



Forcrest is a European project supported by the Leonardo Programme. The objective is the conceptualization and the development of a training methodology for the creation of new innovative and technologically well-developed companies working towards sustainable development.

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Title	FORCREST: ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND SUSTAINABILITY
Range	<input type="checkbox"/> Regional <input type="checkbox"/> National <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International
Target group(s) (you can mark more than one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Students in general <input type="checkbox"/> Female Students (women only) <input type="checkbox"/> Students in SET <input type="checkbox"/> Female Students in SET <input type="checkbox"/> Post graduates <input type="checkbox"/> Post graduated women <input type="checkbox"/> Post graduated women in SET <input type="checkbox"/> Other target group: PRIORITY FOR WOMEN STUDENTS IN TECHNICAL AND ECONOMIC STUDIES
Language(s)	For the meetings and common materials Spanish, English but in each participant country the language of the country (there are 11 countries)

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Kind of program/product	<input type="checkbox"/> training (different modules) <input type="checkbox"/> lecture <input type="checkbox"/> meeting <input type="checkbox"/> event/conference <input type="checkbox"/> workshop(s) <input type="checkbox"/> other kind of training programs/products: business simulator
Program started/executed at (date)	December 2003
Duration of the program	30 month
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Theme of program	<input type="checkbox"/> orientation/stimulation <input type="checkbox"/> training in requirements for (starting) entrepreneurs
Summary of program (max. 12 sentences) Aims, activities, (planned) results	<p>The initiative aims to promote the creation of new companies that are committed to sustainability and work for the good of the environment. Both innovation and respect for the environment are important issues for the European Union, and the two concepts together constitute a powerful combination. SMEs are a fundamental source of employment for people, and their economic activities enrich the business fabric of the Community.</p> <p>FORCREST is going to generate a new product which will increase the offer of lifelong training activities. First of all, it tries to facilitate the transition to work of highly technical qualified young people, teaching them to create enterprises to promote the sustainability and to introduce the management innovation since the beginning. Training will be both, on-line and in presence depending of are promoted specific technical competence, key competence or network capacity.</p>

Didactical methods	<input type="checkbox"/> e-learning <input type="checkbox"/> training by a professor/(visiting) lecturer <input type="checkbox"/> coaching <input type="checkbox"/> other method(s):business simulator
Number of meetings	International meeting : 3 National meeting : 8
Expenses for the duration of the program	Actually, the project is in the preparation phase and in September the modules will run, but at that moment we haven't the concrete answer for this item
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Evaluation results (so far) (in 6 sentences)	<p>-during the course system SEEQ will be used (Students'Evaluation of Educational Quality), developed by Herbert Marsh, to evaluate so much the progress of the student like the work of the tutors.</p> <p>-the opinions of the professors, tutors will also consider and mentors as well as those of the associate companies</p> <p>-Essay of the report about pilot experience and his evaluation and send it to all the partners</p> <p>-second transnational meeting to analyze the pilot experience and to improve it, if outside necessary and to make one first definition of end items of formation elaborated by association FORCREST</p>
Used and outcome products/media in program	<input type="checkbox"/> website <input type="checkbox"/> cd-rom <input type="checkbox"/> DVD/video/television <input type="checkbox"/> game <input type="checkbox"/> books <input type="checkbox"/> seminar concept <input type="checkbox"/> workshop concept <input type="checkbox"/> database <input type="checkbox"/> others: