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*Strengthening Research & Innovation Capacity  
Through Transnational Collaboration*



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This newsletter presents **the latest developments and results of the STAR-MSCA project, bringing together research institutions and partners across Europe** to enhance research management, science communication, and **collaborative scientific capacities in sustainability and innovation**.

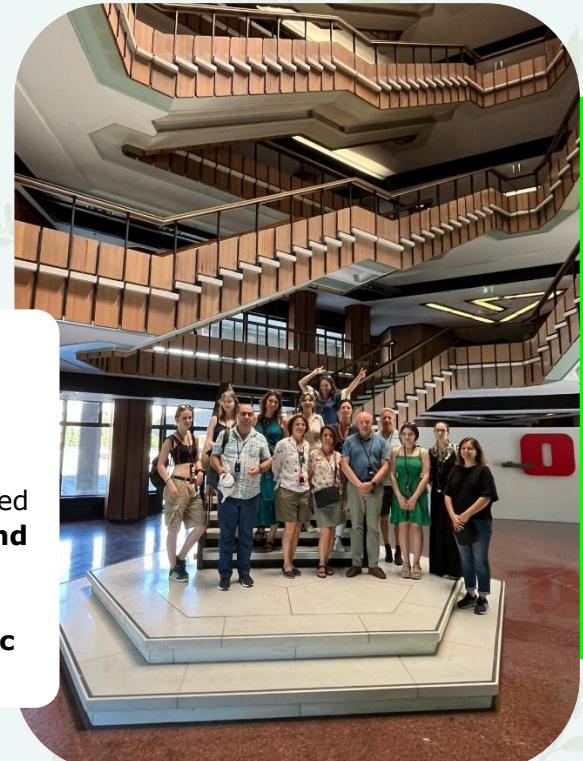
## Research Mobilities

Between **July and December 2025**, the **STAR-MSCA project successfully implemented a series of international research mobilities** that strengthened collaboration among partner institutions.

Secondments hosted by academic and non-academic partners enabled participants to **engage in empirical research, data collection, and applied analysis related to sustainability and ESG practices**.

These mobilities played a key role in fostering interdisciplinary cooperation, enhancing research skills, and bridging academic knowledge with real-world organizational contexts.

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## Research & Training Activities

During the reporting period, **research and training activities advanced significantly through hands-on collaboration and knowledge exchange**. Participants contributed to surveys, empirical studies, and analytical frameworks addressing sustainability reporting and responsible business practices.

The mobilities also supported **informal training, peer learning, and methodological development**, reinforcing research capacity and supporting early-stage researchers in gaining international experience.

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## Dissemination and Scientific Events

**Dissemination activities were a central focus of the project in the second half of 2025.** Workshops, seminars, and conference sessions provided platforms for sharing preliminary research results, exchanging perspectives, and engaging with the wider academic and professional community. **These events increased the visibility of the project, encouraged interdisciplinary dialogue, and supported the transfer of knowledge** beyond the project consortium.

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## Project Coordination and Future Outlook

Alongside research and dissemination efforts, **project coordination activities ensured effective implementation and alignment with planned objectives**. Regular exchanges among partners and formal project meetings supported progress monitoring and strategic planning. **The achievements of this period established a solid foundation for future mobilities, publications, and dissemination actions planned for the next project phase.**



## July 2025

In July 2025, **researchers from partner institutions carried out secondments in Italy, Austria, and Romania focusing on sustainability research, ESG practices, and collaboration between academia and industry.** These activities laid **the foundation for interdisciplinary research and international knowledge exchange.**



## August 2025

During August 2025, **the research mobilities initiated in July continued.** Participants advanced their **empirical research, data analysis, and collaborative work**, contributing to the development of scientific outputs and preparing future dissemination and publication activities.



## September 2025

In September 2025, **additional secondments were implemented as part of the project.** The mobilities focused on surveys, empirical research, and the analysis of sustainability reporting practices, **supporting progress within the project's work packages and strengthening international research cooperation.**



## October 2025

October 2025 was **marked by intensive dissemination activities.** The first joint interdisciplinary workshop was held in Bucharest, addressing sustainability reporting and standards. In parallel, **the project was showcased through a dedicated scientific session at an international conference, increasing its visibility within the academic community.**



## November 2025

In November 2025, **dissemination and project management activities were in focus.** A dissemination seminar presented results from the research mobilities, while **the project's General Assembly brought partners together to review progress, coordinate future mobilities, and plan upcoming research and dissemination actions.**



## December 2025

In December 2025, the project team concentrated on consolidating results and planning the next phase of activities. **Preparations for publications, future events, and upcoming mobilities continued, ensuring a strong start for the following project year.**

*The project will continue to build on these results through future mobilities, research outputs, and dissemination activities.*