

Greece – Club for UNESCO of Piraeus and Islands

Institution	Club for UNESCO of Piraeus and Islands
Interviewed Person	Jana, 31 years old from Romania

I – Preparation

Jana is 31 years old. She came from Romania three years ago. Jana is a graduate of biology and chemistry. She used to work for almost a year in a factory of biopharmaceutical products. The business went bankrupted so, Jana moved to Greece.

II – Awareness

Jana was not aware of her personal capacities, even though she was highly educated. Her working experience was not sufficient. Although, she wanted to work on the field of biology.

II – Starting up

Jana had already supportive environment in Greece, so learning Greek was easy for her. Furthermore, she took courses in Greek under the auspices of a non-governmental organization.

II – Documentation and support

From the first moment Jana arrived in Greece she was highly supported by other Romanians that had already lived in the country. She was advised to translate her diplomas and get helped by professionals. So, she came to the Club for UNESCO and asked for the help of social workers. The former ones helped her to create a CV in Greek and get in touch with employers in the field of biochemistry.

II – Assessment

Jana did not face any problems with the assessment. She created a new CV and had no fears of presenting her capacities, even though she had little working experience in her country.

II – Impact

Jana was satisfied with the outcome of the counseling and validating. She had a new CV, she was aware of her skills and capacities and got in touch with employers. For quite some time Jana has been working in a local laboratory of biological cosmetic products.