DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT

StereoSciFi is a European project, that started on 1st December, 2017, and ends on 30th November, 2019. The current times of socio-political conflicts rising between bordering countries, migrants and refugees coming to Europe, and economic crisis in actual Europe, leads to prejudice and discrimination based on gender, socio-economic classes, racial and ethnic stereotypes, rise and worsen the general social life with violence and intolerance, promoting general xenophobia, racism, gender based violence, bulling, discrimination between social classes and sexual orientations. That said, the aim of the project is not to prevent the use of stereotypes, but to prevent the discrimination and segregation, hostile behaviors in result, and make people aware that we should not treat bad others, because different does not mean worse

This project will work with youngsters, in schools, where the environment includes all the different people present in the society, and also it is an environment where they are to learn, and where they spend long time every day. The students targeted are between 7th and 12th grades, and this project aims to join science with films or books, like Hard Science fiction books and films, which have roots in anthropology, sociology, politics, and psychology, to attract most youngsters. It is a different and dynamic way to understand the world because narratives have the ability to create new meanings, ideas and convoy messages.

The results are three, and the one you are reading is one of the pack:

• StereoSciFi Catalogue, presenting 12 books and 12 films of science fiction which can be used to work social stereotypes
• StereoSciFi Activities Suitcase, containing minimum 3 activities per book / film, from a selection of 4 books and 4 films included in the StereoSciFi Catalogue. The activities are to be performed by the students, and are of different types and request different actions from students
• StereoSciFi Teachers Guide, including guidance and tips in using the StereoSciFi Catalogue and Activities Suitcase, and suggestions to work with students the stereotypes and discrimination

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