

immigrants integration into agro-pastoralism

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Location

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Country

Italy

Short summarizing description

Efforts should be devoted to facilitating the integration and stabilization of rural immigrants in the EU towards more inclusive and sustainable rural development. These could include defining an integrated EU policy framework that enhances coherence between agriculture, migration and labour market domains. Tailored initiatives should be also conceived accordingly, including: a) the establi

Key Terms

agro-pastoralism, generational renewal

Context and background, Which problems/challenges does your measure try to solve/cope with?

The immigrant workforce, which fills the gap left by local population dynamics, has become a strategic asset in tackling human capital deficits and desertification of EU rural areas. In mountainous areas of southern EU, immigrants have critical roles in managing natural resources as well as in maintaining traditional practices and local identities. Pastoralism represents a relevant sector to analyse rural migratory dynamics, as the sector has already witnessed dynamics whereby a generational change was accompanied by a socio-cultural one

Which are the key objectives of your measure?

integration of immigrants towards generational renewal in agro-pastoralism

Who are the main target groups and beneficiaries of your measure?

agro-pastoral workers

Which actions have already been implemented and which results have been achieved so far?

somewhere pastoral schools opened to foreigners (ESP and FR)

Which were the main problems and challenges you were/are facing when implementing the project and how did/do you (try to) overcome them?

politically sensitive and logistically difficult

Link to website

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Regional scale

1 - local (one municipality)

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