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GRUNDTVIG PARTNER SEARCH FORM – LEARNING PARTNERSHIPS

• **Preliminary project title**

Volunteering and Active Citizenship
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• **Institution**

Name	Voluntary Service Centre (CSV)
Type of institution	Non Governative Organization
City	Turin
Country	Italy
Website	www.vssp.it

Main activities of the institution	<p>We are an NGO (member of the Regional Coordination of Service Centres and the National Coordination of Services centres CSVnet) which has been working since 1997 according to the national relevant regulations and it is currently run by 90 voluntary associations at the regional level.</p> <p>We offer free of charge services (such as training, consultancy, planning assistance) and carry out research and documentation activities, promotion and information on behalf of over 1000 voluntary associations in the Province of Turin. We are present in the whole territory of the Province with 5 territorial delegations.</p> <p>We are actually engaged in two LLP projects: one Grundtvig Learning Partnership and one Leonardo Transfert of Innovation.</p>
Connection between the activities and adult education	<p>Our Mission is to qualify and support volunteers in order to enable them to seize opportunities and take individual paths of development. For this purpose we develop projects to increase the interest in voluntary work and build taylor-made learning paths on the needs of volunteers.</p>

• **Seeking for...**

Coordinator	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Partner	<input type="checkbox"/>

• **Project proposal**

Main covered fields	In the European Year of Citizens, we want be part of a EU network in order to comparing experiences and to join our skills about voluntary work as best practice in the citizens' lifelong learning process.
Target groups	Volunteers and applicant volunteers: adults, retired people, women, disabled, etc.
Objectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore volunteering experiences in other countries • Fostering citizens' participation through volunteering • Develop joint programs for motivating adults to increase their social and civic competences
Activities	Workshops, focus-groups, seminars, team building activities like social

	events. Locally each organization will arrange courses (e.g. English, ICT, etc) and activities for adult citizens and volunteers.
Outcomes	Web tools (website, newsletter, skype, facebook, etc.) Publications and promotional material.
Period of the project	September 2013-August 2015

- **Potential partners**

Charity organizations and voluntary institutions, non governative and public organizations interested in longlife learning, volunteering and active citizenship.

- **Contact person**

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