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### **POLICY BRIEF 1**

The 1st Policy Brief of Natural Origins project addresses the critical challenges and opportunities presented by the current migration and refugee crisis. This brief highlights the need for comprehensive integration strategies, improved legal frameworks, and enhanced collaboration with EU guidelines to support migrants in their new homes effectively.



### **POLICY BRIEF 2**

The 2nd Policy Brief proposes targeted recommendations to promote entrepreneurship, including simplifying business registration processes, enhancing access to finance, providing business training and networking opportunities, and fostering inclusivity through cultural exchange programs. It highlights the entrepreneurial spirit of migrants and the structural barriers they face.



### **POLICY BRIEF RECOMMENDATIONS**

Natural Origins project made a great and significant progress with the contributions of all the project partners from Cyprus, Spain, Turkey, Ireland, Italy and Greece. We developed the first two policy briefs, which focused on the topics “Migrants and Migrant Entrepreneurship”.

The Policy Recommendations Paper will be the Guide useful for creating strategies for young people with a migrant background in the field of entrepreneurship skills and knowledge.

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## 2ND ONLINE MEETING

We held our 2nd online meeting on the 22nd of January, 2024 to discuss our ongoing project activities with the consortium. We made important decisions on the preparations of the Entrepreneurship Training Programme and the first two policy brief recommendations of our project. The project online meetings will continue in the upcoming months with a great effort and excitement.

## TRAINING ACTIVITY IN ITALY

We continue our logistic preparations for the training activity in Foligno, Italy to be held on 14-16 May, 2024. Our project partner, EGINA from Italy, will provide an intensive 3-day training in natural products, the ways they are used today offering multiple benefits, and their characteristics that render them effective means for cultural interaction among members of the community. This training will be hosted in the premises of EGINA in Italy and 2 trainers from each partner organization will travel in Italy for the training.

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## OUR NEXT MILESTONES

The Natural Origins project will continue to make a progress in the developments of the next policy briefs that focus on the following topic:

- Leveraging Technology and Innovation in Migrant Entrepreneurship
- Navigating Legal and Administrative Barriers for Migrant Entrepreneurs

Please stay tuned with our next policy briefs and project activities!