ABOUT US

WHO WE ARE
InterMediaKT is an NGO based in Patras, Greece, working since 2012 in the fields of education, training and innovation at the European level. Through technology tools, collaborations and exchange of good practices, we try to achieve our main aim of Knowledge Transfer.

OUR MISSION
We aim at Knowledge Transfer, combining education and technology for accessible and equal learning, social inclusion, and the promotion of active participation and volunteering.

OUR VISION
The unconditional access to education and technology to ensure equity and prosperity.
ACTIVITIES

Digital tools development

- Websites
- Online learning platforms
- Web/mobile applications & games
- Graphics and multimedia

Educational activities

- Digital skills
- 21st century skills
- Social Entrepreneurship
1. INTRODUCTION

We will all remember 2020 for the difficult times caused by the pandemic, which affected the way of thinking and acting around the world.

At InterMediaKT, we accepted the news with sadness and concern, but also with an exploratory look and creativity, which allowed us to stay active and help the people around us.

As we celebrated - online - our 8th birthday in November 2020, we reflect on the changes brought about by the past year, the moments and people who were by our side and how we tried to stay committed to the goals and desires we have as a team and organization.

Despite adversity, the end of the decade found us hopeful & our team managed to use its knowledge and skills for the benefit of those around us. Using technology now as an ally and not just as a means, we look to the future with optimism and hope.

With this edition, we tried to attribute our year in few words, so, stay with and read more, to find out about the impact we had in the previous 365 days!
2. Educational Activities & Events
Coffee and dialogue bring us closer

And this year we continued to drink our coffees and have nice discussions, at the beginning of the year offline and then online, within the framework of the European project Open Dialogue Cafe. This is an action that takes place in parallel in 4 European countries, Greece, Italy, Poland and Sweden. With a cup of coffee, we talk about burning social issues. The purpose of the meetings is to promote an open and inclusive society.

https://open-cafe.eu/

A... different workshop with a... different toolbox

As part of the European project “Cover your need, discover your career”, which aims to create tools that will be useful to people who support adult learners, a workshop was organized to test the final version of the innovative toolkit created during the project. Professional trainers from Greece, Bulgaria and Slovakia participated in the workshop, along with a group of international four participants from these countries.

http://www.careerdiscovery.eu/
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https://intermediakt.org/menoume-spiti/

A Coffee Break is always necessary

It’s well known how much we love coffees as a group. For the second year in a row we continued to do our standard monthly Coffee breaks. These are podcasts with good friends and partners as guests. We drank our coffees online, commenting on current events and everyday life, discussing various social issues and actions. 

https://anchor.fm/intermediakt

We stayed home & shared the knowledge

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Lifelong learning for people over 60

A group of 4 participants took part in the Workshops of the Key4Development training programme held in Malaga, Spain in February. The aim of the workshops was to encourage 60+ adults to pursue continuing training and to be active in society, offering their modernized skills.

https://key4development.eu/
The first offline event, after months, took place on 15th of July in collaboration with the organizations People Behind and Frodizo, entitled “Fighting Dementia by Playing: The Role of Technology in Preventing and Treating It”. We talked about 3rd age and the development of digital skills, online games and technology in 3rd age, games as weapons against dementia and the results that can be obtained by monitoring evolution... by Playing!

https://www.acdcproject.eu/el/

We stayed home but participated in Erasmus+ youth exchange

we participated in the Erasmus+ Virtual Exchange (CS)TEP: Critical Thinking held in May, with 10 participants from Greece who collaborated with 104 others from 10 countries in a modern and asynchronous online education program! Our young people, over the course of a month, not only acquired and improved their critical thinking skills, but exchanged views with young people from different countries.
Patras Codecamp took place for the 5th consecutive year, on our computer screens, at the end of October, honoring the tradition of Europe Code week. More than 900 participants from across the country benefited from the 21 workshops and the opening day, which hosted representatives of companies, local government, government and the field of education and open technologies. Organizers were InterMediaKT, POS4work and the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Department, of University of the Peloponnese. 
https://patrascodecamp.eu/

At InterMediaKT we love technology and programming, especially in 2020!
Patras Junior Codecamp took part on the weekend of October 10-11 and aimed to introduce the exciting world of Programming and Technology to students from all over Greece. It started with the Tech4Family workshop for girls 8-10 years old and their mothers, in collaboration with the Genderhood organization and then with the workshops “Learning to plan with Scratch and with Alice” for children. All this happened with the valuable help of our instructors and volunteers.
At InterMediaKT we support the Digital Empowerment of Civil Society Organisations

Training in Centres for the Prevention of Addictions and the Promotion of Psychosocial Health

It is always our pleasure to support organisations that produce great social work. This year our team held a series of training seminars on the use of technological tools aimed at various Prevention Centers in Greece.

Digital Transformation of the Community Association for the Relief and Care of the Elderly & Disabled guests- FRONTIZO

We have created a customized training program for the use and management of technological tools to achieve the digital transformation of the organization at multiple levels.

A series of trainings was carried out with the Rainbow School, an organization whose purpose is to change society’s stereotypical perceptions of LGBTQI+ issues. Some of the areas of education were online education and good practices, use and management of digital tools, and educational platforms such as Moodle.

Training on "Digital Project and Group Management Tools."

Our team participated in the 1st cycle of training seminars “Empowering the Greek not-for profit (NPO) ecosystem during COVID-19”, organized by HIGGS with the support of the British Embassy in Athens. InterMediaKT and its instructors held the seminar, with the participation of representatives from 20 NGOs!
Feedback from stakeholders on the creation of educational material of our projects

INSPIRE - Online focus group
Our team organized an online focus group on “Volunteer Management and Civil Society sectors”, which is carried out within the framework of the European project “INSPIRE” in order to create an overview in relation to the management of volunteers by sectors with experience and knowledge. To this end, our team met with representatives from 6 co-operators from Patras and Athens where we discussed ways and methodologies in the management of volunteers, for difficulties, motivations and good practices. 
https://learn2inspire.eu/

Let Women Choose - Online focus group
Our team organized an online focus group within the framework of the European project Let women choose, in collaboration with the organization MExoxo. Together with the female entrepreneurs who participated in this focus group we discussed their vision and organisations/businesses, the difficulties and opportunities they face and have, the support and changes they need and the advices from their experiences.
https://letwomenchooserasmusplus.wordpress.com/
3. Learning & Technological Tools
We are thrilled to have created and launched our own set-up video conferencing platform. Wuby, InterMediaKT’s video conferencing platform, is based on the BigBlueButton open source video conferencing system.

https://webinars.intermediakt.org

COVER YOUR NEEDS
DISCOVER YOUR CAREER
The creative toolkit of our project Cover your needs, discover your career for adult education, gained the 2nd prize in the European competition for innovative tools and means of professional guidance. We are honored that the Business Foundation for Education has chosen it between 38 ideas from 13 countries.
http://www.careerdiscovery.eu/outputs/

"ONE STEP UP - SKILLS FOR LEARNING TO LEARN"
The Learning to Learn Manual for youth workers of our European project "One step up - skills for learning to learn" is now available online. A big thank you to our partners and participants who took part in this educational trip.
https://onestepup.me/io2-learning-to-learn-training-manual-for-youth-workers/

CREATE OUR PLATFORM FOR WEBINARS
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**ACDC EDUTAINMENT TOOL**

Within the framework of the European project ACDC a toolkit of electronic educational modules edutainment (education and entertainment) has been created, allowing fun during learning. These games give users the opportunity to check and learn information about the prevention of cognitive impairment.

https://www.acdcproject.eu/el/new-edutainment-training-module

**SOCIOPOLIS BOARDGAME**

The social entrepreneurship board game has arrived at our office! Together with our partners we named the game, which was developed as part of the European project GATES “Sociopolis”. Players struggle to earn happiness points!

https://play4impact.eu/game/

**ALLSOSKILLED PLATFORM**

The Platform of the European Project AllsocSkilled was created to help its adult visitors discover ways to improve their social and work skills and increase their competitiveness in today’s labour market.

https://allsoskilled.eu/el/learningpath/allsoskilled-gr/
4. VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITIES
ERASMUS DAYS 2020 with smiles... under the face masks!

As part of Erasmus Days 2020 on 14, 15 and 16 of October, our volunteers organized an information day on the Erasmus+ programme, with the help of ESN UOPA. We hit the streets of Patras to share our experiences and answered all the questions about the Erasmus+ mobility opportunities that exist, maintaining same time all necessary protection measures given the pandemic situation.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J6iicWgPLMI

InterMediaKT loves Pink!

InterMediaKT was a proud supporter of Pink the City/Pink the Web 2020, providing technical support for organizing all online events that took place during the month of October. We supported the online events for the “Alma Zois of Patras” breast cancer association with the motto: I’m being informed - I’m taking care of me - I’m making it - I’m living.”
"Say it with a quote"

At InterMediaKT we love and support volunteering. Volunteers are a big part of our organization and we owe them a lot. Below they share with us 2 thoughts on volunteering.

**Chloe Deantoni**  
Volunteer for European Solidarity Corps

"Volunteering not only allows me to help and give back to the community, it also gives me the opportunity to meet inspiring people and live incredible experiences."

**Sara Albo**  
Volunteer for European Solidarity Corps

"Volunteering is an unexpected and intensely mutual development."

**Κατερίνα Ντρίζα**  
Volunteer for ODC

"Volunteering is a nice thing because in addition to offering others, you gain inner satisfaction and joy! You give joy and you get joy ×10."

**Εμμανουέλα Βαγιανού**  
Volunteer for Patras Codecamp

"I really like volunteering, and the feeling of offering to the society and nature that surrounds us is unique and very comforting. The sweetest salary of life is the smile on people’s lips or nature’s response, as a thank you for this small offer. Something small that wouldn’t get big if we all sat on our couches."

**Γιάννης Λεβεδιανός**  
Volunteer for Patras Codecamp

"In volunteering there is no material reward but it gives the basis for the creation of experiences and for interactions that can develop into strong friendships."

**Άρτεμις Αθανασάκη**  
Volunteer for Patras Codecamp

"The paradox with volunteering is that you always earn more than you offer."
5. IMPACT
BENEFICIARIES

Total Number of Beneficiaries: 2,388

Gender Distribution:
- MEN: 64.9%
- WOMEN: 35.1%

Age Distribution:
- 18-30 years old: 75%
- 31-60 years old: 20%
- 60+ years old: 3.1%
- Minors: 1.9%

Training Hours: 243
Number of our Beneficiaries

- 30 Projects and activities
- 31 Organizations that we trained
- 12 Volunteers
- 26 Events
6. RECOGNITION
INTERMEDIAKT-WORLD OF DIFFERENCE
During World Of Difference 2018 programme of Vodafone Foundation, we created the mobile app “Accessible Routes” aiming for equal accessibility for people with mobility disabilities. This initiative was honored at the Mobile Excellence Awards with the silver award in the category of Design and Development of Mobile Applications.

IVEA - ERASMUS+ PRIZE
The European project IVEA – in which InterMediaKT is a Partner – and aims to develop a European guide to promoting the employment of people with autism, was awarded the Erasmus + Prize by the Portuguese National Agency for the World Day of Persons with Disabilities.
7. FINANCIAL DATA
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INCOME
2020
158,080.80 €

Transnational Projects
150,155.09 €

Commercial Activity
7,925.71 €

EXPENSES
2020
121,359.01 €

Operational
22,843.48 €

Costs of Activities - Projects
98,515.53 €
8. FINANCERS, SPONSORS & SUPPORTERS
SUPPORTERS

citrix
code4thought
dialog SEMICONDUCTOR
eπυυ
INTRACOM TELECOM
INTRASOFT INTERNATIONAL
Microsoft Learn

.supporters

COLLABORATIONS & CO-ORGANIZERS

ESN
Erasmus Student Network
University of Patras

GENDER HOOD

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PEOPLE BEHIND

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Another year has come to an end. At InterMediaKT for every year that passes, we take it into account the goals that we have achieved, the people we have met, our creativity and extroversion.

By reading our report, we hope you got a little taste some of the important moments that marked the course of our team.

We thank everyone, those who marched with us or simply found themselves in our important moments, those who trusted us and offered us their support.

Looking to the future, the new year and decade, we feel creative and optimistic. We believe that together we will face the difficulties and promise even more activities that will bring us closer together.