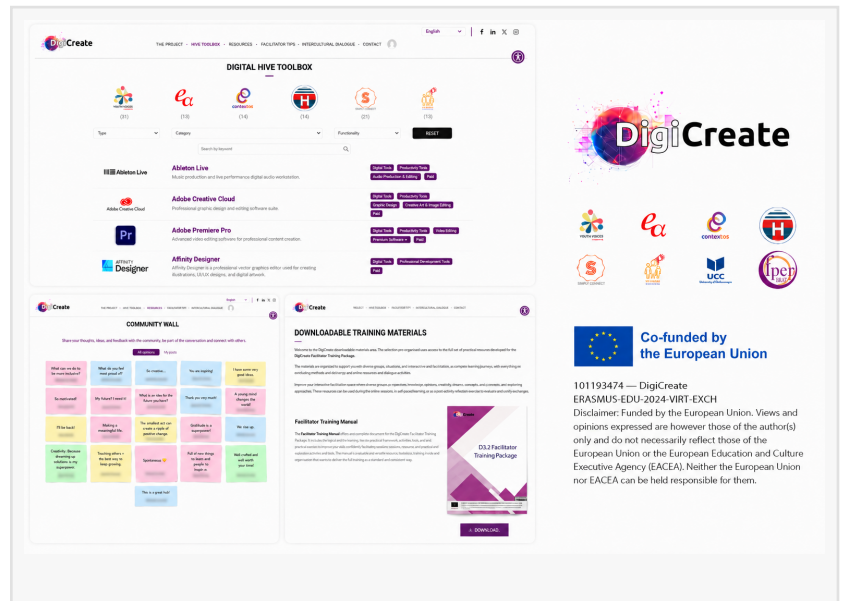


DigiCreate Empower Launches the Digital Hive Toolbox: Accelerating Digital Skills in the Cultural & Creative Industries

BERLIN, GERMANY, August 14, 2026 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The [DigiCreate Empower](https://digicreate-empower.eu/) project - <https://digicreate-empower.eu/> funded by the European Union's Erasmus+ programme (101193474 — DigiCreate — ERASMUS-EDU-2024-VIRT-EXCH), has officially announced the launch of the DigiCreate Digital Hive Toolbox - <https://digicreate-empower.eu/hive-toolbox/>.

This online resource platform was created to support young creatives, educators, and youth workers across Europe and the Western Balkans, and is designed to bridge digital skill gaps, encourage online collaboration, and support career development within the Cultural and Creative Industries (CCI).



Bridging the Digital Skills Gap in the Creative Sector

The future of the Cultural and Creative (CCI) Industries in Europe is driven by the passion and innovation of young people. To turn creative talent into professional careers, young creatives require strong digital competencies in content creation, online communication, project management, and digital marketing.

The DigiCreate Digital Hive Toolbox - <https://digicreate-empower.eu/hive-toolbox/> - directly addresses these challenges. Integrated into the broader DigiCreate Digital Platform - <https://digicreate-empower.eu/>, the toolbox provides accessible digital tools and learning materials upon registration. These tools and resources empower young people (aged 18–30) to take control of their learning journeys and build professional confidence in the digital environment.

Toolbox Access: Public Overview & Registered Platform Features

The Digital Hive Toolbox is structured to provide access for both public visitors and registered platform members:

Publicly Accessible Overview: Creative youth can visit the DigiCreate Hive Toolbox Overview Page - <https://digicreate-empower.eu/hive-toolbox/> - to explore the purpose, structure, and thematic categories of the collection without logging in. Visitors can learn how resources are organised to support creativity, communication, collaboration, learning, research, and professional development.

Registered Access: Visitors can register and create a DigiCreate account to access the complete Digital Hive Toolbox, including its curated Digital Tools and Educational Resources, user guides and supporting materials, as well as DigiCreate's interactive community features for events, discussion, peer exchange, networking and collaboration - <https://digicreate-empower.eu/register/>.

Smart Search and Discovery Features

To help users easily navigate the digital tool library, signed-in platform members can utilise targeted search and filtering options:

Filter by Type: Browse between Digital Tools and Educational Resources.

Filter by Category: Select tools categorized under Professional Development Tools, Productivity Tools, Knowledge Hub / Resource Platform, Collaboration Tools, Self-Assessment & Review, and Digital Textbooks / e-Learning Materials.

Filter by Functionality: Narrow down resources by specific tasks, including Graphic Design, Video Editing, Audio Production & Podcasts, Interactive Storytelling, Visual Collaboration Spaces, and Project Workspaces.

Search by Keyword & Partner: Enter search terms into the keyword search bar or click directly on consortium partner logos to discover tools contributed or reviewed by specific partner organizations across Europe.

Each recommended resource has its own Individual Tool Profile Page, providing standardised information on the tool's description, contributing partner, type, category, functionality, direct external link, pricing model, relevant CCI sectors, and typical users. These profiles help users quickly assess whether a resource fits their particular creative, educational, or professional needs.

Connect, Collaborate and Participate in the DigiCreate Community

Beyond the Digital Hive Toolbox, registered DigiCreate members can access a range of interactive community and networking features designed to encourage participation, peer learning, knowledge exchange, and cross-border collaboration. The Resources Overview is publicly accessible, while the interactive community features are available to users who create a free DigiCreate account and log in to the platform: <https://digicreate-empower.eu/resources/>.

Events Calendar: Members can explore upcoming and previous DigiCreate activities, workshops, virtual exchanges, and events through an interactive calendar.

Forum: The Forum gives members a space to exchange ideas, ask questions, share experiences, and discuss topics related to digital creativity and the Cultural and Creative Industries.

Community Wall: Members can post short notes, ideas, reflections, and feedback on an interactive community noticeboard.

Community Members: The searchable member directory helps users discover and connect with other DigiCreate participants across different countries.

Community Map: The interactive Community Map visualises the geographical distribution of DigiCreate members and helps users identify potential connections across Europe and the Western Balkans.

The DigiCreate Consortium:

The DigiCreate project is made possible by the collaboration of a diverse and experienced consortium of 8 partner organizations:

Youth Power Germany EV (YP-DE) (Germany) - <https://yp-de.org/>

Evolutionary Archetypes Consulting SL (EAC) (Spain) - <https://ea.consulting/>

Cooperativa Para O Desenvolvimento E Coesão Social, CRL (Contextos) (Portugal) - <https://contextos.org.pt/>

Univerzitet Union Nikola Tesla (UniTesla) (Serbia) - <https://unt.edu.rs/>

Udruzenje Okret (SPIN) (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - <https://spin-okret.org/>

Nevladina Organizacija GLAS (NVO GLAS) (Montenegro) - <https://nvoglas.me/>

Javna Ustanova Univerzitet Crne Gore Podgorica (UoM) (Montenegro) - <https://www.ucg.ac.me/>

Fakultet Za Poslovnu Ekonomiju I Pravo Bar (FPEP Bar) (Montenegro) - <http://www.FPEP.me>

This partnership brings together expertise in youth work, education, technology, cultural management, and project implementation, ensuring the project's success and long-term impact.

Explore the Digital Hive Toolbox

Young creatives, youth workers, and educators are invited to explore the platform and begin developing their digital skills:

Explore the Public Hive Toolbox Overview: <https://digicreate-empower.eu/hive-toolbox/>

Register for Full Platform Access: <https://digicreate-empower.eu/register/>

Explore the Resources Overview Page: <https://digicreate-empower.eu/resources/>

Learn More About DigiCreate: <https://digicreate-empower.eu/>

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