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# SocialChallenges.eu awards 1.230.000€ to 41 entrepreneurs to solve pressing social and environmental challenges in Europe

SocialChallenges.eu announces the list of 41 entrepreneurs, startups, SMEs and other organisations that have been selected and granted to tackle the European social challenges promoted through the platform during the first call for solutions.

Agrigento: Make my City Better! by FARM CULTURAL PARK

Selected solutions:

- 1) PayOh! helps FARM CULTURAL PARK
- 2) Fellows Farmers

Angers: InnoWaste

Selected solutions:

1) CoCycler

Angers: Accessibility for everyone & everywhere

Selected solutions:

- Route4U Walk and roll, get there free!
- 2) Streetco

**Angers: Reconnect generations** 

Selected solutions:

- 1) Les Amis d'Hubert
- 2) CerQana, autonomy and inclusion\*
- 3) Medicine web-based platform

**Bologna: Social Farming in the Appennines** 

Selected solutions:

- 1) TERZACCOGLIENZA project
- 2) Seeds for social change
- 3) A nursery for social farmers









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# **Budapest: Collaborative Research**

### Selected solutions:

1) DIY Science Lab

2) Informed – Problems, Research, Solutions (I-PRS)

Castelo Branco: Services to elderly people located in low density territories

Selected solutions:

1) CerQana, autonomy and inclusion\*

2) Smart Help Assistant

Castelo Branco: Nutrition Programme

No solutions selected

Coventry: Food poverty - managing surplus food

Selected solutions:

1) FEDET: FEeDing Communities Empowering Technology

Leeuwarden: From Pubs to Hubs! Local pubs for rural economy

Selected solutions:

1) Pubs, key to a familiar neighbourhood

Leeuwarden: Sustainable care system for the elderly in small settlements

Selected solutions:

1) TANGO

2) Patyna Future Proof

Leeuwarden: Find & trigger hidden entrepreneurship

Selected solutions:

1) Alumni giving back

2) Libraries help visualizing hidden entrepreneurship

Leeuwarden: Integration and economic independence of immigrants

Selected solutions:

- 1) Future you!
- 2) Up









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Leeuwarden: **Braindrain in Friesland** 

Selected solutions:

1) Backstage.Network

London: Level the playing field for vision impaired students

Selected solutions:

1) Feelif - Feeling Life

**Manchester:** Breaking the cycle of homelessness

Selected solutions:

1) Change Please

2) SHADES TOUR Manchester\*

**Munich: Climate Protection Now!** 

Selected solutions:

1) GREENAPES in Munich now!

2) Solar power for people living in city apartments

**Naples: Connect Migrants to the Business Community** 

Selected solutions:

1) Connect Café Naples

Narbonne: Water consumption savings

Selected solutions:

1) global pipe inspection with an innovative probe

Narbonne: Interactive Application: Health/Territorial Well-Being

No Solutions Selected

Nicosia: Nicosia Old City Challenge

Selected solutions:

1) QuietCity

2) SYNDRAMO solution









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# Nicosia: Social Inclusion and Well-being for special communities

### Selected solutions:

- 1) CerQana, autonomy and inclusion\*
- 2) EMBRACE

Pampilhosa da Serra: Boosting rural areas and building thriving rural communities

Selected solutions:

1) Rural Vive

Piacenza: Mindbook

Selected solutions:

2) Mindobook solution by Kedroz sprl

3) MINDBOOK a Social PaaS for TICE by GeDInfo Soc. Coop.

**Toulon:** Entrepreneurship Boost for youngsters

Selected solutions:

1) The Online Incubator

Vienna: Make conscious consumption mainstream in Vienna

Selected solutions:

- 1) Mainstreaming sustainable feminine hygiene
- 2) The culinary solution to prevent food waste

Vienna: Fight marginalization in Vienna

Selected solutions:

- 1) SHADES TOUR\*
- 2) Diverse Civic Engagement Programm by Kuorum
- 3) WGE!-Gemeinsam Wohnen

All entrepreneurs will be directly contacted by #SoChange team by Friday 09th February 2018









<sup>\*</sup> Multi-awarded solutions are eligible to receive only one grant