

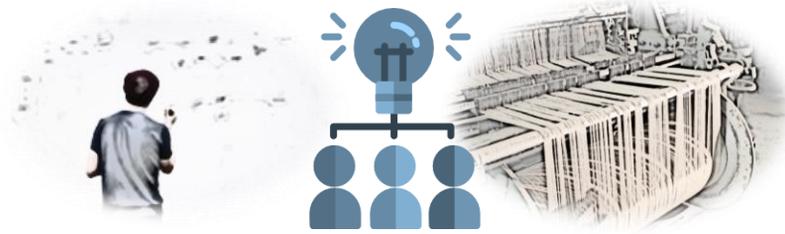


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## BRIEF INTRODUCTION TO DESTEX

A consortium of eight partners from five European countries, combining leading expertise in the textile field, industrial and creative design, innovative teaching and learning methods, have joined in the project titled “**Industrial and creative design in advanced textile Manufacturing (DESTEX)**”.

**DESTEX** is a Strategic Partnership for higher education, co-funded by the European Commission, under the Erasmus+ programme.

The project aim is bringing together the main stakeholders within the textile and design sector to **foster the uptake of design methodologies to unlock innovation potential in textile manufacturing sector** via project based learning and cooperation, contributing to increase the efficiency and competitiveness of EU textile small and medium enterprises.

## DESTEX CONSORTIUM



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# DESTEX INTELLECTUAL OUTPUTS

**DESTEX** will produce concrete and transferable results in the form of intellectual outputs:

1. Development of a **virtual training** program in using creative and industrial design-oriented applied in advanced textiles' manufacturing
2. Industrial design and design thinking **book of lectures** for the intensive summer training
3. Development of an online **platform for virtual hackathons**
4. Project handbook of **good practices** & open challenges: training tools and methodologies to foster creativity and innovation within the advanced textile's sector"

Additionally, DESTEX will organize an intensive summer training course in Milan on July 2021 to test and evaluate the different products generated during the project.

## LATEST NEWS

### Kick-off meeting

**DESTEX** partnership had its first, successful meeting, at the project coordinator (University of Borås) facilities in Borås (SE) on October 3<sup>rd</sup> 2019.

The partnership agreed on the roles of each partner and on the general terms as well as the specific tasks.

### Ongoing activities

**DESTEX** partners are now involved in a **need analysis** to collect crucial information to identify and analyze the needs and potential uptake of industrial and creative design into advanced textiles' manufacturing.

The resulting report of this research offering a European overview will serve as basis for designing and developing the project outputs including the virtual training program and the book of lectures. The contacts made during the need analysis report will serve to engage stakeholders in the later stages of the project.



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