustainability, and civic participation.

On behalf of KMOP, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to our dedicated team, partners, and supporters who have been with us every step of the way. Their tireless contributions have made this remarkable journey possible.

As we reflect on our accomplishments, I am also mindful of the challenges that lie ahead. Yet, I remain confident that, together, we can overcome these obstacles and continue to make a meaningful difference.

Let's work together to build just and sustainable societies where every individual is valued.

Warm regards,



ABOUT KMOP

KMOP-Social Action and Innovation Centre was founded in Greece, in 1977, with the aim of combating poverty, strengthening social cohesion, and protecting fundamental human rights. In recent years, alongside these core goals, KMOP has increasingly focused on the emerging challenges faced by modern societies, such as social isolation, inequalities, sustainable development, demographic ageing, and the risks posed by artificial intelligence.

By combining hands-on experience from its social and educational services with research and statistical analysis, KMOP is uniquely positioned to provide technical assistance and policy recommendations to governments and institutional actors, both in Greece and across the European countries where it operates.

Over the last two decades, KMOP has launched more than **500 social innovation initiatives**, positively impacting over **450,000 individuals** with the support of both institutional and private donors. Our achievements have earned recognition and led to lasting partnerships with key public institutions and significant organizations. Notable collaborations include memorandums of understanding with the Greek Ministry of Culture and Sports, the Ministry of Education, the Central Union of Municipalities of Greece, the Office of the Greek National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings, and CISCO's International Centre for Digital Transformation and Digital Skills in Greece.

Additionally, **KMOP actively participates in national and international networks** that align with our mission. These include COFACE Families Europe, the EQUALS Global Partnership, the Greek National Referral Mechanism for the Protection of Victims of Human Trafficking, the Athens Coordination Centre for Migrant and Refugee (ACCMR), the European Migration Forum, the Radicalisation Awareness Network, the Hellenic Platform for Development, and the Diesis Network.

*Empowering communities
and individuals*

for nearly half a century

OUR PERMANENT
PRESENCE

in 2025



450,000
BENEFICIARIES
OVER THE LAST **30** YEARS

49 YEARS OF
EXPERIENCE

150
EMPLOYEES



500
INITIATIVES
IMPLEMENTED

PERMANENT
PRESENCE IN

3 COUNTRIES

2,500
PARTNER ORGANISATIONS
IN OVER **40** COUNTRIES

WHAT WE DO

Social support services

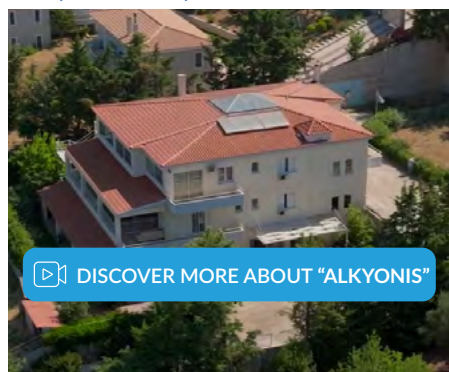
We provide direct social services and online counselling to help individuals and communities thrive.

Three Group Houses

We operate three Group Houses, "Alkyonis" and "Kalypso" in Kapandriti, Attica, and "Prooptiki" in Xylokastro, Peloponnese. We support 45 individuals with chronic mental health conditions, helping them live with dignity and independence. Our expert team of psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, and mental health nurses provides 24/7 care.



Group House "Alkyonis"



DISCOVER MORE ABOUT "ALKYONIS"

Group House "Kalypso"



DISCOVER MORE ABOUT "KALYPSO"

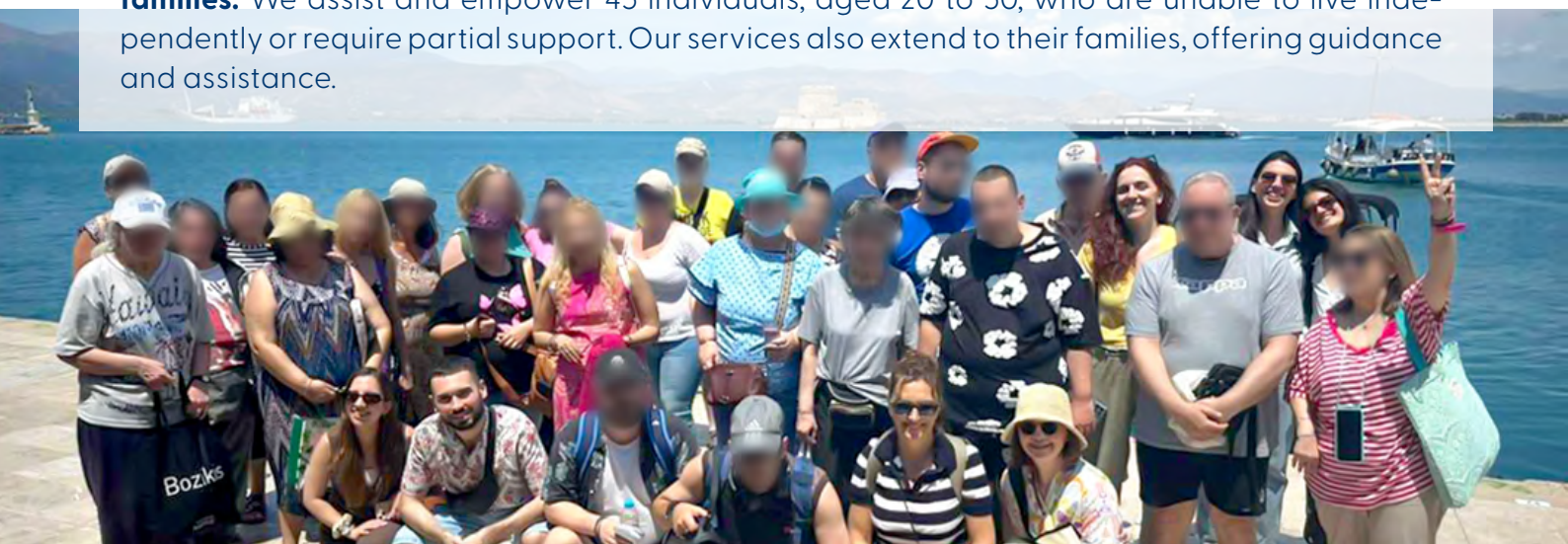
Group House "Prooptiki"



DISCOVER MORE ABOUT "PROOPTIKI"

Day Care Center

We provide daytime services to **individuals with chronic mental health conditions and their families**. We assist and empower 45 individuals, aged 20 to 50, who are unable to live independently or require partial support. Our services also extend to their families, offering guidance and assistance.



Online Counselling Platform “Live Without Bullying”

Established in 2015, “Live Without Bullying” is an initiative of KMOP aiming to combat bullying in school, cyberbullying and bullying in sports. Through Live Without Bullying, KMOP offers free, confidential counselling services to pupils, parents, and educators, as well as a series of capacity building seminars for each of the above groups. Since its launch, more than

45,000 individuals have been assisted

through the platform in Greece. KMOP has signed memoranda of cooperation with the Ministry of Education, the Ministry of Sports and other public bodies of the Greek State to combat bullying in various settings. The platform has also been recognized by COFACE Families Europe as a best practice in Europe, and in October 2022 it was distinguished globally by the organization “HundrEd” in Finland, as one of the 100 most important and innovative actions in the field of education.





Education

We roll out programmes of **upskilling, reskilling, and empowerment** for all, for the most vulnerable, and for professionals of the social sector. So far, we have developed over 80 courses that have benefited more than **70,000 individuals**, providing them with the tools and skills they need to succeed in all aspects of life.



Research & Policy Design

We carry out **applied research** and suggest **social policies** based on ethically collected data and feedback from more than **120,000 beneficiaries**, insights gained from **500 micro-initiatives**, as well as **social impact assessment** using innovative methodologies.



Raising Awareness

We place a high priority on raising awareness and sparking **public dialogue** to highlight new solutions and **bring to light new perspectives** that address modern societal challenges. By engaging major actors of the public, private and civil society sectors, we seek to bring key societal issues to the forefront, exchange knowledge and creative ideas, and foster a more **informed and prepared society for the future ahead**.

2025 HIGHLIGHTS: DRIVING PROGRESS WHERE IT MATTERS MOST

14
thematic areas
we made social
impact in 2025



**Mental Health, Wellbeing
& Psychosocial Support**



Bullying



**Child
Protection**



**Domestic & Gender
Based Violence**



**Human
Trafficking**



**Equality &
Non-Discrimination**



**Civic Engagement &
Quality of Democracy**



**Environmental Sustainability
& Climate Resilience**



Education



Migration



**Employment & Social
Entrepreneurship**



**Violence, Extremism,
Radicalization**



Disabilities



Social Inclusion

A blurred background image showing a group of people sitting and talking. In the foreground, a person with long brown hair is seen from the back, wearing a grey sweater. In the background, another person is visible, wearing a white shirt and blue jeans, with their hands clasped. The setting appears to be an indoor space with large windows.

Mental Health, Wellbeing & Psychosocial Support

Mental health and psychosocial support services



117 individuals

including people with chronic but less severe mental health disorders, were supported and empowered in our Day Care Centre, on a daily basis, by accessing personalized and group counselling sessions, family and caregiver support, and psychoeducation activities. Our goal was to care for their mental wellbeing, help them regain control and improve the quality of their life, strengthen their ability to manage daily challenges, as well as educate the general public on mental health issues.

The users of our services are:

- ▶ Adults with psychosis, less severe but chronic mental health disorders and their families
- ▶ Adults with mild mental health disorders
- ▶ Adults who are seeking individual counselling and information on mental health and rehabilitation issues.
- ▶ Adults interested in strengthening their psychosocial skills (such as young people, women, parents, migrants)

We provided the following services:





KMOP joins WHO's event on mental health and wellbeing of children, adolescents and families



Angeliki Oikonomopoulou, Psychologist MSc
& Scientific Director of KMOP's "Ariadne" Day Centre

We actively contributed to the World Health Organization (WHO) Regional Office for Europe event **"Growing Healthier Together"**, held in May at the Zappeion Gardens in Athens, bringing together organisations, professionals, and families to strengthen dialogue around children's and adolescents' mental health and wellbeing. On the event's main stage, our experts presented KMOP's initiatives aimed at empowering children, parents, and educators through mental health support services, awareness raising activities, and educational programmes that foster emotional resilience and wellbeing.

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Nikoleta Kyranna, Sociologist at KMOP
Maria Kritsotaki, Social Worker at the Day Centre



KMOP strengthens psychosocial professionals' wellbeing and resilience in Albania



KMOP trained, from 27 to 30 May, **45 social workers** from the Municipality of Shkodër in Albania on preventing burnout, promoting mental wellbeing, and establishing healthy professional boundaries in demanding psychosocial support environments.

“Workshops like this help us connect and align as a team. When we understand each other better, we provide more responsible and higher-quality services—without burning out.

Lori, participant

Through interactive workshops and practical exercises, participants strengthened their understanding of self-care strategies, emotional resilience, and sustainable support practices that improve both professionals' wellbeing and the quality of services delivered to vulnerable individuals and communities.

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“This was the first time I attended a training that focused on our wellbeing and service quality. It made me feel heard, valued, and professionally supported.

Flavio, a social administrator





New online platform for GEN Z mental health and wellbeing in Greece

KMOP's new online platform that offers mental health support by providing educational resources, tools, and opportunities for connection and engagement was presented at an event we organised for **200 young people, youth workers, educators, and mental health professionals** in October. Through the interactive online event participants explored how emotional wellbeing influences young people's confidence, resilience, relationships, and overall quality of life, highlighting that when young people feel emotionally supported and mentally well, they are more likely to participate actively in their communities and social environments.



Understanding how museums can foster emotional wellbeing, confidence, belonging, and social connection

In collaboration with European universities, museum institutions, researchers, and mental health experts, we compiled a European study examining **how museums and cultural spaces** can foster emotional wellbeing, mental health, confidence, belonging, and social connection. The findings showed that people increasingly view museums not only as places of learning, but also as environments that can reduce feelings of isolation and anxiety, encourage reflection and empathy, and create meaningful social experiences.

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Dr. Vasileios Margaritis, Senior Researcher, KMOP



Keeping with the same theme, at the conference "The Future of the Humanities and Social Sciences in Greece" in June, we presented an interdisciplinary methodology that examined how **cultural heritage experiences** influence museum visitors' emotional and cognitive responses. The methodology combines neuro-technology and humanities research to better understand human interaction with cultural environments, contributing to discussions on the relationship between cultural heritage, emotional engagement, and mental wellbeing.

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KMOP's new study shows community-based care has a long way to go on



In September, we released a study that examines how seven European regions are transitioning from institutional care systems to **community** and **family-based care models**. The findings show the fragmented services, workforce shortages, limited resources, and uneven policy implementation continue to slow Europe's transition towards more inclusive and community-based care systems, while also identifying promising practices that strengthen deinstitutionalisation efforts across Europe.

Promoting psychosocial wellbeing among war-affected refugee children

KMOP, in cooperation with Terre des Hommes in Greece, organized, on 11 and 17 July, outdoor experiential activities for **refugee children** who had experienced war, displacement, and social exclusion. Through hiking, cycling, and climbing activities in nature, children enjoyed moments of **safety, stability, and emotional relief** away from the stress and uncertainty linked to displacement and trauma. The activities supported their **mental health** and **psychosocial wellbeing** by reducing feelings of isolation, strengthening self-confidence, encouraging emotional expression, and helping them build positive relationships through shared experiences and peer connection.

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Bullying

Educators trained on modern methods to prevent bullying in school

KMOP trained

4,000 primary and secondary school teachers
in three online seminars held from March to November 2025,

on modern techniques and methods for tackling bullying in school. Educators learnt how to identify the characteristics of bullying, understand its cycle, communicate effectively with children and parents, and implement a “whole school approach”, which engages staff, students, and families in a unified effort to address the issue.

“The training helped me better understand how to recognise and manage bullying incidents in school and communicate more effectively both with children experiencing bullying and those displaying aggressive behaviours. It also gave me practical ways to strengthen collaboration with parents and guardians, which is essential when trying to support children consistently.

Evangelos, Teacher



ACCESS THE E-COURSE

“I work in a remote area where bullying incidents are a growing challenge and access to specialised support is limited. Trainings like this make me feel more confident in recognising bullying behaviours, supporting my students, and creating a safer and more empathetic classroom environment.

Ioanna, Teacher



Additionally, in October in Brussels, KMOP and COFACE Families Europe took an active role in the 2025 , held by the European School Network in Brussels on 23–24 October, where Dr. Antonia Torrens conducted a training seminar for **educators from across Europe** on preventing and effectively addressing school bullying.

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Parents develop skills to better support children affected by bullying and violence

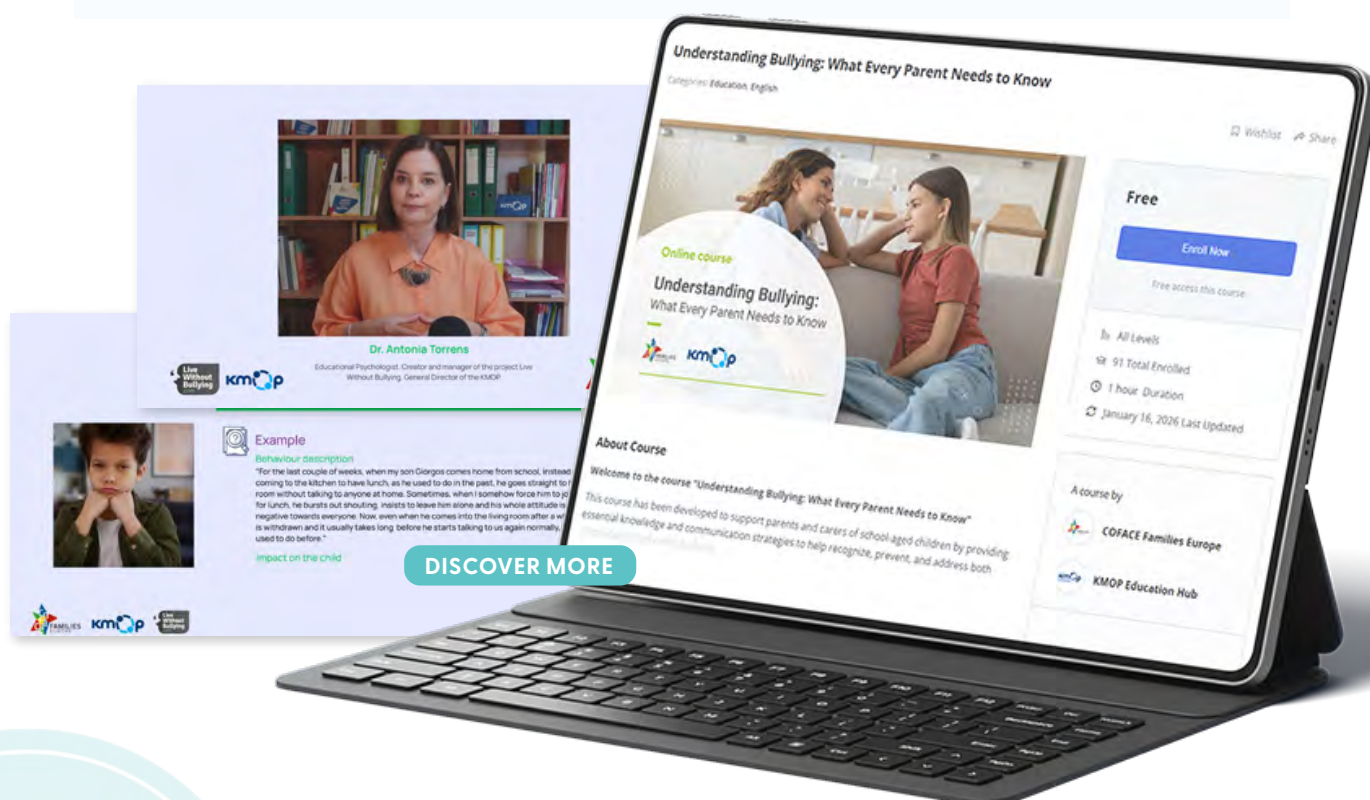
KMOP trained **500 parents and caregivers**, in February, in the online seminar “Supporting our children in addressing bullying and violence”. Participants learned practical ways to recognise signs of bullying, support children emotionally, manage difficult conversations, collaborate more effectively with schools when responding to bullying incidents, and contribute to creating safer and more supportive environments for children both at home and at school.

Building on this effort in November 2025, KMOP and COFACE Families Europe launched the **new e-course** “Understanding Bullying: What Every Parent Needs to Know”, which provides parents **throughout Europe** with readily available educational tools and evidence-based guidance on bullying prevention, emotional support, and early intervention practices.

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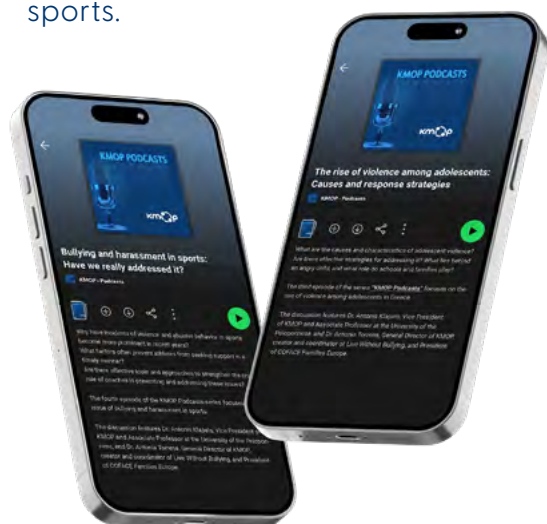
Today, parents need to do much more than simply recognise bullying behaviours. They need to build trust, empathy, and open communication with their children. This training helped me better understand how to support my child emotionally, respond calmly in difficult situations, and work more effectively with the school to find solutions.

Antonis, Parent



Raising awareness about bullying and youth violence

In 2025, we released two more podcast episodes and one vidcast to bring attention to the growing rise of youth violence in Greece and highlight the psychological impact of bullying, the importance of prevention and emotional support, and the critical role of families, schools, and sports.



On 11 March 2025, KMOP released the third episode of the “KMOP Podcasts” series titled **“The rise of violence among adolescents: Causes and response strategies”**. Educational Psychologist, Dr. Antonia Torrens discussed with Dr. Antonis Klapsis, Vice President of KMOP and Associate Professor at the University of the Peloponnese, the factors contributing to violent behaviours among young people and the importance of early intervention and emotional support.

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On 15 March 2025, we collaborated with KIDOT for the vidcast **“Bullying: Prevention and intervention are two sides of the same coin”**, where Dr. Torrens stressed the importance of prevention, empathy, and consistent support systems for children and adolescents.

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On 18 March 2025, we released our fourth episode titled **“Bullying and harassment in sports: Have we really addressed it?”**. In this episode, Dr. Torrens and Dr. Klapsis talked about the psychological impact of violence in sports and the need for safer and more inclusive spaces for young people.

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Finally, Dr. Torrens, in her capacity as President of COFACE Families Europe, met in June with the European Commissioner for Intergenerational Fairness, Youth, Culture and Sport, Glenn Micallef, and contributed to discussions on the development of the European Action Plan against cyberbullying. Drawing on evidence-based practices and field experience of KMOP and COFACE Families Europe, Dr. Torrens focused on strengthening prevention, promoting digital safety, and creating safer, more inclusive, and friendly online environments for children, young people, and families across Europe.



Child Protection

KMOP contributes to the evaluation of the European Strategy for a Better Internet for Kids

KMOP, under the auspices of European Schoolnet and COFACE Families Europe, took part in the first evaluation of the “European Strategy for a Better Internet for Kids (BIK+)”, by organising a **focus group with parents** in Greece to gather their views, concerns and recommendations.



Key insights and concerns from parents

- ▶ Digital use has become normalized in childhood
- ▶ Digital life is integral to socializing
- ▶ Parents worry about online dangers

Recommendations for future action:

- ▶ **Simplify** the reporting process for problematic content and ensure swift, effective responses.
- ▶ **Integrate** digital literacy into school curricula.
- ▶ **Offer** more opportunities for children to shape decisions about their digital environment.
- ▶ **Conduct** more research into the impact of digital technologies on children's wellbeing.
- ▶ **Support** families and schools in strengthening digital literacy.

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Shedding light on the sexual exploitation of minors across Europe

In January 2025, KMOP convened **more than 100 professionals**, including European Commission's representatives, child protection specialists, policymakers, researchers, and civil society representatives from across Europe, by organising the hybrid conference **"Breaking the Silence: Uniting Efforts to Address the Sexual Exploitation of Minors"**, held in Brussels.

During the event, we highlighted the urgent need for **stronger child protection systems** and more coordinated European responses to the sexual exploitation of minors, particularly children exposed to poverty, social exclusion, and violence. Drawing on research findings from Greece, France, and Italy, participants examined the **structural factors that increase children's vulnerability to exploitation**, including stigma, fragmented protection mechanisms, lack of awareness, and socio-economic inequalities.

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Spotlighting children's digital safety and online wellbeing

In September 2025, KMOP hosted a discussion with 30 parents, educators and mental health professionals on children's digital safety and the growing impact of online gaming addiction on young people's wellbeing. We shed light on the challenges children face in their everyday online activities, presented key research findings for the online habits and behaviours of children aged 9–12, and showcased good practices, preventive tools, and concrete solutions to help them navigate the digital world safely and confidently.

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It is not enough to press pause on the games

we must press play on our relationship with our children.

Inclusive childcare for children of victims of trafficking in Albania

KMOP brought together **35 professionals from local authorities, civil society organisations, and child protection services** in May 2025 through an online peer-learning workshop focused on improving childcare services for children of victims of trafficking and gender-based violence in Albania. Participants exchanged practices and explored concrete strategies for strengthening **child protection mechanisms**, improving cooperation among service providers, and expanding access to integrated and community-based support services for children exposed to violence, exploitation, and social vulnerability.

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Domestic & Gender-based Violence



Empowering women and girls to rebuild confidence, independence, and resilience

Friendly Space for Women and Girls: Where empowerment and creativity intersect

In 2025 KMOP, through its social support service **Friendly Space for Women and Girls** in Piraeus, Greece, provided support to more than **60 women and girls** aged 16 and above, including women affected by **displacement, social exclusion, insecurity, and gender-based violence**.

Operating every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday, the Friendly Space offered a safe and welcoming environment where women felt **respected, heard, and supported**. Women accessed essential tools, resources, and referrals to protect themselves from gender-based violence, while also building meaningful connections and strengthening personal and professional skills.

Regardless of her age, background, or experience, every woman found a space where support, empowerment, and creativity came together, helping them rebuild self-assurance, strengthen resilience, and regain a sense of safety and belonging.



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“[Friendly Space] is the only space to be listened to and to solve problems.”

Ukrainian woman, 40 years old

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“[In the Friendly Space] each time there is something new. I like the communication, because it comes from the heart.”

Ukrainian woman, 32 years old



Our team delivered 101 creative and empowering activities covering the following topics:

- ▶ mental health, emotional and physical wellbeing & self-reflection
- ▶ gender-based violence
- ▶ rights & protection
- ▶ arts, crafts & creative expression
- ▶ cooking, food & community gathering
- ▶ employment, entrepreneurship & financial empowerment
- ▶ personal development
- ▶ identity & empowerment
- ▶ integration, language & social inclusion

This year we gained the trust and continued our fruitful collaboration with numerous stakeholders in Greece such as Diotima - Centre for Gender Rights and Equality, Union of Ukrainian Women in Greece, Odyssea, Achaia Chamber's Development Entity, and Yoga & Sport with Refugees.



Addressing sexual harassment in the workplace

In collaboration with the Vocational Training Centre of the Hellenic Federation of Enterprises, we brought together **30 institutional representatives and professionals** in March to discuss the **issue of sexual harassment** in the workplace in Greece. Participants explored key structural, legal, and organisational challenges that continue to hinder the effective prevention and response to workplace harassment, while identifying practical solutions for creating safer and more inclusive working environments.

Key topics were:

- ✓ The need to strengthen and expand the legal framework to support the effective implementation of anti-harassment policies, particularly in small and medium-sized enterprises
- ✓ The importance of mandatory trainings for employers and employees to help foster safer and more inclusive workplace cultures
- ✓ The need for accessible, safe, and trusted reporting mechanisms including external reporting channels

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Advancing European dialogue on the role of friendly spaces in women's empowerment



KMOP brought together **more than 80 professionals, policymakers, and civil society representatives** in Athens to discuss the role of friendly spaces in women's empowerment in Europe, and the importance of coordinated, community-based support services especially for women affected by violence, displacement, and social exclusion.

Through a meaningful dialogue, representatives from the European Commission, national authorities, and frontline organisations from Greece, Italy, Lithuania, Bulgaria, and Romania exchanged practices, knowledge and explored effective approaches to women's empowerment, protection, and social inclusion.

Our representatives contributed by showcasing how our Friendly Space serves as a safe and trusted environment where women can feel safe and access our services and opportunities for social and professional development.

The discussion featured speakers from the European Commission's DG Home Office, the Office of the National Rapporteur on Trafficking in Human Beings in Greece, the National Centre for Social Solidarity in Greece, A21, SolidarityNow, International Rescue Committee from Italy.



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Researcher/Trainer, KMOP



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DG HOME, European Commission



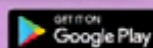
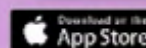
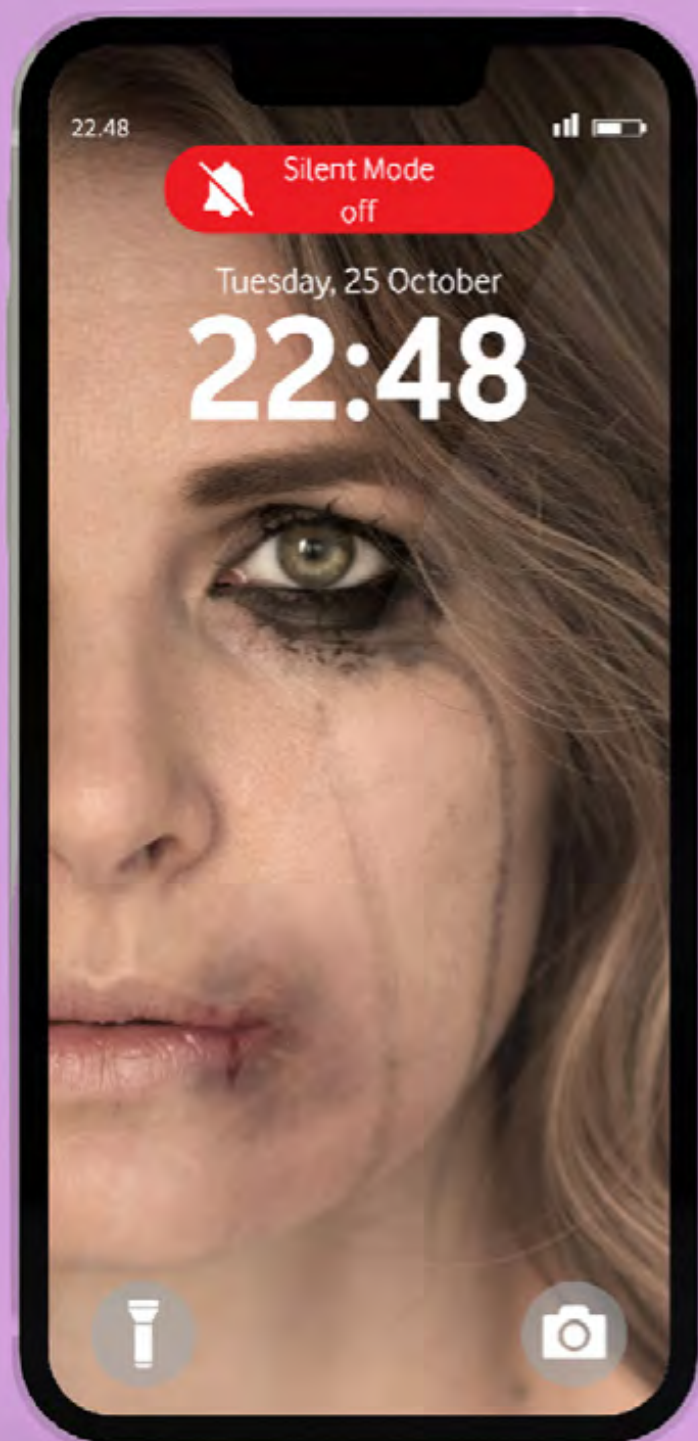
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Senior Researcher, KMOP



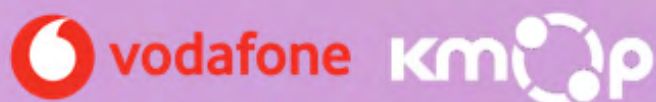
Jenny Lazarou, Institutional and Community Engagement
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on Trafficking in Human Beings



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ή επισκέψου το bright-sky.org



BrightSky: Supporting gender-based and domestic violence survivors in cooperation with the Vodafone Foundation

KMOP, in cooperation with the Vodafone Foundation in Greece, for a second consecutive year, supported those **affected by domestic abuse** through the adaptation of the “BrightSky” application and site to the Greek context.

“Bright Sky” is an encrypted mobile phone app available on Google Play and the App Store. It offers comprehensive incident response guidelines for abuse and detailed information on relevant support structures for anyone facing an abusive environment. The content of the application is advisory, empowering users to make decisions about managing their situation or that of their at-risk loved ones.



In 2025, KMOP updated the Bright Sky app with a dedicated section for the **LGBTQI+ community**, addressing the specific challenges LGBTQIA+ individuals may face in situations of domestic or intimate partner violence. The new content includes tailored information, safety guidance, and support resources, contributing to safer, more inclusive, and more accessible protection and support systems for all.

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Educating pupils and teachers to address gender-based violence in school

KMOP engaged **250 pupils and educators** in Greece through awareness-raising and educational activities focused on consent, healthy relationships, empathy, and the prevention of **gender-based violence** in school environments.

From May to July 2025, **pupils** explored the concept of consent, learned to recognise and respect personal boundaries, and reflected on the importance of empathy, communication, and mutual respect in their everyday relationships. The activities encouraged young people to express themselves openly and better understand behaviours linked to pressure, control, and violence.

At the same time, we trained **educators** on promoting consent culture and creating safer and more inclusive school environments where children and adolescents can discuss relationships, boundaries, and emotional wellbeing without fear or stigma.

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Strengthening the role of sport professionals in preventing and addressing gender-based violence

Sports professionals seminar with AEK Athletic Club

In cooperation with AEK Athletic Club, we trained 31 sports coaches in July 2025, in Athens, through an interactive workshop focused on **promoting safer, more inclusive, and more respectful sporting environments**. Through case studies, group discussions, and participatory activities, coaches explored the impact of gender-based violence, discrimination, harmful stereotypes, and mental health stigma in sport, while identifying practical ways to strengthen prevention, inclusion, and athlete protection in their daily practice.

New training programme for safer sport environments

KMOP contributed to the development of a new training programme and educational toolkit designed to help **sports professionals** in Europe recognise, prevent, and respond to gender-based violence, discrimination, and exclusion in sport.



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Contributing to European dialogue on safe and inclusive sport

KMOP also participated in [MOVE Congress 2025](#), organised by ISCA in November 2025, contributing to European discussions on preventing gender-based violence within sports settings and harnessing the power of sport to promote inclusion, respect, safety, and positive social change across Europe.



Human Trafficking



Empowering frontline professionals to prevent and respond to human trafficking

500 FRONTLINE PROFESSIONALS from across Greece were trained by KMOP in 2025 on the prevention, identification, and response to **human trafficking** and **labour exploitation**.

Participants included educators, social workers, labour inspectors, law enforcement officers, prosecutors, professionals in migrant reception and identification centres, transport services, financial investigation units, hospitality and civil society organisations.

Through specialised and practice-oriented trainings, participants strengthened their ability to **recognise** key indicators of trafficking and exploitation, **identify** individuals at risk, **apply** trauma-informed and culturally sensitive approaches, and **use** referral and protection mechanisms effectively. The sessions focused on real-life scenarios and practical challenges professionals face when supporting vulnerable individuals, including refugees, migrants, children, and victims of labour exploitation.





Supporting survivors of human trafficking in rebuilding their lives in Albania

In July 2025, at an event organised in the Municipality of Shkodër, we presented the impact of its community-based support initiatives for **survivors of human trafficking and gender-based violence in Albania**, demonstrating how long-term, survivor-centred support can strengthen inclusion, independence, and recovery.

Since 2023 in collaboration with our partners in Shkodër:

1,695 & **352**
ADULTS & **CHILDREN**

have accessed psychosocial support, legal guidance, skills-building activities, and community-based services through the Social Cause Club in Dajç.

443
PROFESSIONALS

including educators, healthcare professionals, and municipal staff, improved their skills to support vulnerable groups thanks to capacity-building programmes focused on coordinated, empathetic, and survivor-centred responses.


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Promoting dialogue and European collaboration for tackling labour exploitation and human trafficking



KMOP held two events in 2025, one in Belgium and one in Greece, engaging **170 policymakers, labour representatives, frontline professionals, researchers, and civil society organisations** to contribute to the public debate on the prevention and protection responses against labour exploitation and human trafficking in Europe.



Frontline professionals discuss combating trafficking in Greece

In November, we brought together **50 frontline professionals**, social partners, institutional stakeholders, and civil society organisations in Athens in a public discussion to address one of the issue's most critical challenges: **identifying victims early and ensuring timely and coordinated protection responses**.

Discussions highlighted the **urgent need for stronger cooperation** between state authorities and civil society organisations, as well as **continuous professional training** that enables frontline professionals to recognise warning signs, respond safely, and protect victims with empathy and care.



Nefeli Papagiannakou, Senior Project Manager, KMOP

During the event, we launched a [new e-learning platform](#), developed in collaboration with SolidarityNow and the National Centre for Social Solidarity, providing professionals with specialised knowledge to combat trafficking.

The discussion featured speakers from the Office of the National Rapporteur on Combating Human Trafficking (Ministry of Foreign Affairs) and the General Secretariat for Vulnerable Citizens (Ministry of Migration and Asylum).

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Calling for stronger European action against labour exploitation in Belgium

During the hybrid conference **“Seeing the Unseen: Strengthening European Cooperation Against Labour Exploitation and Human Trafficking”**, held in Brussels in December 2025, KMOP brought together 120 European policymakers, labour organisations, and anti-trafficking experts to examine the growing scale of **labour exploitation** across Europe and the vulnerabilities affecting migrant and low-paid workers.

The event featured speakers from the Group of Experts on Action against Trafficking in Human Beings (GRETA), Victim Support Europe, and Myria Belgium.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE **SEEING THE UNSEEN**

ADVANCING COLLABORATION
AGAINST LABOUR EXPLOITATION
AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING IN EUROPE



Participants stressed the urgent need for stronger labour inspections, cross-border cooperation, and victim protection mechanisms that place labour rights, human dignity, and access to support services at the centre of anti-trafficking efforts.

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Sport can support the recovery and social inclusion of human trafficking survivors

KMOP, in cooperation with European organisations, released a study exploring how sport can support the recovery, wellbeing, and social inclusion of survivors of human trafficking. The findings highlighted the positive role sport can play in strengthening self-esteem, emotional recovery, resilience, and social reconnection, helping survivors rebuild confidence and a sense of belonging after experiences of violence and exploitation.

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Equality & Non-discrimination

Widespread stereotypes and discrimination in Greece, KMOP's research reveals

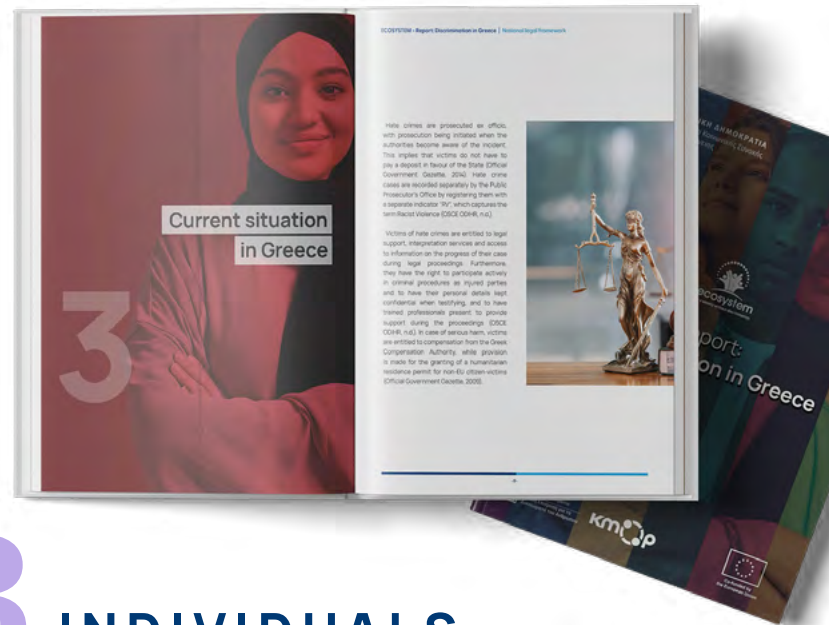
KMOP unveiled critical research findings from its national study **“Citizens’ Attitudes and Experiences Regarding Discrimination and Stereotypes”**, highlighting how prejudice, exclusion, and discriminatory attitudes continue to shape everyday life in Greece.

Conducted between January and May with the participation of

1,928

INDIVIDUALS

from across the country, the research revealed that **stereotypes remain deeply embedded in Greek society**, influencing behaviours, opportunities, and people’s sense of belonging. The study also provides important evidence to support the development of Greece’s 2nd National Action Plan against Racism and Intolerance.



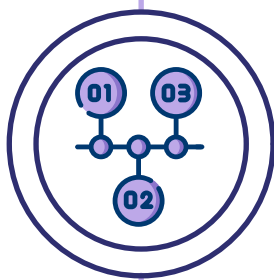
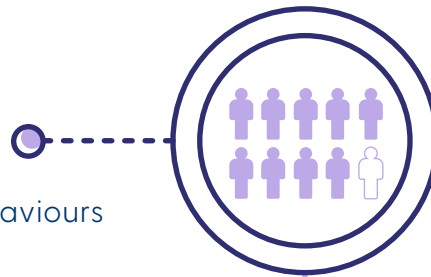
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What the research shows about discrimination in Greece

9 IN 10

individuals believe stereotypes

are widespread in Greek society and significantly influence attitudes and behaviours towards specific social groups.



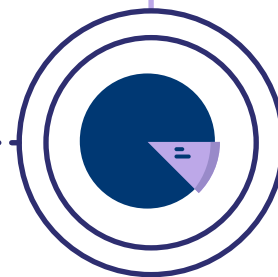
Respondents identified discrimination based on

- **sexual orientation,**
- **gender expression,**
- **socio-economic status,**
- **gender,**
- **gender identity, and**
- **racial or ethnic origin**

among the most common forms of exclusion experienced in everyday life.

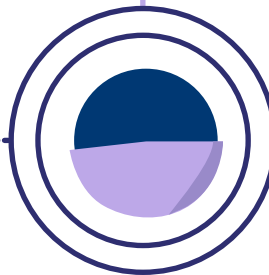
ONLY 15%

of respondents reported having experienced discrimination.



48%

admitted to having acted in a discriminatory way unconsciously.



The national study was conducted and coordinated by KMOP in cooperation with the Greek Ministry of Social Cohesion and Family and the National Commission for Human Rights.

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***Turning data into a driving force to foster
a more just society for all.***



Youth workers trained to drive equality, diversity and inclusion in educational and youth settings

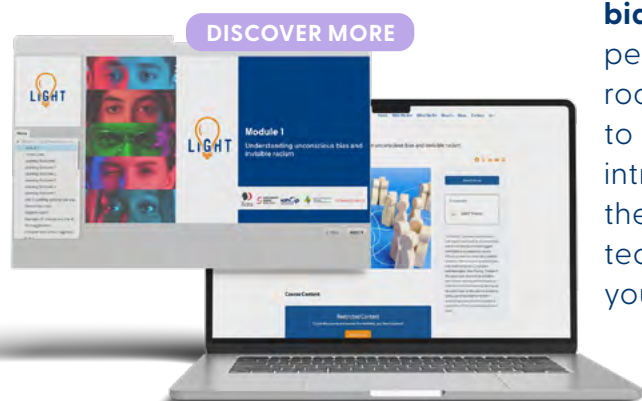
In February 2025, we trained

200 YOUTH WORKERS

AND PROFESSIONALS

to strengthen their ability to promote equality, inclusion, and non-discrimination in educational and youth settings. Through interactive workshops and practical activities, participants explored tools and approaches for addressing stereotypes, challenging discriminatory behaviours, applying inclusive language, and promoting intercultural dialogue. The training also focused on helping youth workers create safer, more inclusive, and more welcoming environments where young people from diverse backgrounds feel respected and empowered to participate equally.

Additionally, we launched a **new online course** to support youth workers in recognising and addressing **unconscious bias** and **invisible racism** in their everyday work with young people. Through the course, participants can explore the root causes, manifestations, effects, and challenges related to unconscious bias and invisible racism. The course also introduces methodologies such as Role Playing, Theatre of the Oppressed, storytelling, and other non-formal learning techniques, alongside practical guidance on how to apply youth work tools in real-life settings.





Civic Engagement & Quality of Democracy

KMOP places citizens at the centre of the European dialogue on affordable housing

Fostering active citizenship and democratic participation through a European Citizens' Assembly

More than 100 people

including individuals experiencing housing insecurity, young people, migrants, and experts participated in the European Citizens' Assembly on Housing organised by KMOP in November, contributing lived experiences and concrete recommendations to the European debate on affordable and inclusive housing.

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Key recommendations from participants

Expand social housing

Repurpose vacant public and church-owned buildings to increase affordable housing and support social inclusion and urban renewal.

Link housing with social inclusion

Integrate housing with health, employment, and social services, create one-stop support centres, and promote mixed-community and co-housing models.

Reuse vacant buildings

Convert unused public buildings into social housing and offer incentives for private owners to rent vacant units affordably, with municipalities acting as mediators.

Participants highlighted **the growing impact of rising housing costs, housing precarity, and unequal access to decent housing across Europe**, particularly for young people, low-income households, migrants, and vulnerable groups. Additionally, they explored practical and citizen-driven solutions aimed at strengthening housing affordability, social inclusion, and equal access to safe and sustainable housing.



The discussion, moderated by Dr. Antonis Klapsis, featured also speakers from the diaNEOsis Research and Policy Institute, the Heinrich Böll Stiftung Thessaloniki Office, the ENA Institute for Alternative Policies, the National Centre for Social Research, and the Major Development Agency Thessaloniki S.A.



Empowering young changemakers in Brussels

In May 2025, KMOP brought together **40 young people from seven European countries** in Brussels for a youth exchange on active citizenship and democratic participation. For three days we provided a platform for young people to amplify their voices and share their perspectives on active citizenship, mental health, and the role of European institutions.

In partnership with Stand Up for Europe, we ran a **European Parliament simulation**. Young people stepped into the roles of MEPs, discussed legislative proposals on CO₂ labelling, debated amendments, and voted on new policies.

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The European Parliament simulation was really informative and engaging. It really encouraged debate, discussion, and negotiation. I wish we could use it in Irish high schools. It would be such a powerful way to teach active citizenship.

Sharon, Ireland



Supporting civic participation and democratic resilience across Europe

Online workshop on policy advocacy in Albania

KMOP brought together **15 professionals** from Albania and Greece for an online workshop in May, focused on strengthening constructive engagement and policy advocacy in Albania. Through sessions curated by KMOP experts, participants explored key principles of policy dialogue, advocacy planning, and stakeholder engagement, while developing short- and long-term action plans aimed at strengthening local participation, civic engagement, and community-led change.

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Enhancing monitoring and protection of civic space in the EU

In September, we organised an International Consultation Meeting titled **“Safeguarding Civic Space in the EU”** in Vienna where experts, civil society representatives, and institutional stakeholders from across Europe discussed the shrinking of civic space. The meeting provided an important platform to highlight the evolving challenges faced by Civil Society Organisations and to explore practical solutions for strengthening democratic participation and resilience across the European Union.

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Enhancing monitoring and protection of civic space in the EU

We contributed to the production of a documentary highlighting the role of civil society organisations in protecting democratic values, promoting participation, and supporting communities across Europe.



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Enviromental Sustainability & Climate Resilience



Empowering educators to foster environmental sustainability within and beyond schools

KMOP trained 1,000 educators in online seminars, workshops, and e-learning courses focused on sustainability, environmental and climate awareness, and zero-waste practices in schools and local communities.

Through online initiatives such as **“A Green School for a Green Society”**, **“Bring sustainability in the classroom”**, **“#EcoTales: Discovering Sustainability in Early Childhood Education”** and the **“#ZeroWaste”** workshops, educators strengthened practical skills in integrating sustainability into everyday teaching, promoting environmental responsibility, encouraging pupils participation in environmental activities, and developing more sustainable school communities. The trainings also highlighted the decisive role educators play in mobilising young people to become active contributors to environmental and social change.

In December 2025, we showcased the potential of education to drive climate resilience and environmental sustainability at an international hybrid conference in Athens, which brought together **250 educators, policymakers, researchers and sustainability professionals from five European countries**.

Our representatives and invited experts highlighted innovative educational approaches, training materials, and forward-looking strategies that support educators and educational institutions in integrating environmental sustainability into everyday teaching, school culture, and learning environments.

The event featured speakers from the Ministry of Education, Religious Affairs and Sports and the Institute of Educational Policy in Greece.

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Rania El Ampasy, Senior Project Manager, KMOP





Youth active participation in climate action

Strengthening youth engagement in climate action policies

In March, KMOP trained **70 young people and youth workers** in a series of webinars organised, in collaboration with European organisations and experts, to strengthen their knowledge and practical skills in climate advocacy and youth participation in environmental policymaking. Participants explored strategies for engaging young people in climate action initiatives, influencing decision-making processes, and promoting meaningful youth participation in environmental governance at local, national, and European level.

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Towards greater youth participation in climate policymaking

Additionally, in October we hosted in Greece a **Policy Dialogue on youth and the environment**, where representatives of environmental and youth organisations, journalists, activists, and researchers shared a common goal, to highlight the vital role of young people in shaping policies that address the climate crisis. The discussion highlighted four key priorities:

- **establishing** permanent consultation mechanisms for youth participation
- **strengthening** education and skills for climate advocacy
- **fostering** cooperation among universities, civil society organisations, and local authorities
- **amplifying** young people's voices in public dialogue and the media

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Participating organisations in the policy dialogue included UNICEF Greece, Common Ground Greece, Hellenic Youth Participation, and the Athens-Macedonian News Agency.





Art and active ageing as tools for climate action

KMOP held a public discussion in July with older adults, artists, and professionals from the fields of climate action, community engagement, and active ageing to explore how we can **strengthen climate awareness** through creative and participatory approaches, encouraging thus more active community participation in sustainability efforts.

Our representatives showcased initiatives and training materials that make climate action more accessible, inclusive, and community-driven, while participants exchanged ideas and good practices on how art and intergenerational dialogue can encourage environmental responsibility and strengthen local engagement in climate-related initiatives.

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Angela Shkembi, Project Manager, KMOP
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Education

Educators at the forefront of media literacy in the age of AI

In 2025, KMOP placed educators and education professionals at the centre of the public discussion on **media literacy**, highlighting their crucial role in helping children critically navigate fake news, hate speech, AI-generated content, and digital manipulation.

During our online event **“Fake News and Hate Speech in the Age of AI: A New Era of Misinformation”**, held in June, **215 educators** engaged in a discussion with journalists and experts on how schools can better equip pupils with the critical thinking skills needed to assess online information responsibly, recognise manipulation techniques, and participate safely and ethically in digital environments.

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As Dr. Antonis Klapsis, Vice President of KMOP explained:



Disinformation and hate speech are not new phenomena. In antiquity, the dissemination of false news was referred to as ‘pseudangelia’, a term used by the historian Xenophon to describe the strategic spread of false information during times of war. What has changed is the speed and scale of dissemination, especially through social media and algorithms that reinforce our biases. Information can either unite or divide. Democracy requires informed citizens – and that begins with nurturing critical thinking from an early age.”



Advancing gender equality in higher education in Asia, Sub-Saharan Africa, and Europe

KMOP launched its first collaboration with universities in Nepal and Bangladesh in 2025, marking an important step in transferring knowledge and expertise on **fostering gender equality** beyond Europe. Through this new partnership with higher education institutions and European organisations, we are supporting the development and implementation of **Gender Equality Plans** aimed at strengthening inclusion, diversity, and equal opportunities within academic environments.

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Dr. Yiannis Pappas, Head of Programmes, KMOP



KMOP was also awarded a new international [initiative](#) focused on supporting higher education institutions across **Sub-Saharan Africa** in developing and strengthening institutional policies and structures that promote gender equality within academia.

At the same time, in cooperation with European universities and research organisations, we contributed to the development of a practical handbook supporting higher education institutions in implementing Gender Equality Plans, promoting inclusive academic environments, and strengthening policies against discrimination and gender-based violence in academia.

Chryssa Sotiriou, Project Manager, KMOP


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Furthermore, we joined forces with the Paris School of Economics, University College Dublin, Lisbon School of Economics and Management, Ștefan cel Mare University of Suceava, the University of Girona, and the Middle East Technical University to address intersecting inequalities in educational and research organizations.

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Educators trained on authentic learning and gender-inclusive ICT education

KMOP trained 200 educators in June in a series of webinars on authentic learning approaches and gender-inclusive practices for teaching Information and Communication Technologies in schools, helping them create more accessible, participatory, and inclusive learning environments. Through practical activities and experiential learning methods, educators from across Greece explored strategies for supporting diverse learning needs, strengthening pupils' participation, challenging gender stereotypes in STEM education, and promoting equal opportunities for all learners.

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Migration



KMOP representative elected to the Bureau of the European Migration Forum

In November 2025, Alexandra Harkay, our Programmes Coordinator, was elected to the Bureau of the European Migration Forum, where she aims to bring to European policy discussions the voices and lived experiences **of migrant and refugee communities**, the realities faced by **frontline professionals**, insights **from direct service provision**, and evidence generated through KMOP's **social innovation initiatives**.

After her election, Alexandra Harkay stated:

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“I look forward to contributing to the Forum’s mission of advancing migration policies that are inclusive, people-centred; shaped by lived experience and rooted in dignity.”

The European Migration Forum is one of the European Commission’s main platforms for dialogue between civil society organisations and European institutions on migration, asylum, and integration and it is organised by its Bureau. The Bureau has six members: one representative from the European Commission, one from the EESC and four members of civil society organisations, two coming from national-level organisations and the other two from EU-level organisations. Alexandra Harkay was elected as a national-level organisation representative.

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Strengthening local networks and emergency mechanisms for migrant inclusion across Europe

KMOP contributed to migrant inclusion efforts across Europe by supporting the development of local and participatory inclusion networks, Communities of Practice, rooted in the lived experiences of migrants and refugees.

As coordinator of the Greek Community of Practice, KMOP brought together in June municipalities, civil society organisations, refugee-led initiatives, and local stakeholders from Greece, Spain, and Italy to exchange knowledge and integration practices. The initiative focused on **strengthening cooperation between local authorities and communities, improving local integration strategies**, and promoting practical solutions that respond to the real needs of migrant and refugee communities.

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Building on this work, we also co-organised with European organizations an **online Policy Lab** in September, where more than

50 professionals

from across Europe examined how local, national, and European actors can better prepare for and respond to migration-related crises. Our representatives highlighted the importance of co-ordinated emergency mechanisms that ensure timely support, social inclusion, and protection for migrants and refugees during periods of increased pressure and humanitarian need.

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Strengthening migrant integration in the primary sector

In May, KMOP brought together

42 professionals and experts,

as well as **stakeholders from the labour market, employment services, and migration sectors** to discuss practical solutions for improving migrants' access to employment opportunities in the primary sector.

During the discussion, our representatives highlighted the important role local employment centres can play in supporting migrants' socio-economic integration through skills development, career guidance, job matching, and access to local labour market opportunities. Participants also exchanged perspectives on the challenges migrants face in accessing decent work, particularly in rural and agricultural areas, and explored ways to strengthen cooperation between employment services, local authorities, and employers.

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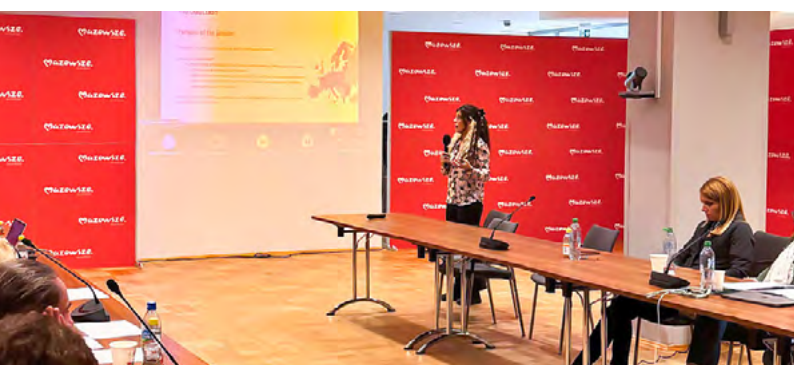
Driving policy learning for stronger regional labour markets and social economy ecosystems

KMOP held in October 2025 two policy workshops in Poland and Sweden to address key challenges facing European regions: **strengthening the social economy** and **retaining skilled workers** in industrial areas. More than **40 policymakers and representatives of regional authorities** took part, exchanging ideas, sharing local solutions, and exploring practical ways to improve policy design and implementation across European regions.

During a policy workshop held in Warsaw, Poland, KMOP supported regional stakeholders in reviewing and improving policy instruments for the social economy. Discussions focused on strengthening visibility, stakeholder engagement, funding mechanisms, social innovation, and impact evaluation, while identifying concrete actions to support stronger and more sustainable regional social economy ecosystems.



Pinar Cakiroglu, Senior Researcher, KMOP



Nancy Zoidou Saripappa, Researcher & Proposal Writer, KMOP

KMOP also conducted a workshop in Sweden, which focused on attracting and retaining skilled workers in industrial growth regions of Europe. Stakeholders from seven European regions discussed how fair, green, and digital transitions are reshaping labour market needs. They also explored place-based strategies for strengthening workforce policies, reducing bureaucratic barriers, and creating more attractive conditions for skilled professionals.

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Future-ready skills essential in the evolving labour market, KMOP's public discussion concludes



Suada Ismailaja, Project Manager, KMOP

KMOP hosted a public discussion in Brussels in September 2025 on one of the most critical skills for the future labour market: **the ability to continuously learn, adapt, and respond to rapid social and technological change**. During the event “Learning How to Learn: Could This Be the Most Valuable Skill for the Future?”, we analysed together with educators, professionals, and experts from across Europe how lifelong learning, adaptability, critical thinking, and self-directed learning are becoming increasingly essential in a labour market shaped by digital transformation, artificial intelligence, and changing employment realities.

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Empowering a new generation of social entrepreneurs across the Balkans

In May, KMOP hosted in Athens an international training programme for 18 young professionals from Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Cyprus, and Kosovo, offering them the opportunity to explore how **social entrepreneurship** can drive meaningful social change and strengthen local communities.

Through expert-led workshops, case studies, and discussions with social entrepreneurs, participants examined innovative social business models and practical approaches for turning social challenges into sustainable community-driven solutions. The programme also included field visits to Shedia Home and the Kypseli Municipal Market, prime examples of social economy initiatives promoting inclusion, participation, and local resilience in Athens.

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New training programme for current and future professionals in social impact management

KMOP, in collaboration with the University of the Peloponnese and partners from four European countries, launched in May the new training programme **“Social Impact Manager”**, aiming to empower a new generation of professionals to drive meaningful change in their organisations and communities

The programme equips students and private sector professionals with the necessary tools to:

- ▶ link social responsibility with sustainable business development
- ▶ understand the social and economic environment in which their company operates
- ▶ develop methods of consultation and cooperation with the local community
- ▶ design, implement, and monitor actions that enhance social impact
- ▶ evaluate and present the social outcomes of an action or strategy

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Violence, Extremism, Radicalization



Youth resilience strengthened through sports in North Macedonia

Between June and August 2025, KMOP coordinated and supported the implementation of a wide range of youth and community-focused activities with local partners in North Macedonia, demonstrating the power of sport as a tool for preventing violence, extremism and radicalization.

More than **400 young people** from Kumanovo and Lipkovo participated in sports tournaments, cooperative games, life-skills workshops, and youth forums organised through the Social Action Youth and Sports Hubs. Through these activities, we strengthened teamwork, leadership, empathy, and social participation, while creating safe spaces for dialogue on violence prevention, inclusion, and community needs. We also trained more than **80 sports coaches, educators, and civil society representatives** in specialised workshops focused on early identification of radicalisation risks, positive communication with young people, conflict resolution, and the creation of safe and inclusive sports environments.

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Addressing violence in prison settings through virtual reality

KMOP explored the potential of virtual reality to strengthen empathy, emotional regulation, and violence prevention in restrictive environments such as prisons through an online public discussion held in July. Together with **100 professionals** from the fields of mental health, correctional education, criminal justice, and technology, we discussed how immersive technologies can support behavioural change, reduce reactive aggression, and improve rehabilitation approaches for incarcerated individuals.

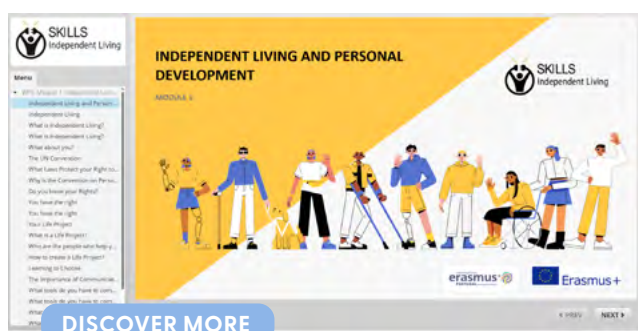


Disabilities

Advancing digital inclusion and independent living for persons with disabilities

In June, **80 professionals, health experts, and disability advocates** participated in KMOP's online discussion on the role of digital technologies in supporting the independent living of persons with disabilities.

During the event “Independent Living for Persons with Disabilities in a Digital World: The Role of Health Professionals”, we examined **how inclusive and accessible technologies can strengthen autonomy**, participation, and access to everyday services and opportunities. Discussions also highlighted the barriers many persons with disabilities continue to face in the digital environment, as well as the critical role health and care professionals play in promoting accessibility, reducing exclusion, and supporting more independent living.

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Additionally, we supported persons with disabilities and professionals working with them in strengthening everyday autonomy, improving access to digital services and information, and promoting more active participation in social and community life. To support this effort, we launched **a new educational platform** featuring accessible training materials and practical digital tools focused on independent living and social inclusion.

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Accessibility barriers mapped in Europe's cultural sector

KMOP led a European study, conducted in collaboration with public authorities and cultural organisations from eight European regions, to map accessibility challenges in cultural venues across Europe and support more informed policy design for inclusive cultural participation. The research, published in June 2025, identified persistent barriers for **persons with disabilities**, including inaccessible infrastructure, limited digital accessibility, and insufficient inclusive practices, while also highlighting promising approaches for creating more accessible and welcoming cultural environments.

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Social
Inclusion

Financial literacy as a pathway for youth social inclusion

KMOP hosted an online discussion in April on the role of financial literacy in strengthening young people's empowerment, employability, and social inclusion.

More than **130** participants

from across Greece joined experts and professionals to discuss how financial education can help young people make informed decisions, manage financial challenges, and participate more actively in economic and social life.



Sharing solutions to address inequalities across Europe

KMOP joined European universities, research institutes, and civil society organisations in the international workshop "Sharing Solutions to Tackle Inequality" held in Rome by the European Anti-Poverty Network (EAPN) in June, contributing to European dialogue on addressing social inequalities and exclusion.

During the workshop, we contributed expertise and field experience from its community-based support and social inclusion initiatives, while discussions highlighted the importance of addressing the structural drivers of inequality, including inadequate policy frameworks, weak cooperation between institutions and services, and demographic changes affecting vulnerable populations across Europe.



KMOP in the Media & Social Platforms

Bringing social issues into the public spotlight

In 2025, KMOP maintained a strong and diverse presence across both traditional and digital media, reflecting our commitment to **raising awareness and contributing to the public dialogue on innovative solutions to contemporary societal challenges**. Through in-person and online discussions, round tables and workshops, as well as through the creation and dissemination of multimedia content, we brought key social issues to the forefront, facilitated knowledge exchange, and inspired creative solutions. By engaging diverse audiences, we contributed to a more informed and prepared society, capable of addressing the complexities of the future.

Our media presence



Our work was widely recognized in Greece. Leading national media outlets covered our initiatives, further amplifying our reach.

Including:

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[Mega TV](#), [skai.gr](#),
[Lifo.gr](#), [Elculture](#),
[CNN.GR](#), [in.gr](#),
[FortuneGreece.com](#),
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Throughout the year, KMOP issued **51 press releases** and participated in **16 TV and radio interviews**, sharing evidence-based insights and educational resources on key social issues. These engagements helped shape discussions, introduce new perspectives, and enhance public understanding of pressing societal challenges.

OUR PRESENCE IN MEDIA >

Our digital reach & social media engagement

KMOP's digital presence continued to grow, in 2025. We reached more than **2.5 million people** through social media and our website. We published **1,348 articles** on our website and posts on Facebook, Instagram, X, LinkedIn, TikTok, and YouTube and we actively promoted knowledge-sharing, showcased our initiatives, and fostered meaningful public dialogues on issues that matter most.

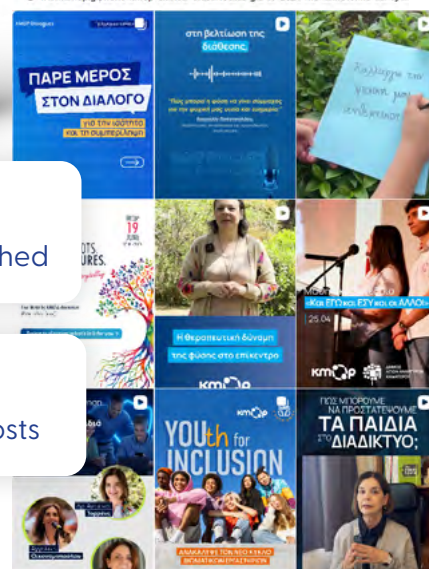


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Looking ahead

As we move forward, our focus remains clear: strengthening communities, empowering individuals, and developing innovative solutions to address the most pressing social challenges of our time.

Over the years, KMOP has had the privilege of collaborating with more than 500 partners across Europe and beyond. We are deeply grateful for their expertise, trust and shared commitment, which have been instrumental in strengthening our work, broadening our reach and advancing meaningful social change.

As societies continue to evolve, so too should the solutions we develop. We remain committed to shaping a future where every individual has the opportunity to thrive and every community has the tools to respond to the challenges and opportunities ahead.

We invite organisations, institutions, and changemakers who share this vision to join us in building the solutions of tomorrow.



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