

## PRESS RELEASE

### DIGCIT Multiplier Event

#### Youth personal development in the field of digital citizenship education

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The “*DIGCIT Multiplier Event: Youth Personal Development in the Field of Digital Citizenship Education*” was successfully implemented on May 11<sup>th</sup> 2022. The non-profit organisation SEAL CYPRUS hosted the event at the Flamingo Hotel in Larnaca. In total, 20 people attended the event.

The event attendees were representatives of the NGO field, government officials, academics and youth workers. The event, which was attended by both public and private stakeholders, provided an opportunity for social exchanges on youth-related matters and networking.

The multiplier event, which was organised within the context of the Digital Citizenship project, aimed to promote the Multilingual MOOC for youth personal development in the field of digital citizenship education comprising educational material and an open badges system for the recognition of achievements that are accessible to youth, youth workers and other stakeholders in the field of youth.

The event's main objective was to demonstrate the new multilingual eLearning Platform that was developed to support youth personal development in the digital era and promote the benefits of digital citizenship education for young people, especially for those with fewer opportunities.

During the event, detailed presentations were given about the project's aim and objectives, the eLearning platform and the digital courses included in the platform. Following the presentations, interactive sessions and group activities were provided to all attendees. During these activities, the attendees had the opportunity to discuss their opinion on digital citizenship education, critically evaluate the DIGCIT results and provide their feedback.

At the end of the event sessions, a networking meal was offered to all the attendees giving everyone the opportunity for further communication and exchange of ideas.

The project's partnership consists of four NGOs established in Romania, Greece, Germany, and Cyprus who specialise in developing educational material in non-formal education.

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