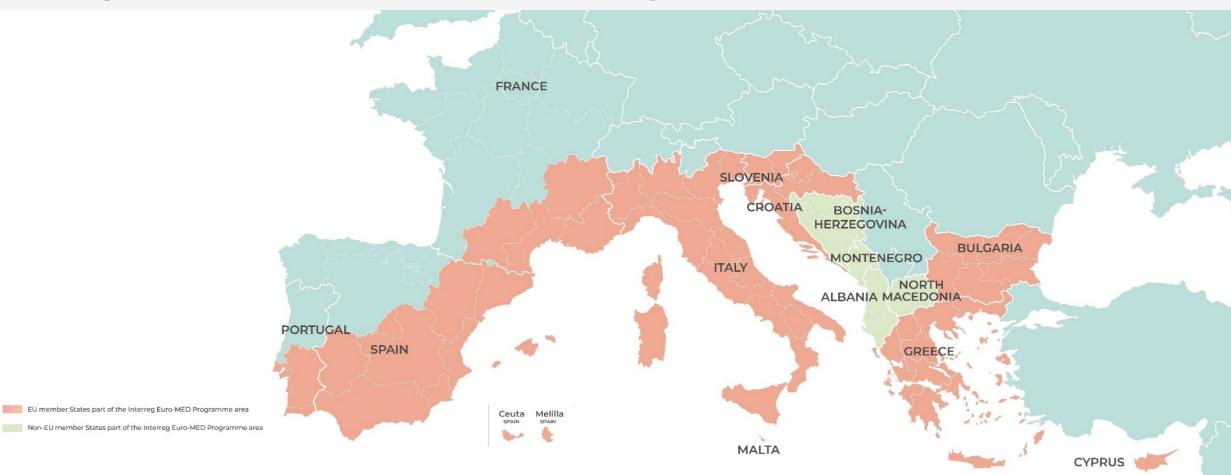




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Interreg Volunteers within the Joint Secretariat

Programme area - 14 countries / 69 regions





Programme - Overview





Why welcoming IVYs?

- Helps enhancing Programme communication
- **Positive energy** from volunteers
- Fresh **ideas**



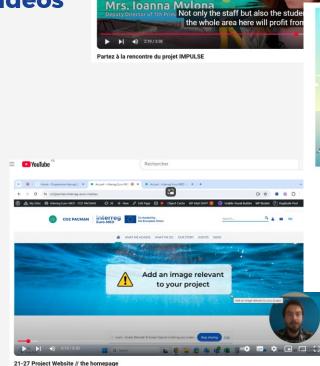
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Examples of IVYs contributions

- Interviews on site with project partners + videos
- Catalogue for the projects 2014-2020
- **Tutorials** for building the projects websites
- Post 27 EC public consultation
- **Game** for students to learn more about cooperation
- Instagram account creation



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"I learnt a lot about the Programme and cooperation in general. I took part in various events and tasks that broadened my horizons and I met people from different backgrounds [...]. Last but not least, Marseille and life at the office also made my experience very enjoyable." Solène, France

"These past six months have been a **great opportunity** to **learn** more about **how territorial cooperation** works in real-life." *Fahrettin*, *Turkey*

"As a citizen of the Mediterranean, I wanted to join a Programme that actively addresses issues that concern me to amplify my commitment. Working in a multicultural and multidisciplinary environment to build a better future for Europe and the Mediterranean is, for me, a true motivation and a major goal." *Farah*, *Tunisia*



Benefits

- **New comer** = new vision
- Encourage you to explain with **simpler words** and to think your way of communicate
- Help you **developing ideas** you got on your list for a while but no time to implement it
- New **culture** in the team
- New **skills** / tools



Challenges

- Administrative difficulties delay when **visa** is needed
- Good knowledge of French language to better integrate the team and daily life in Marseille
- Finding a flat/room rental for few months without a full-time job contract in France can be difficult







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