### INTERNATIONAL WEBINAR

# Social Work Practice Education in Europe Lessons learned from the COVID-19 Pandemic and Future Perspectives.

As the final event of the EASSW co-funded Project "Social Work Practice Education in Times of Pandemics, and Beyond. Continuities, Changes, Innovations in Europe (SWOOPED)", the Webinar contributes to exploring the changes in European social work within and beyond the Covid-19 pandemic, by focusing on "practice education" in a comparative perspective.

Free access, but <u>registration is required here</u> within December 1st.

The link to join the webinar via zoom.

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# Program of the webinar

Due to its high connection to the "real" life of services, "practice education" is the sphere of social work education, which has suffered stronger from the switch from face-to-face to remote activities. To tackle the difficulties, different paths have been followed, and original initiatives have been designed and carried out. They have renewed the relationships among the key actors of social work education, developed new competencies and instruments, as well as massively increased the use of ICT. Beyond the pandemic, are these innovations reshaping some relevant aspects of social work education?

# 14:00-15:30 | Session 1

The Social Work Practice Education Programs in Europe in Times of Pandemic, and Beyond. A European Survey, in a Global Perspective

In the first Session, moderated by **Alžbeta Brozmanova Gregorova** (Matej Bej University), the results of a European survey about the reactions of the Schools of Social Work to the restrictive measures and the perceived impacts of the new activities are presented by **Florin Lazar** (University of Bucharest) and discussed in a global perspective among the participants and with

- **Christos Panagiotopoulos** President, European Association of the Schools of Social Work
- **Darla Coffey** President, Council of Social Work Education USA
- **Annamaria Campanini** President, International Association of the Schools of Social Work

## 15:45-17:00 | Session 2

In Dialogue with Inspiring Innovations of Social Work Practice Education in Exceptional Times: What can we learn from them?

In the second session, we dialogue around some inspiring experiences which addressed some of the most demanding challenges of social work "practice education" in times of pandemic: How to cope with the crisis quickly, realistically, and inclusively? How to find a good place for a good student internship? How to design high-quality "alternatives" to conventional practice education activities (good educational outcomes, students' engagement, and well-being, etc.)?



### Call for inspiring experiences

Do you think the experience of social work practice education carried out by your School in times of pandemic can be inspiring for others? Would you like to tell it in the webinar? Please complete the registration form **by November 19th**, and you will be contacted.

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