

# WHO CARES IN EUROPE?

Minutes of the Core Group Meeting of the COST Action

**CA18119 – Who Cares in Europe?**

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## 1. Introduction:

Presentation and welcome by the Action Chair and Vice Chair. Clarisse Berthezène and Laura Downs presented the agenda of the Core Group meeting. The main subjects of the agenda were the Grants applications, the WG applications, the Upcoming events and the Budget reallocation as well.

## 2. STSM, ITC, VNS, VM Grants:

After examination of the Grants Applications, the Core Group members decided to accept unanimously the VNS application of Elena Rizzi, the VM of Filip Majetic, Isidora Grubacki, Adriana Zaharijevic and Anca Dohotariu. They also accepted the ITC of Danijel Baturina, Isidora Grubacki and Karolina Lendak-Kabok. Concerning the STSM application of Noémia, all the Core Group members agreed that they need to check which is the relation of Noémia with Adriana's and Anca's WG (WG 1). Laura Downs will ask Branko and Danijel for more details about their applications. Anca Dohenaru and Adriana Zaharijevic presented their project for the VM Grant "The politicization of elder care and its gender and effects in Europe". Finally, the CG voted also unanimously for the STSM of Noémia Bessa Videla, Branko Boskovic, and Jovana Papovic. Noémia Bessa Videla will join WG1. Radka Sustrova suggested to extend the deadline of the Grant applications till the end of July. This topic voted unanimously.

## 3. WG applications:

Clarisse Berthezène, informed the Core Group that all the members of the action have received a link in order to apply for the WG membership. We've had 45 applications for the moment. Therefore, Ellianna Farazi will send a kind reminder so that every member could apply for the WG membership. A timeline till the end of May have been set for the period of applications.

## 4. Upcoming events and Meetings Organisation:

Isidora Grubacki announced the organisation of a new meeting in Jena within the frame of her project "Intellectual History and Public engagement". The Core Group voted unanimously for the organisation of the meeting in Jena. Laura Downs announced that there are two upcoming meetings in Venice: "Unpolitical Politics" on 9 and 10 May and also "Marginalised people and the mixed economy of Welfare" on 17 and 18 May. In addition, Clarisse Berthezène asked if someone would like to host the MC meeting of GP4. Isidora Grubacki said that she might be able to host the MC meeting in Ljubljana. She will send us more details as soon as possible. Finally, Unpolitical Politics will be holding a second editorial workshop in Florence on 7-9 July.

## 5. Budget Reallocation:

Laura Downs informed the Core Group about the proofreading of Ana Maria Spariosu. Ana Maria will work for the proofreading of several projects of the action. The Core Group voted unanimously the budget reallocation for the proofreading of Ana Maria Spariosu. Moreover, Laura will present by email the project of filming several interviews with members of the action during the two workshops in Venice. Filmmaker Stefano Barbieri will continue to work for the action till the end of GP3, filming workshops and our next annual meeting. These two budget re-allocations were voted unanimously by the Core Group.

## 6. Next steps calendar and votes:

Elena Rizzi asked everyone who is organising or will organise a workshop to send abstracts and presentations for the Website of Who cares in Europe.

Isidora Grubacki announced the interest of a researcher from Belgium in joining the action.

Laura Downs presented all the forthcoming publications.

All the following points were voted and accepted unanimously:

- Budget reallocation for the organization of the meeting in Jena, the proofreading of Ana Maria Spariosu and the filming service of Stefano Barbieri
- Budget reallocation for the VM, STSM, and ITC grants
- The deadline of the applications for the different grants will be extended till the end of July.
- The deadline for the WG membership will be extended till the end of May.
- Ellianna Farazi will send a kind reminder for the WG membership.

## 7. List of participants:

**Attendance:** list of the attendance (Country & Member: alphabetic order)

Participants:

(FR) BERTHEZENE CLARISSE

(PT) COVA ANNE

(RO) DOHOTARIU ANCA

(IT) DOWNS LAURA

(GR) FARAZI ELLIANNA

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(HU) GRUBACKI ISIDORA

(NL) H.D van LEEUWEN MARCO

(FI) MARKKOLA PIRJO

(IT) RIZZI ELENA MARIA RITA

(CZ) SUSTROVA RADKA