





Candieira, Support network and promotion of Galician women in fisheries



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National Cooperation Project

<u>Beneficiary:</u>

FLAG Golfo Ártabro Norte, Costa da Morte, Costa Sostible, Ría de Arousa, Ría de Pontevedra and Ría de Vigo-A Guarda.

Coordinator FLAG:

FLAG Ría de Pontevedra

Objectives:

Strengthen the governance and empowerment of women in the fishing sector through the creation of a collaborative network. Promotion of women equality in Galician area through training programs and active participation.

Eligible cost:

Total: 136.125,00 € EMFF: 115.706,25 €











Activities

- Local meetings for making entrepreneurship more dynamic.
- Entrepreneurship laboratory and support program.
- Program to promote associations: formation-action.
- o Constitution of the network.
- o Social networks.











Cooperation values

- Strengthening capacity, between women in fisheries sector through training actions.
- This project achieves an important relevance in Galician coast, 6
 FLAGS participate in this cooperation project.
- Establishment of different methodologies of work related to a more efficient working system.











Lessons learned:

- Projects related to social innovation requires great dedication and is essential to consider better balancing of family life and work.
- Access to **new technologies** is key for the users of the training programs.

Topics of the training programs:

- Diversification local economies through improving the tourism offer.
- Harnessing of local fishery resources through transformation and elaboration of traditional canned and food.
- Exchange the experiences related to women's wellbeing and main problems regarding work that women in fishing and aquaculture face.
- Improve the capacity to achieve diversification activities in the area.







RESULTS:

- The creation of working groups: Encourage economic female entrepreneurship (PROGRAMA EMBARCA) and social entrepreneurship (PROGRAMA ALIADAS).
- Participation: 743 women and 28 men.
- Development of 60 training courses (400 hours).
- Social media https://www.facebook.com/candieirarede/











SPECIFIC ACTIONS IN THE FLAGS MEMBERS:

- FLAG Ría de Arousa, Golfo Ártabro Norte and Costa da Morte: Share the emotional and collective memory in order to make visible the role of women fisheries through time.
- <u>FLAG Costa Sostible</u>, promoting events related to engaging more women to these exchange spaces.
- <u>FLAG Ría de Vigo-A Guarda</u>, improve the knowledge and the relation between professional women in the fisheries sector and the scientific associations.
- <u>FLAG Ría de Pontevedra</u>, with the collaboration from medical sector they had identified the specific movements in their work and create a routine of exercises in explanatory panels.















