

## **Project Fact Sheet**

Name of the project and acronym



Coordinator (company or organization):

YouPers AG

Duration of the project and starting date:

24 Months, 06 / 2014

Partners:

Name	Type (Chose one among these types: End-users, Large Enterprise, SME, R&D)	Country	Web address
YouPers AG	SME	Switzerland	www.youpers.ch
CREAGY AG	SME	Switzerland	www.creagy.ch
Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts – Engineering & Architecture CEESAR - iHomeLab	R&D	Switzerland	www.iHomeLab.ch
terzStiftung	End-users	Switzerland	www.terzstiftung.ch
XIM Ltd.	SME	England	www.xim.co.uk
ANA ASLAN International Foundation	End-users (as non-founded- partner)	Romania	www.brainaging.ro

Objective of the project (7 lines-no more no less):

The program REVOLUTION - REaltime VOLunteering solUTION – aims to give pensioners voluntary occupation.

REVOLUTION will break new ground to match supply and demand: It will be an online solution, which instantly indicates what jobs are needed to be done. The participants can submit their needs for services and labour provider their capacity mobile via smartphone – but the software also detects patterns of behaviour and helps to organize voluntary work. Many more details will optimize usability and user experience to facilitate dissemination of this application. This will help keep people staying active more easily and this is crucial for wellbeing and health. A rolling stone gathers no moss.

Project Overview (Including technology in use, end-users involvement – 12 lines sharp):



The project develops a framework for "real-time volunteering" and three example services: 1. Mobility Service (arranging local rides to a specified place – select the possible drivers in "realtime"), 2. Shopping Service (shopping of requested items – search for volunteers who are shopping right now or soon in the area of the requestor), 3. Help at home (short-term assistance for people at home – quickly and easily find a volunteer in case of unforeseen events). The REVOLUTION framework contains innovative functions like human activity prediction, smart realtime selection, real-time user feedback and speech recognition. In contrast to commercial assistance providers, our service will be launched as a free service for end-users.

We will set up local partnerships with communities, social care organizations and insurance companies as multipliers to promote the service for a low basic fee. Having both web-based and mobile front-ends, the REVOLUTION platform will be accessible for end-user with all current devices, from everywhere, to bring together local needs and voluntary assistance in all situations of daily life.

Expected results and impact (7 lines sharp):

**REVOLUTION** will deliver a comprehensive working prototype for mobile applications

which will be validated with end-users in Switzerland and England. The systems main results will be: (1) a unified and intuitive user interface that appeals to people who are not familiar with technology. (2) An easy map-based service to find and place help-requests. (3) A user management with the possibility to rate each other and to select volunteers and help requests. (4) Many features, that make using REVOLUTION smarter, such as a direct communication channel and a smart selection of volunteers.

Total budget of the project:

€ 1.976.736

Public Contribution (National + EC):

€ 1.019.402

Images or graphic (Logo, images or photos showing the product or service):



Images or photographs (also graphics where needed) are mandatory. Send ftp link or esp file.

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