



## Welcome to the Bridge the Gap! Project

Two years of the Bridge the Gap! Project are now coming to an end...

With our Erasmus+ project **Bridge the Gap!** (realized from October 2020 until October 2022) we wanted to find creative and sustainable approaches to enable older people to live autonomously and to shape their living environments in a way that sustains independence as well as their social and digital participation.

We believe that older people can benefit most if they themselves actively change their environment according to their needs and preferences. Thus, the aim of our project Bridge the Gap! was to train and empower older people to implement their ideas for an age-friendly environment with the support of digital tools.

*Thanks to all of our participants and cooperation partners, who have joined and supported us during our Bridge the Gap! journey.*

## Project News



### Our Training Kit is now available!

The Training Kit provides useful and practical training methods for trainers (including adult educators, community developers, volunteers in organisations working for/with older persons), as well as tips and tricks on how to support teamwork and foster mutual learning. Have a look [here](#).

The Training Kit is available in English, Italian, German, Lithuanian and Dutch!

## Bridge the Gap! final event September 2022

Thank you for participating in our **Bridge the Gap!** Final Online Event on September 27<sup>th</sup>! It was a pleasure to share and discuss our learnings and reflections. We are happy to share the [documentation of the final event](#). Please find a link to the recordings of our [presentations](#) about the project and insights into the activities in all five **Bridge the Gap!** countries (Austria, Germany, The Netherlands, Italy, Lithuania).

### Final step(s): Finalizing our Digital Training

The Digital Training is based on our manifold experiences and results of the Bridge the Gap! project! The online training provides you with three modules and at the end some practical information and links to further resources. The three modules are:

- ⇒ Age-Friendly Environments
- ⇒ Ageing in an increasingly digital era
- ⇒ Let's look at some practical tools supporting you to get active in your neighbourhood/city

*You will find the Digital Training (in the coming weeks) as well as all other publications (→ Factsheet, National Research Reports, Training Concept and Curriculum, Training Kit) elaborated in the project (available in English, Dutch, German, Italian and Lithuanian) on our [website](#).*

### Let's keep in touch!

If you are interested in activities in our partner countries, please contact the [partner organisations](#). Please feel free to contact us if you require any further information or if you would like to share your experiences and ideas with us!

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Best wishes,

The Bridge the Gap! partnership



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