Project PROMETHEUS

The **P**ROMETHEUS strives for the transfer and implementation of good p**R**actices for improving w**O**rk-life balance, through training and education of e**M**ploye**E**s and managers, with **T**he aim of establis**H**ing an organizational structur**E** and c**U**Iture of companies ba**S**ed on gender equality.

The main goal of the PROMETHEUS project is the empowerment of employees, working at home or on location, with reliable measures, adapted for different levels of jobs in the included companies, in order to facilitate the coordination of professional and private life.

An **indirect goal** of the project is thus the implementation of an individualized, tailor-made educational approach based on positive psychology, which contributes significantly to building a respectful organizational culture, grounded on gender equality and diversity.

The program contributes in several different ways:

- By developing a combined integrated educational approach, which will empower employers and employees with a set of measures and tools to improve the coordination of professional and private life.
- By understanding and treating work at home as a particular challenge for balancing professional and private life.
- By strengthening the competences of employers and employees, based on individual treatment of the latter with the aim of bringing the educational program that is being developed closer to the diverse profiles of those involved, and enhancing the organizational culture based on gender equality and diversity.
- By developing and establishing a multi-level mentoring scheme, which will equip those it is aimed at with the skills and methods needed for easier coordination of professional and private life.
- By developing a digital tool for transferring knowledge about improving professional and private life beyond the consortium partnership.





The expected results of the Prometheus project are:

- Improved employee knowledge and comprehension of the challenges, related to balancing professional and private life.
- Increased awareness among national stakeholders and decision-makers of the issue of balancing the professional and private lives of employees, and the importance of gender equality within companies' organizational structures.
- Empowerment of employees and company managers with regard to enabling the coordination of professional and private life.
- Increased awareness of the impact of the COVID-19 epidemic, and of the various personal circumstances of an employed person on the possibilities of balancing their professional and private life.
- Scientific correlation between the challenges of balancing employees' professional and private lives and their satisfaction with the workplace.
- Increased awareness of the importance of gender equality in companies among the general public.



Project partners

Lead partner: American Chamber of Commerce – AmCham Slovenia

Slovenian partners:

- IPES Gender Equality Research Institute, Maribor
- Merkur trgovina d. o. o.
- Riko, industrijski, gradbeni inženiring in leasing, d. o. o.
- Knauf Insulation d. o. o., Škofja Loka
- Public Scholarship, Development, Disability and Maintenance Fund of the Republic of Slovenia
- A1 Slovenija, telekomunikacijske storitve, d. d.
- AMZS d. d.
- University of Maribor

Norwegian partner:

Norges Automobil-Forbund, the Norwegian Automobile Foundation





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