Role Description | Coordinator of the Mental ESCAPE Health Project

Accountable to | Academic Affairs Officer; Finance Officer

Description of the project | Mental ESCAPE health Project is an Erasmus+ funded international project consisting of the associates Waldritter, Learning Designers, RUSIHAK, EFQuBL, APICE and EFPSA. Mental ESCAPE will create escape rooms (2 pop-ups and at least one digital) as experiential educational tools on the topic of mental health issues such as addiction and depression. The project aims to raise awareness on the issues of addiction and depression, approach sensitivity and empathy on mental health in society, and build the capacity of youth workers on the use of experiential learning processes and gamification of youth empowerment.

Purpose of the Role | Leading the EFPSA Mental ESCAPE Health project team; maintaining relationships and reporting to the EFPSA Board of Management as well as the ESCAPE Mental Health project associates; overseeing and ensuring the progress of the team and delivery of intellectual outputs.

Main Responsibilities

Coordination

- To oversee and work closely with the team; to prepare the agendas and lead the meetings.
- To continuously communicate with the project associates and EFPSA Board (respond to project-related emails promptly).
- Ensuring the timely delivery of the intellectual outputs
- Planning and organising project-related events EFPSA is responsible for, in collaboration with the EFPSA Board.
- Monitoring the project budget
Research

- Creating a structured research plan for intellectual outputs
- Literature review for:
  - Intellectual Output 3: Depression
  - Intellectual Output 4: Gambling addiction
  - Gamification and mental health
- To conduct statistical analysis of data
- To develop escape rooms from evidence-based practices:
  - Elements that would be included in the escape rooms
  - Development of the profile that would be represented by the escape room
  - Development of the escape room scenario
- To develop a research design for the evaluation and assessment of the escape rooms

Requirements

- Be enrolled in a master's degree in psychology, doctoral or postdoctoral degree in psychology (or graduated from one of these three degrees within the last 2 years).
- A strong command of the English language
- Research skills and experience in research
- Systematic approach
- Knowledge in statistical computer software programmes (SPSS, R)
- Leadership and delegation skills
- Good writing skills
- Creativity
- Strongly encouraged to have online working experience
- Strongly encouraged to have experience in working in international teams
Time Investment

- You will be required to work individually 3 hours per week for which you are flexible in allocating your time during the week.
- You will be required to travel and attend several meetings and events in person (Germany, Italy, Spain, Turkey).

Compensation

- You will receive a total amount of €5,045.04
- This comes down to an effective compensation of 10.78/hour
- You will be paid €840.84 semiannually for a duration of three years

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