

Welcome to the R&I PEERS Newsletter!

R&I PEERS is a Horizon 2020 project, funded by the European Commission, with the mission of providing “pilot experiences for improving gender equality in research organisations.”

The R&I PEERS project aims to create and validate pilot experiences that disrupt gender-biased approaches and unconscious rules which limit participation by and careers for women in Research and Innovation. The R&I PEERS project promotes a concept of gender equality that can best be expressed as “women and men enjoy the same status and have equal opportunity to realize their full human potential to contribute to political, economic, social and cultural development, and to benefit fully from the results.”

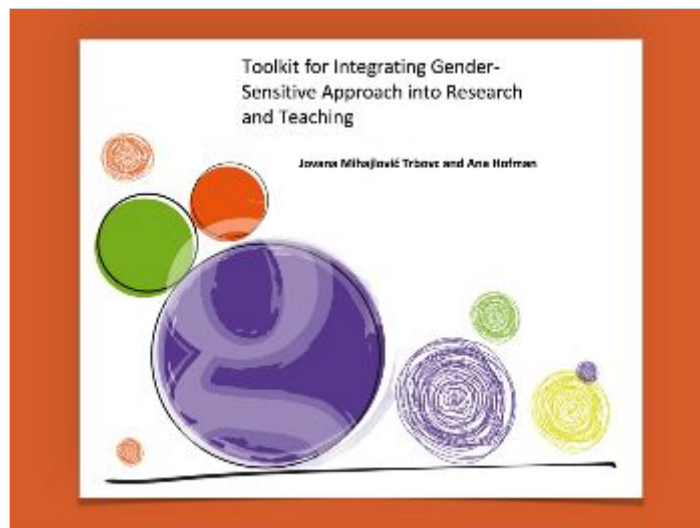
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[Wrap-up: R-I PEERS First Multisectoral Conference](#)

The First Multisectoral Conference of the [R&I PEERS](#) project took place in Athens on 3 April 2019, and was attended by approximately sixty participants, including [Ms Maria Theleriti](#), Member of Greek Parliament, who also represented [Mr Nikos Voutsis](#), President of the Greek Parliament. The Conference was opened by [Ms Marina Chrysoveloni](#), Greek Deputy Minister of the Interior in charge of Gender Equality and representative of Mr Alexis Charitsis, Greek [Minister of the Interior](#), followed by introductory remarks from Ms Maria Rosaria Pelizzari of [UNISA](#), R&I PEERS Project Coordinator.

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[Integrating the Gender Dimension in Research](#)

At the second progress meeting for the R&I PEERS project, held in Athens on 4 April 2019, consortium members organised a workshop on “how to integrate the gender dimension into research content.” The aim of this training was to provide consortium partners with knowledge on how to integrate the gender perspective in research in a way that does not deal with the topic of “gender” as a specific research objective.



[Gender Equality Plan Case Study: University of Salerno](#)

The Gender Equality Plan (GEP) of the University of Salerno—elaborated in the framework of R&I PEERS project, and approved by the Academic Senate and Board of Directors—is a comprehensive document offering a clear and focused strategy on gender equality for a university made up of more than 40.000 people. It is organised around six target areas whose achievement will be monitored through selected indicators...

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