



# DPI Europe Strategic Proposal

## Strengthening Skills Through Joint Partnerships

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### **Observations**

- ✓ Contradictions between rights and lived experience
- ✓ Low employment outcomes despite quotas and funding
- ✓ Administrative penalties discouraging participation
- ✓ Cultural bias and outdated representations

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### **Solutions**

- Lived expertise improves policy and program efficiency
- Building trust through meaningful involvement
- Competence development as a condition for citizenship
- Improved quality of care and social support

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## **Actions**

- Co-designed curricula between DPOs and training institutions
- Peer-led modules and capacity-building programs
- Efficient use of public funding with measurable impact
- Creation of new professional roles (peer experts)

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## Vision

Valorise people expertise and right



Identify skills and pedagogic tools to train trainers of « peer counsellors » and « experts in use »

Learn and teach each together



Write and analyses lived experiences, demonstrate, lectures, show skills, alternate ways, remarkable talents and manner to live