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Partner Information Form

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Please briefly present the partner organisation:

Founded in 1994, the Andalusia Political Science and Sociology Professional Association, has collaborated with several public and private organisations, contributing and/or participating in private and/or public projects with social, educational and research interests. This Professional Association has also been involved in other areas related to the professional field of the associated members and its employees of different professional disciplines.

This Professional Association aims to regulate the professional activity of Political Science and/or Sociology graduates, and related or derived double degrees (Political Science and Public Administration, Political Science and Sociology, International Affairs, Management and Public Administration, etc.) in the Autonomous Community of Andalusia (Southern Spain). The Association has a wide organizational structure due to the diverse profiles of our members. One of our key goals is to promote and lead the involvement of Political Science and Sociology in the European Union in order to foster the European citizenship. We also aim to create participation links and active partnership among the different communities and minority groups that are part of the EU.

Some of our activities are focused on training and retraining for professionals, as well as undertaking studies, research and interventions in different areas of the Social Sciences. In addition, we provide a department of academic and professional career guidance devoted to the job search for the unemployed. Furthermore, this department also develops networks for labour market inclusion.

Within our Professional Association there are specialized Working Groups focused on achieving results and working towards goals. These Working Groups are made up of associate members with different professional profiles, as well as other professionals, creating altogether a multidisciplinary team which works from the various provinces of Andalusia.

The Andalusia Political Science and Sociology Professional Association is located on the southern border of Europe and has its headquarters in Granada, a highly demanded university city where a wide range of religions, nationalities, cultures and ethnicities coexist. This is the result of our history, a complex process in which different cultures and civilizations, such as the Iberian, Phoenician, Carthaginian, Roman, Byzantine, Moorish of Al-Andalus, Sephardic, Romani and Castilian, have merged over time to build the current Andalusian identity and culture.



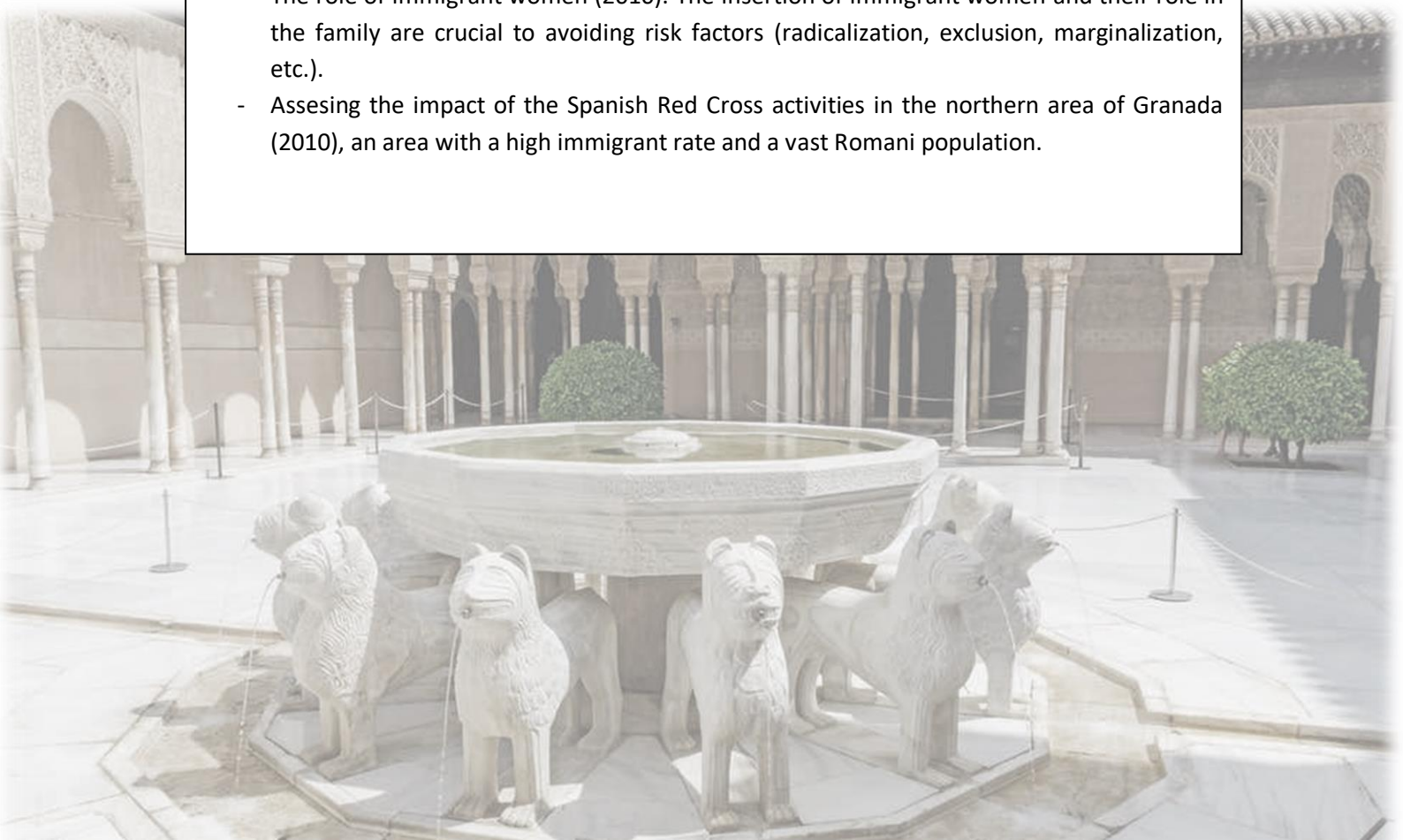


What are the activities and experience of the partner organisation in the areas relevant for this project? What are the skills and/or expertise of key persons involved in this project?

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That is why our Professional Association has been cooperating for several years with other political, social, media, cultural and educational entities on issues related with social science. Some of the relevant projects and research we have carried out are the following:

- Research project: Decoding of the feeling of Andalusian identity (2021). This project delved into the assessments that Andalusians have about their quality of life, politics, the economy and the main problems that affect them.
- Research project: Decoding the Public Agenda of the Coronavirus COVID-19 in Andalusia (2020, ISBN: 9788412082487). Within this project, the changes in feelings, behaviours, and opinions of the Andalusian population as a result of the impact of Coronavirus COVID-19 were analysed.
- External evaluation of the EU project (2018) SymfoS - Symbols for success - Project evaluation report.
- Research to improve the management and organization of Professional Associations. (2016, ISBN: 9788494592300).
- Research study into the situation of young immigrants in Granada (2012).
- Analysis of the employee development programs for youth unemployment in Granada province. (2011).
- The role of immigrant women (2010). The insertion of immigrant women and their role in the family are crucial to avoiding risk factors (radicalization, exclusion, marginalization, etc.).
- Assessing the impact of the Spanish Red Cross activities in the northern area of Granada (2010), an area with a high immigrant rate and a vast Romani population.





Has the partner organisation participated in a European Union granted project in the 3 years preceding this application?

EU Programme	Year	Project Identification or Contract Number	Applicant/ Beneficiary Name
Project DAS- Digital Age Skills – Skills in Demand for the Jobs of Future	2022	2021-1-TR01-KA210-VET-000030130	EGIKAD
SymfoS For Youth Care	2018	2018-1-DE02-KA202-005183	Sozialwerk Dürener Christen
Strengthening the role of youth work in contesting dynamics of shrinking cities	2018	2018-2-HR01-KA205-047588	Documenta – Centar za suočavanje s prošlošću/ Center for Dealing with the Past

Dissemination and exploitation.

The dissemination potential of the Andalusia Political Science and Sociology Professional Association is both diverse and large. As a Professional Association linked to the University, we are able to ensure an academic networking at regional and national levels, as well as their hosting and distribution. Communication channels with Spanish Universities are available to share and spread the project and its results, both for academic interests and for inputs to social interventions projects.

Furthermore, the dissemination of the results would have a wider population spectrum, due to the relations existing between the Political Science and Sociology Professional Associations of Spain and the historical and cultural link we have with Latin American Universities and/or Professional Associations.

By the same token, we also work in cooperation with third sector organizations, social organizations, public and private organizations and various European and international entities. This has led to a valuable networking for the spreading of information.

Finally, we also have a website and social networks which might help to disseminate the activities, the project results and related project information.

