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## EDDILI

“To **ED**ucate is to make possible  
the **DI**scovery of **LI**fe”

Dear reader,

The project EDDILI runs since 2008 – after three years of cooperation we proudly present you the last newsletter including information the projects´ complete development and products!

In this last newsletter we want to  
Central points of this newsletter are:

- ✓ The final manual
- ✓ The local dissemination and exploitation seminars and
- ✓ The final meeting in Cyprus

### **Background:**

The project takes inspiration from the social and educational work of Danilo Dolci, peacemaker and sociologist who first came to Sicily from the North of Italy in the beginning of the 1950s in order to study the conditions of society and try to find the possible elements of change. EDDILI is the result of cooperation between seven organizations from six European countries (Italy, Cyprus, Spain, Germany, Holland, Switzerland) aimed at introducing, experimenting and sharing the reciprocal maieutic approach (RMA) of Danilo Dolci as an educational approach to be used in the field of training of adult learning staff. EDDILI is being implemented in all partner countries simultaneously, achieving this way a strong multiplying effect and a strong European dimension.

### ➤ **The valorisation seminar in Cyprus**

After lots of meetings in partner countries and many local events now the grand finale is coming: From 5<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> of October 2011 the EDDILI partners will meet for the last time to top off the project activities. In this meeting it is our aim to valorise and exploit the results of the

project, the contributions made to the adult education community as well as the value of collaboration. We will also share good practices and experience about RMA among the whole partnership.

Another aim is to consider common interests for future collaboration and to involve a wide range of existing or potential users who might benefit from the new method the project opened up. If you have the opportunity, you are invited to join the valorization seminar which is open to public. The seminar will take place at **the University of Nicosia on Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> of October 2011 at 15:00.**

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➤ **The final manual**

The final manual includes all aspects around RMA we worked on and can be used as an instruction how to apply the RMA method in a group. It is spited in four chapters:

**Chapter I** *Eddili: to educate is to make possible the discovery of life*

This chapter includes a general description of the project and its objectives.

**Chapter II** *The reciprocal maieutic approach (RMA)*

In this chapter you will find general information about the RMA, its theoretical framework, characteristics and pedagogical aspects.

**Chapter III** *How to develop training courses by RMA*

In this chapter you find clear instructions on how to develop RMA In-presence and E-learning modules

**Chapter IV** *The learning achievements*

The fourth chapter includes the learning achievements and competences acquired by the adult learning staff at the end of the RMA training modules as well as innovative aspects of RMA in adult education.

Additional there are the **conclusions** and a suggestion for **Self-access modules** to be used in combination with EDDILI seminars.

The manual is available in different languages (English, Italian, Spanish, German, Greek). Please follow the links below to download it:

<http://reciprocalmaieutic.danilodolci.it/final-products/final-manual/>

If you want to learn more about EDDILI, or are interested in using the RMA manual visit

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