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Thus, through this two-year project, which started in January, the partners objectives are the promotion of social inclusion and equal accessibility to culture for people with dementia, the adaptation of education and training of professionals (VET) in the cultural field to the current needs of accessibility and inclusion, the development of an innovative educational methodology and a set of tools for education (VET).

As a result, the project will create a methodological guide, a learning training guide for the staff of cultural venues, a learning training guide for the professional carers to support PwD in cultural activities and an educational serious game. Also, the project will include a training of professionals and conclusions report. All these tools will be freely available for use by professionals in the cultural field on the project website.

These new tools will enable professionals in the cultural sector to create dementia-friendly cultural communities and to collaborate with professional caregivers of PwD to support them in cultural activities.

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