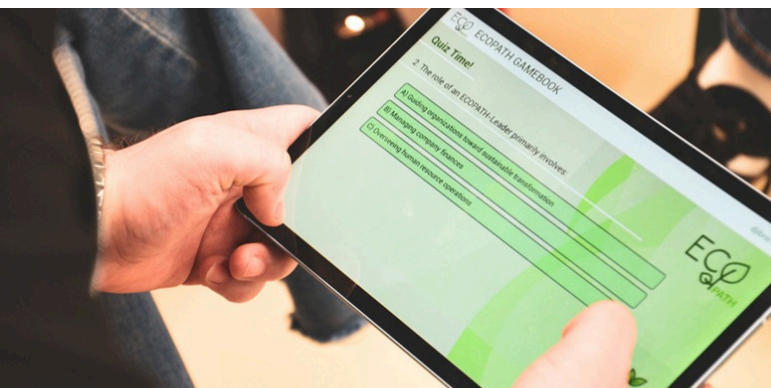




Welcome to the second newsletter of the ECOPATH project. ECOPATH or Education Pathways for Circular Economy and ESG (Environment, Social, and Governance) Upskilling. Is an Erasmus+ Project highlighting the potential of Circular Economy in supporting companies to implement Environment, Social and Governance (ESG) principles. It equips staff members of SMEs with the knowledge and skills to improve their companies' environmental impact through circular approaches, and prepares educators and trainers to transfer relevant green skills and knowledge on Circular Economy and ESG to adult learners

ECOPATH Hackaton in Croatia

From 9th to 12th February 2026, project partners met in Croatia for a Hackathon to test the first version of the Gamebook on circular economy and ESG. The activity offered a valuable opportunity to explore ESG needs and better understand how the tool can support SMEs in their sustainability journey.



Partners meeting in Croatia

ECOPATH partners used this opportunity to meet and organize the work for the following months.

Building on the work done in the Gamebook and considering the feedback received during the validation and the Hackaton, the Gamebook is being finalised to ensure that is a practical and accessible resource for SMEs and facilitators.

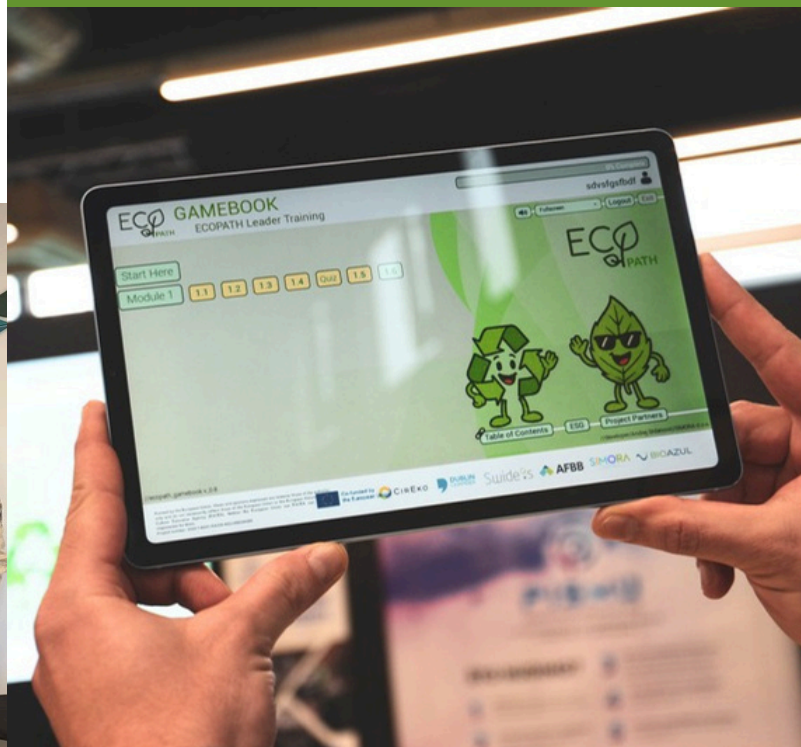
A key focus of the next phase is the creation of a facilitation guide, which will equip future facilitators with clear guidance on how to use the Gamebook effectively when delivering the training.



Gamification in ECOPATH

On our next EPALÉ article we will dive deeper on the use of gamification in the ECOPATH Gamebook.

We will describe how it was designed for facilitating learning through play to support the green transition of SMEs, including real case studies and scenarios that make the training more engaging and practical.



The ECOPATH Project

The ECOPATH project seeks to build pathways for European enterprises to become more sustainable. It equips current and future SME professionals with green skills and knowledge on circular economy and ESG

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