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SUBJECT: FIRST ONLINE MEETING

On the afternoon of January 11, the inaugural meeting for the "Personal Learning Environment to Improve Young People's Skills for Future Challenges" (PLE4YOUTH) project took place online. This project, approved by the Spanish National Agency Erasmus Plus under action number 2022-1-ES02-KA210-YOU-000083769, falls under the Small Scale Partnerships in Youth initiative. Over the next 24 months, three organizations will collaborate to bring this project to life: Associació Educativa i Cultural Blue Beehive (Spain - project coordinator), The Hub Nicosia Ltd (Cyprus), and Youth Europe Service (Italy).

The PLE4YOUTH project aims to create an inclusive and personalized digital learning environment tailored to support disadvantaged young people. This initiative focuses on enhancing digital transformation while providing easy access to knowledge crucial for developing key competences in the next generation. The project will build a collection of digital tools that allow young people to explore topics of interest in-depth while encouraging them to take an active role in their own informal and non-formal education.

The digital environment will be based on a Personal Learning Environment (PLE) model, which will feature three online training modules adapted to the interests of young people. The project also includes a Self-Paced Open Online Course (SPOOC) that will provide the necessary training for young people to customize their PLE according to their unique needs.

During the meeting, the project coordinator from Spain presented the two-year plan, and tasks were assigned among the partners with deadlines for the research and development phases of the platform. The Power Association will focus on key topics such as:

- Building a secure digital identity
- Critical thinking and identifying fake news
- Entrepreneurship
- Tips for creating a strong CV and preparing for job interviews
- Development of transversal skills
- Inclusive leadership

This first meeting set the stage for an exciting collaboration that will equip young people with the tools and knowledge they need to thrive in the future.

