



WOMEN ENTREPRENEURS & FAMILY BUSINESS

BOSS is an initiative of eight European organizations that will research the situation of women-led businesses, and interview women who run their own businesses, to learn about their needs, and then design relevant resources and launch a network of like-minded entrepreneurs.

We specifically wish to help strengthen women in family businesses who have to face difficulties, such as: taking over the business from another family member; or starting-up a new venture; or studying; or having recently migrated; or having to care for others.

INTERVIEWS WITH WOMEN AND EXPERTS IN 5 COUNTRIES

BOSS partners have interviewed 61 women and 34 experts over the last month, to collect their needs and input to create the skills and competencies framework for the BOSS project e-course, Toolkit and Network of “Leader Women in Family Businesses”. Discover the national research findings and Key Competencies Framework on our website.



Meet OUR PARTNERS

These activities are a collaborative effort by eight partners from six European countries: Sweden, Italy, Spain, Slovenia, Turkey and Ukraine. We are a diverse group of people, and each newsletter we will present to you one local team, who you can contact if you want to collaborate.

Folkuniversitetet in Uppsala

“At Folkuniversitetet in Uppsala we are a lively team, who are passionate about international projects, because they offer us the opportunity to share knowledge, learn from experiences in other countries, and realise innovative actions. As lead partner, we are proud to guide the BOSS project consortium in matters of administrative and financial management, as well as implementation of actions in a timely manner and to high quality standards.



In Uppsala and Sweden in general, the BOSS project will offer us a great opportunity to support women in family business from many backgrounds, but in particular migrant women, who often struggle to create a local network, something the BOSS project will help to initiate.”

Vinnytsia Institute of Trade and Economics of State University of Trade and Economics

“Participation in the BOSS project is important for the VITE SUTE team from the University in Vinnytsia, because we can gain valuable European experience to distribute further in Ukraine. Within the framework of the project, we are mastering modern methods of training women entrepreneurs so that in difficult times for Ukraine, they can join important projects, develop their family business, supporting themselves and others psychologically and economically. Establishing partnerships and expanding international cooperation is one of the priorities of education in Ukraine, so we are happy to participate actively in this process.”



“We are a dream team with experience conducting training and workshops but constantly developing. Now we are actively working on holding scientific, practical, and social events that build leadership, communication, and entrepreneurial skills in women who want to do business.”