

# crinking skills

CRITICAL-THINKING SKILLS FOR YOUNG MIGRANTS

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# NEWSLETTER

## The key points of the Day

- **Analytical Thinking:** Empower youth migrants to logically assess information and ideas.
- **Open-Mindedness:** Promote tolerance and understanding of diverse viewpoints.
- **Fact-Checking Skills:** Teach participants how to identify credible information and combat misinformation.
- **Real-World Application:** Provide opportunities for young migrants to apply critical thinking to societal issues, personal challenges, and ethical dilemmas.

## Kick-Off

The Crinking Skills project **officially launched** with a kick-off meeting held on **June 13 and 14, 2024**, in Pau, France. This pivotal event brought together representatives from partner organizations in France, Spain, Türkiye, and Poland.

During the meeting, the partners presented their ongoing work, **shared valuable insights**, and discussed the next steps required to achieve the project's ambitious objectives.

This gathering marked a promising start, reinforcing the commitment of all parties involved to **empower young migrants** through the **development of critical thinking skills**.

The project aims to **enhance participants' abilities** to logically **analyze information**, cultivate open-mindedness, and develop essential research and fact-checking skills. These competencies will enable them to make informed decisions, **solve problems** effectively, and actively engage in **democratic processes**.

## BIG NEWS

We are delighted to announce the commencement of the "Crinking Skills" project, a dynamic initiative focused on fostering critical thinking skills among young migrants across Europe.

This project, which began on January 1, 2024, and will continue until December 31, 2025, is co-financed by the European Union under the Erasmus+ program.





## ABOUT PROJECT

The Crinking Skills project is designed to equip young migrants, aged 18-30, with the analytical and critical thinking abilities necessary to navigate the complexities of modern society.

The project aims to enhance their ability to analyze information logically, cultivate open-mindedness, and develop essential research and fact-checking skills.

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**8 PERSONS - 4 COUNTRIES**



## Visit Pau

While in Pau, the participants had the opportunity to explore the culture and history of this French city.

But beyond the scenic views and cultural experiences, the focus remained on the core mission of the Crinking Skills.

## Target Group

### Youth Migrants

The primary beneficiaries, representing diverse cultural backgrounds and facing socio-economic challenges.

### Youth-Migrant Workers

These individuals will act as multipliers, disseminating critical thinking skills to a broader audience of young migrants.

## Have you ever wondered what critical thinking is?

It's like having a superpower, but instead of shooting laser beams or flying, you have the power to ask questions and, based on the information, create your own objective thoughts.



Let's put it this way: it's like being a mental detective, but without the hat or the police badge. You don't just accept the first thing you hear. You ask questions, investigate, and don't settle for easy answers.



**But beware, don't lose your mind!**



It's not about distrusting everything and everyone. It's more about maintaining a healthy skepticism, keeping your curiosity alive, investigating, and coming to your own conclusions.

The launch of this project has laid the foundation for a significant journey ahead. In the upcoming newsletters, we will keep you informed about the progress of our initiatives, share participant stories, and provide insights into the ongoing development of critical thinking skills within our target groups.

Stay tuned as we continue exploring, overcoming challenges, and celebrating milestones. We are committed to making a lasting impact.

**The journey has just begun, and we are excited to share every moment with you!**

