

European Social Fund Projects

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Edinburgh Voluntary Organisation Council helps to support, develop and promote the interests and work of voluntary and community organisations in Edinburgh. It is aimed at developing a comprehensive range of measures that will result in a sustainable and measurable increase in capacity building within the voluntary and community sector. The project aims to increase the internal and organisational capacity of intermediary voluntary sector organisations, to deliver more effective support to the target groups.

The project works with the voluntary sector to offer a range of support services, training, and advice to groups which work predominantly with socially excluded groups, individuals and communities.

The project delivers a series of training courses and programmes to agencies as a means of reducing unemployment and tackling social exclusion by increasing the capacity and training opportunities to marginalised groups and communities.