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1.1 Background

The aim of the **Ageing***Well* Network **is to build and animate a European network focused on improving the quality of life of Elderly People by promoting the market uptake of ICT solutions for Ageing.**

To achieve its aim, the following five **main objectives** of the AgeingWell project are:

- **Develop** guidelines for deployment and sharing of best practice between key competence centres;

- **Build** an ICT for Ageing Knowledge Centre with the aim to share the results with the Ageing Well Community;

- **Develop** an ICT for Ageing Society Strategic Agenda, with the aim of providing a study on options for future structure and implementation of EU innovation funding;

- **Promote** the European innovation reinforcement between innovative ICT industries & Ageing (in particular SMEs) and Venture Capital firms, Business Angels and other;

- **Raise awareness** within the European community of ICT & Ageing stakeholders through web-based communication, and the organization of 3 international events and 11 national events.

1.2 Summary

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2   Founding Members

The network was initiated with a group of 16 experienced organisations in ICT for Ageing well, covering the industry, user organizations, public authorities, investors, housing and insurance companies and ICT solutions providers which share a vision of "Market uptake of ICT for Ageing Well". In Table 1 each founding member is shortly described.

Table 1 – Founding Members of the Ageing*Well* Network

Name	Country	Type of Stakeholder	Core Competences and Field of Business
INOVA+	Portugal	ICT Solution Provider	INOVA+ is a consulting company specialist in **implementing innovation strategies in SMEs** (innovation processes, organisational development, technology and innovation audits), dissemination activities, technology watch, **project management** (planning, organising, directing, controlling) and project financing.
INVENT	Italy	Investor	Invent is a seed – capital company, based in Rome, specialised in innovation consulting, business administration, development and financing of high-tech projects and start-ups creation. Invent is part of Innova Group, leader in Europe for technology Transfer and innovative technologies valorisation services.
TECNOPOLO	Italy	Industry	Tecnopolo S.p.A was created in 1995 in order to foster integration between manufacturing and new orientations in industry and services, providing space and facilities for engineering excellence, scientific and technical development, and the quest for innovative products and processes. Tecnopolo's activities cover important fields such as ICT and Biosciences.
Associación Parkinson Madrid	Spain	User Organisation	The APM is a Non-Profit Organization that has been working in the care of people with Parkinson and their families since 1994.
ANA ASLAN International Foundation	Romania	User Organisation	The AAIF is a non-profit, high profile medical care and postgraduate education organization. The activities performed in the field of ageing and brain-aging include clinical assistance, fundamental and applicative research, long-term care of frail and cognitively impaired elderly, academic and post-academic education.
ARTICA	Spain	ICT Solution Provider	Artica Telemedicina was created in 2003 with the objective of bringing to the market technological solutions for the health sector. ARTICA is a company dedicated to telemedicine and health informatics consultancy and key in hand services and software projects development.

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Tecpitch Engenharia e Inovação	Portugal	ICT Solution Provider	TecPitch, is a high-tech Start-up dedicated to exploit RTD results in new products or services.
Health Cluster Portugal	Portugal	Public Authority	The Health Cluster Portugal (HCP) is a national cluster that assumes as its mission to turn Portugal into a competitive player in the research, design, development, manufacturing and commercialization of health-related products and services, in selected market and technological niches, targeting the most demanding and relevant international markets.
COI - Citizens on the Internet	Poland	Public Authority	COI is an expert nongovernmental organization established in 1998. COI's mission is the support of Information Society development at regional level – task realized through a range of regional e-development programming support projects and accompanying research projects.
Optimus Comunicações	Portugal	Industry	Optimus offers a broad range of mobile communications services to residential, SME's and corporate customers in Portugal, including traditional voice, dat mobile TV and a large range of mobile solutions and roaming services.
HOPE	Belgium	Housing	The European Hospital and Healthcare Federation gathers national associations of public and private hospitals and owners of hospitals in 26 Member States of the European Union. It represents around 80% of hospital care in the EU.
E-Unlimited	Begium	Investor	Europe Unlimited provides critical business resources to dynamic and innovative technology entrepreneurs, allowing them to successfully build and maintain healthy business.
CITARD Services	Cyprus	ICT Solution Provider	Its main focus is the implementation of advanced technologies in the areas eHealth and elderly care provision. The company has long term expertise in the analysis of end users requirements and the design and development of user friendly interfaces and solutions in the eHealth and elderly care sector.
SIA DMG	Latvia	ICT Solution Provider	DGM provides services to support SMEs in ICT and other sectors, public sector organizations – provides consultations and support for project development and management, organizes partner search and match – making event, provides training seminars and stakeholders discussions.
Euroconsultants	Greece	Investor	Euroconsultants provides consulting services to governments, ministries, organization, agencies and

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			companies for innovative, specialized and multidisciplinary projects domestically and internationally.
ARC Fund	Bulgaria	Investor	A NGO active in the field of research and innovation policy, as well as in the promotion of knowledge-based economy. Its activities include public policy support and advocacy, capacity building, knowledge and innovation brokerage.

3   Associate Members

In 2013, the network efforts and activities resulted in welcoming 46 new associate members, which joined the 11 that joined the network in 2012 (Figure 1). The high number of new members reflects the interest and need of ICT for Ageing stakeholders for a platform that can help them reaching other relevant stakeholders and access information in this field.
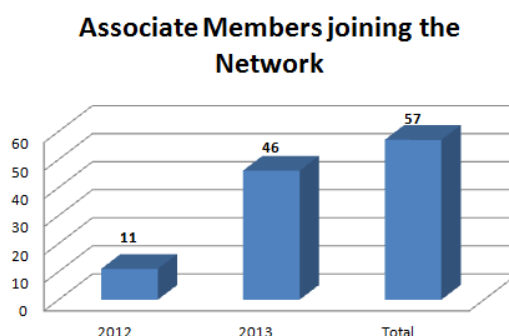

Figure 1 – Associate Members joining the Network by year

In Table 2, the 57 associate members who have joined the **Ageing**Well Network by November 2013 are briefly presented in alphabetical order.

Table 2 – Associate Members of the Ageing*Well* Network

Name	Country	Type of Stakeholder	Core Competences and Field of Business
AGE Platform Europe	Belgium	User Organisation	AGE Platform Europe (a.i.s.b.l.) is a European network of around 167 organisations of and for people aged 50+ which aims to voice and promote the interests of the 150 million senior citizens in the European Union and to raise awareness on the issues that concern them most. These include issues of anti-discrimination, employment of older workers and active ageing, social protection, pension reforms, social inclusion, health, elder abuse, intergenerational solidarity, research, accessibility of public transport and of the build environment, and new technologies (ICT).
AIJU - Technological Institute	Spain	R&D Organisation	AIJU is a private research center aiming to boost research, development and technological innovation to give solutions to societal and industrial challenges, thus enabling the achievement of a constant increase of competitiveness and improvement of product quality. AIJU has been working in national and international projects from the therapeutic field through the use of ICT which are aimed at elderly people, as well as for persons with different types of disabilities.

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AIT – Austrian Institute of Technology	Austria	R&D Organisation	AIT provides research and technological development to realize basic innovations for the next generation of infrastructure related technologies in the fields of Health & Environment, Energy, Mobility and Safety & Security. These technological research areas are supplemented by the competence in the area of Innovation Systems. As a national and international network node at the interface of science and industry AIT enables innovation through its scientific-technological expertise, market experience, tight customer relationships and high quality research infrastructure.
Alzheimer Hellas	Greece	User Organisation	Alzheimer Hellas is the Greek Association of Alzheimer Disease and Relative Disorders, a non for profit organization founded in 1995. It aims to offer advices concerning the care of the patients suffering from Alzheimer Disease, information and services for the people affected and their families. It operates 4 Day Care Centers in Thessaloniki and has over 2.500 members.
Association Antiparkinson Romania	Romania	User Organisation	The Association Antiparkinson Romania is the only non-governmental, non-profit, apolitical organisation accredited in Romania to defend the interests of 72000 patients with Parkinson's disease. Founded in 2006, it has more than 550 members, 350 of whom are affected by this disease /condition, 20 volunteers and one employee.
Association "Dragomir House" - Casa Bunicii Maria	Romania	User Organisation	Casa Bunicii Maria is a retirement home that provides accommodation and mass care, for older people who want to spend their free time in a quiet, clean environment and be treated with respect by staff. People with special problems receive additional attention additional based on their specific needs.
BAIT – Bulgarian Association of Information Technologies	Bulgaria	ICT Solutions Provider	The Bulgarian Association of Information Technologies (BAIT) is the biggest, most representative and influential branch organization in the sphere of information and communication technologies in Bulgaria. The 100 members of BAIT make for over 69% from the ICT market in Bulgaria. The association includes companies in the trend of hardware, software, system integration, networks, etc.
Baronesse Center	Romania	User Organisation	Baronesse Center offers its clients services such as health and medical care, accommodation, eating healthy, diverse activities, physician, carefree for aging.

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BeyondDevices	Portugal	R&D Organisation	BeyonDevices focuses on the development of innovative medical devices and medical technology while improving patient compliance through smart packaging. It brings to the market innovative solutions for drug delivery.
Brežice General Hospital	Slovenia	User Organisation	This hospital provides health care services to more than 70000 inhabitants, namely medical treatment at the secondary level. The non-acute medical treatment available in this hospital comprises three areas: medical care, palliative treatment and hospital care protection.
CEAPAT - Centro Estatal de Autonomía Personal y Ayudas Técnicas	Spain	Public Authority	The mission of the National Reference Centre for Personal Autonomy and Technical Aids (CEAPAT) is to contribute to making the rights of persons with disabilities and older persons effective, through integral accessibility, assistive products and technologies and design for all.
Center for Innovation and Technology Transfer - CITT Global	Bulgaria	R&D Organisation	CITT Global aims to facilitate the transfer of innovative knowledge and technologies on international level. Its priority is to cooperate with European state organizations, scientific link-teams and private firms working in the same sphere.
Center for Research and Technology Hellas / Information Technologies Institute (CERTH / ITI)	Greece	R&D Organisation	One of the largest European independent research institute in the HCI domain, CERTH / ITI works on the development and application of user centred design applications, mobility for all services, innovative user interfaces and natural interaction environments.
Centre for Healthcare Technology - University of Antwerp	Belgium	R&D Organisation	The Centre for Healthcare Technology (Centrum voor ZorgTechnologie - CZT) is an interfaculty center of expertise aimed at industrial valorization of innovative assistive technologies. Its research focuses on integrated applications and services that encourage and support independent living of people with disabilities and frail elderly as independent living improves quality of life and reduces social costs.
Christian Association of Sf. Nicolae & Sf. Alexandru	Romania	User Organisation	The nursing homes of the Christian Association of St. Nicholas & St. Alexander is a modern residential centre dedicated to caring for the elderly and lonely, sick or people in recovery period after surgery.
CIPER - Centro Interdisciplinar de Performance Humana da Universidade Técnica de Lisboa	Portugal	R&D Organisation	The CIPER studies human movement in a bio-ecological and multidisciplinary perspective, asserting it in scientific plans, advanced training and knowledge transfer for sports, health and education tissues. Its activity focuses on the interaction between the skills, behaviours and

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			levels of motor lifelong performance, to identify and understand the critical factors and optimal regulatory mechanisms in different contexts, as well as health promotion and wellness applying multidimensional models in a common conceptual framework of biomechanics, exercise physiology and psychology of physical activity.
Consorzio Sociale CO.IN	Italy	Other Organisation	CO.IN was created with the primary objective of promoting the development of social enterprises working with people with disabilities. The activities are targeted primarily to large organizations, public and private companies, with 23 cooperatives that are a permanent part of the consortium as partners, the coin is at the top of the offer in accordance with the principles of organic and flexibility demanded by global service.
Dr. Masoud Stefania	Romania	User Organisation	Medical Office
e-trikala	Greece	ICT Solutions Provider	e-Trikala aims to the development of ICT-based applications, oriented to the improvement of all citizens' everyday life, in a medium sized city, simplifying public transactions, reducing telecommunication costs and delivering new services related to the local way of life. Moreover, these ICT applications offer new ways and methods that enable citizens participate on policy-making, while in parallel establish local Government and Public Authorities as guarantors of local society's every day proper, digital and distanced operation.
Evolvo	Italy	R&D Organisation	Evolvo operates in ICT, focusing its activities in the creation of tools and technology for public, private and home-care. It has the ability to integrate the potential offered by new technologies helping building new models of clinic services/health. In recent years the company has acquired significant experience in the development of communication drivers with electromedical devices using wireless technologies.
Faculty of Computer Science of Complutense University of Madrid	Spain	R&D Organisation	The Complutense University of Madrid was a pioneer in Spain in the area of Information Technology to introduce as a topic of research and teaching for more than half a century.

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Faculty of Health, Plymouth University	United Kingdom	R&D Organisation	The Faculty of Health and Human Science of the University of Playmouth is involved in a range of nationally and internationally significant research across the health and social care spectrum from clinically based studies to theoretical work. The Centre is both multi-disciplinary and multi-professional in its approach incorporating academics from across health and social science disciplines.
FEP – Spanish Parkinson Federation	Spain	User Organisation	Established in November 1996, FEP has over 45 Parkinson's Disease Associations and more than 12000 people with PD. Its main objective is to improve the quality of life of those affected by Parkinson and their families. To fulfill it, FEP is involved in different projects covering all the aspects of the problem and is strongly committed to research in Parkinson's disease.
Foundation Din Inima pentru Oameni	Romania	User Organisation	A centre for the cure and care of the elderly. It is a house of rest and treatment, which provides care for both healthy elderly, and those with post stroke consequences, rheumatic disorders, post-traumatic and post-operative states, other conditions that generate and maintain motor deficit.
Foundation Caja Duero	Spain	Other Organisation	This foundation promotes, among others, the following activities: realization and promotion of cultural and artistic activities; research and development in the technology innovation sector; and promotion of initiatives aimed at encourage the social economy, education and enrichment of people.
Foundation D. Pedro IV	Portugal	User Organisation	The Foundation D. Pedro IV is a Private Institution for Social Solidarity operating in 3 main areas: Childhood - holds 6 Houses with about 750 children covering various social responses; Social Housing - has about 25 homes for social renting; and Nursing home - manages one of the largest facilities in the Lisbon region with diverse social responses.
Foundation Mondo Digitale (FMD)	Italy	User Organisation	FMD works for an inclusive knowledge society by blending innovation, education, inclusion and fundamental values. Its mission is to promote social learning, social innovation and e-inclusion, with special attention to categories at risk of social exclusion (older people, immigrants, refugees, etc.).

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General Directorate of Social Assistance and Child Protection - Sector 6	Romania	Public Authority	It's a public institution that ensures the implementation of social programs and measures in the District 6. The main purpose of the social aid is the protection of people that for economic, psychical or social reasons are unable to fulfill their social needs and to develop their own capacities and abilities for a real social integration.
General Directorate of Social Assistance of the Bucharest Municipality	Romania	Public Authority	This public institution enforces social policies and social protection measures and assistance for the disabled , elderly, single , family, child , and to any person in need through specialized services for disadvantaged categories according to strategy Development and Welfare Modernization in Bucharest for 2005-2008.
Geronto Life Med	Romania	User Organisation	Geronto Life Med Clinic is a private clinic of geriatric gerontology in Romania which opened in August 2005 working to be the pioneer of care and support services to the elderly in the private system.
Gnomon Informatics	Greece	ICT Solutions Provider	Gnomon provides innovative and reliable IT and Internet solutions and services. It has created a set of e-health web services, by implementing primary care portals that enable quick and accurate access to quality assured public health information.
i4G - Incubator for Growth	Greece	Other Organisation	i4G is the company managing the first Greek private incubator for Companies of the New Economy. i4G supports the incubates by providing specialized consulting services and information on diverse topics.
IncreaseTime	Portugal	ICT Solutions Provider	IncreaseTime is a technology-based company, founded in April 2011, and its activity is centred on the development of innovative solutions based on ICT and wireless sensors networks. It is a provider of social and health care solutions intended for the domestic market or care homes. As such, it develops solutions to promote the quality of life of the general population, with special focus on patients with chronic diseases and on the independent, active and quality aging.
INOV INESC Inovação - Institute for New Technologies	Portugal	R&D Organisation	INOV positions itself in the market as the biggest national technological infrastructure in the field of the Information Technology, Electronics and Communications, as a successor of great assets arisen from extensive knowledge and experience implicitly provided by the maternal environment – INESC. INOV officially started its activities on January 1, 2001, as a private nonprofit association.
Institute of Neurobiology -	Bulgaria	R&D Organisation	The main activity of INB is conducting fundamental and applied research in the field of

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Bulgarian Academy of Science (INB)			neuroscience through interdisciplinary neuropsychological, psycho-physiological and pharmacological approaches.
ISOIN – Ingenieria y Soluciones Informaticas	Spain	ICT Solutions Provider	ISOIN is a company of the New Technologies Sector offering comprehensive solutions for e-inclusion, wellbeing, demographic ageing and social inclusion. Its main competence areas include ambient intelligence, semantic voice recognition, multimodal interfaces, among others.
Latvian Information Technology and Telecommunications Association (LIKTA)	Latvia	R&D Organisation	LIKTA is one of the leading e-skills and e-inclusion stakeholders and the coordinator of the initiative Latvia@World that aims at diminishing the digital gap in Latvia and raising the e-skills level of SME and citizens, among other objectives. One of the main target-groups of this initiative are the elderly people who are trained in ICT to be able to use e-health and social care services.
Latvian Samaritan Association (LSA)	Latvia	User Organisation	LSA is one of the largest non-governmental organizations in Latvia. The association has 17 structural units, 9 regional branches and it employs more than 450 employees who provide educational, social and medical care services. LSA has its own training centre for social workers, care workers and medical assistants. The centre provides training to approximately 20 000 trainees a year. LSA has been also registered as ambulatory medical care institution and it provides medical services: the consultations of medical specialists who are the members of the medical commission, as well as medical care at home.
LifeSTech - Life Supporting Technologies	Spain	R&D Organisation	LifeSTech is a research group of the Universidad Politécnica de Madrid. Its main research areas are the design, development and evaluation of ICT-based services in the field of prevention, prediction and promotion of healthy lifestyles.
Loran	Italy	ICT Solutions Provider	Loran works in the health and scientific sectors, aiming at becoming an important partner in designing and developing software solutions for the management of medical centers, starting from the admission of patients and until their discharge, maintaining an electronic health record easy to use.
MaxCom S.A.	Poland	ICT Solutions Provider	MaxCom is a developing company involved in production and continuous improvement of telecommunication devices - mainly GSM mobile phones. In 2008, it introduced on the Polish market an user friendly, ergonomic GSM mobile phone with large keys, with a SOS function, which ensures feeling of security in every situation.

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Mediavoice	Italy	ICT Solutions Provider	Mediavoice design and develop innovative voice technology solutions to enable all people to access information and services in the most natural way. In particular Mediavoice brings to market new solutions that can be summarized in a personal assistant, intelligent, multi-channel (PC, mobile phone) to serve as a simplified interface, intelligent and talking with the digital world.
Melathron Evgirias Leukosias	Cyprus	User Organisation	Melathron Evgirias Leukosias is the oldest private Care Service Organisation for frail, physically and cognitively impaired senior in Cyprus. This organisation provides a wide range of care support services such as monitor medications, offer meals and physical therapy, as well as it supports also the families of the elderly.
Metatheke Software	Portugal	ICT Solution Provider	Metatheke is an IT company specialized in the development of digital content management solutions for the web. The main activities are the development of custom software solutions and the maintenance service of those solutions.
MFKK Invention and Research Center Services Co.	Hungary	R&D Organisation	MFKK is a private owned technical services engineering company focusing on Research & Development and Innovation management. Its core business is to assist SMEs and association from different industrial sectors through applied research. Its mission is to bridge the gap between theoretical research and industrial applications thus offering integrated and effective solutions to our clients utilizing the state-of-the-art technology.
OnCaring	Portugal	ICT Solutions Provider	onCaring is a spin-off of Critical Health inside the Critical Group, dedicated to design and development of monitoring systems and information devoted to the care of the elderly. Its offer addresses senior people, whether they are in care facilities or in their homes, and formal and informal caregivers. onCaring products have proactive features such as automatic detection and prevention of falls, regular monitoring of the activity, control the location of the person and caregiver's response and escalation.
OSOZ - Nationwide Health Care System	Poland	User Organisation	Nationwide Health Care System OSOZ is a unique eHealth platform and a provider of advances eHealth, ICT and mHealth solutions in Poland.
PragmaSystems	Italy	ICT Solutions Provider	PragmaSystems develops and deploys customized and cost-effective data management platforms and systems. In the ageing field it has developed a datapen system allowing to "capture", collect and transform handwritten information in an electronic format.

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Romanian Association for Young Geriatricians (RAYG)	Romania	User Organisation	Rayg is the Young Doctors Association of geriatric physicians that support the professional interests of residents and young specialists in Geriatrics and Gerontology in Romania. The Association supports in particular the recognition of the importance and complexity of geriatrics as a medical specialty and develop nationwide network of Geriatrics.
Romanian Association of Medical Rehabilitation Sf Luca	Romania	User Organisation	"St. Luca" is a medical unit which provides hospital services in the areas of recovery services, chronic, palliative and good medical investigation, treatment, housing, hygiene, nutrition and the prevention of infections.
Santer Reply	Italy	R&D Organisation	Part of the Reply group, this company focused on healthcare and public administration sectors, operating as a system integrator that provides ICT services and solutions, such as SOA architectures, integration platforms, telemonitoring, etc. Since 2009, it has a competence center on Internet of Things.
SEERC - South-East European Research Center	Greece	R&D Organisation	SEERC's mission is to support the stable and peaceful development of South-East Europe by conducting pure and applied research in and for the region. To accomplish this, SEERC facilitates the collaboration among research teams of the University of Sheffield and CITY College and by developing multi-disciplinary networks of researchers from across South-East Europe.
TICBioMed	Spain	Cluster	TICBioMed is a cooperative cluster of companies, universities, Healthcare providers and public institutions that work together to foster innovation in Healthcare (eHealth) and Biology.
University of Geneva, Institute of Services Science, Quality of Life Group (QoL)	Switzerland	ICT Solution Provider	The key aim of QoL research area is to establish a quality research in mobile computing and communications systems deployed in the healthcare domain (i.e., mHealth) and delivering clinically validated services to patients, their professional and voluntary caregivers "anywhere---anytime---anyhow". The QoL team currently contributes to research on mHealth applied in wellbeing, active and healthy ageing and ambient assisted living solutions.
VoxNet	Italy	Investor	Vox Net is an Italian company that develops, promotes and commercializes ICT products and telematics services with particular emphasis on the Internet field. Vox Net web services facilitate contents providers and professionals to create and deliver affordable, interactive full range of e-services over TCP/IP protocol.

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VSWG - Federation of Saxon Housing Cooperatives	Germany	Housing / Insurance	VSWG is the biggest German federation involving 229 housing cooperatives, 3 companies and 25 guest members. Housing cooperatives manage approximately 286 000 housing units and represent around 13% of the total housing stock in Saxony. Services provided by VSWG include legal, economic, energetic and social consultancy.
White-Yellow Cross Foundation Romania	Romania	User Organisation	The independent foundation the White Yellow Cross offers services in the field of non-hospital care. The main objective of the Foundation is moving forward, activate and optimize the healthcare system in Romania.

4 Supporters

There are two ways for becoming a Supporter of the **Ageing**_Well_ Network: through the signature of a Protocol for Collaboration or by registering to the network web portal. Next, supporters are presented according to their entrance modality.

4.1 Protocols of Collaboration

In 2013, the network efforts and activities resulted in establishing 7 protocols of collaboration with EU initiatives in ICT and Ageing, which joined the 4 signed in 2012 (Figure 2).
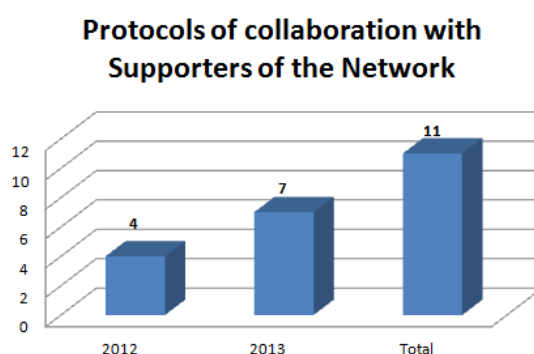

Figure 2 – Protocols of collaboration with Supporters of the Network by year

The overall 11 EU initiatives in ICT and Ageing which have become Supporters of the **Ageing**_Well_ Network, and with whom there will be an exchange of relevant information and knowledge, are briefly presented on Table 3.

Table 3 – Supporters of the Ageing_Well_ Network

Name of the Project	Funding Programme / Institution	Main objective
Care Assistants Search Agency - C.A.S.A. Project	DG Home Affairs	To improve the quality of care of people in need and help immigrants, in particular women, find better jobs and facilitate their social and economic integration into European Society.
Co-Living | Virtual Collaborative Social Living Community for Elderly	Ambient Assisted Living	To develop an ICT-based Virtual Collaborative Social Living Community for Elderly (Co-Living) people, aiming to stimulate and prolong their independent and active living in an outward environment through advancement in elderly people social interaction.
GiraffPlus	FP7 - ICT for Health, Ageing Well, Inclusion and Governance	To develop and evaluate a complete system able to collect elderly people's daily behavior and physiological measures from distributed sensors, to perform context recognition and long-term trend analysis, to organize the gathered information so as to provide customizable visualization and monitoring services for caregivers.

Name of the Project	Funding Programme / Institution	Main objective
HealthC – Improving Crisis Communication Skills in Health Emergency Management	Lifelong Learning Programme – Leonardo da Vinci	To support health authorities' staff in developing the required competences for managing communication in emergency situations caused by a health crisis in a scenario of transnational emergencies.
InfoWeek Newspaper	*Not applicable*	To inform the Bulgarian business/ICT community about the implementation of Information and Communication Technologies in business.
LiveWell – Promoting Healthy Living and Well-being for Parkinson Patients through Social Network and ICT Training	Lifelong Learning Programme – Grundtvig	To develop an innovative Web-based Training and Social Networking System which targets: **Parkinson patients**, to self-manage their condition, reduce the burden on their caregivers and promoting their well-being and inclusion; **Caregivers** with access to information, training and greater support community; and **Health and Medical Professionals** enabling them to remotely and continuously monitor the patient's participation in the activities helping to improve their effective rehabilitation.
Polish Healthcare Journal	*Not applicable*	To promote eHealth and ICT solutions across the EU and building better healthcare IT tools for patients and societies.
PRK_Treatment – Exercise System for Parkinson continuous treatment and rehabilitation	Eurostars	To create a Software Exercise System for Parkinson professionals and patients to carry on therapy and rehabilitation processes.
RISTOMED – New e-Services for a Dietary Approach to the Elderly	FP7 - CAPACITIES Research for SMEs Project	To provide an innovative ICT system able to assess personalised diet for Elderly People which integrates also nutraceutical foods in order to prevent and contrast the inflammation, oxidative stress and gut microbiota alteration.
SILVER: Stimulating ICT Learning for Active Eu Elders	LifeLong Learning Programme	To create a sustainable digital literacy lifelong learning programme for the adult population and to solve this new form of illiteracy to contrast the risk of a social and communicative caesura between the young and the elderly.
The Knowledge Volunteers (TKV)	LifeLong Learning Programme - Grundtvig	To promote the acquisition of digital competences among elders at risk of exclusion and intergenerational relations that also benefits the education of young people.

4.2 Registered Users on the Web Portal

In 2013, by the end of November 2013, the web portal of **Ageing***Well* Network counted with 165 registered users (Figure 3) who, by registering to this tool, agreed in becoming supporter of the network.

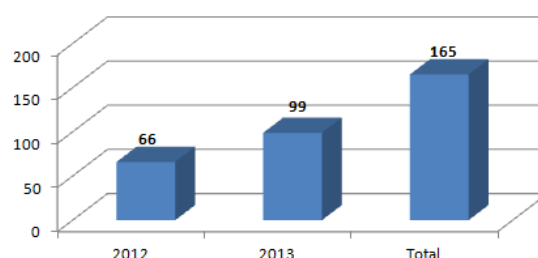## Registered Users on the AgeingWell Network Web Portal

Figure 3 – Registered users on the Web Portal of the Network by year

The registered users, representatives of members' organisations or not, have access to all the information made available by the network and are listed on Table 4.

Table 4 – Registered Users of the Ageing*Well* web portal

Username	Country	Observations
abarroca	Portugal	
Adk	Belgium	
agehealthy	United Kingdom	
Alejandro Sánchez-Rico	Spain	Founding Member
AlexPeine	Netherlands	
AmQuirke	Luxembourg	
ana.picva	Portugal	
AnaOliveira	Portugal	
andrea.orlandini	Italy	Supporter
Andris Melnudris	Latvia	Founding Member
Angela Ciancia	Italy	Founding Member
Ann.karlsson	Sweden	
Anna Siemek-Filuś	Poland	Founding Member
Annika Midsweden	Netherlands	
Antonio Reis	Portugal	
Antonio Zangrilli	Italy	Founding Member
AntonioC	Portugal	
aolesch	Germany	Associate Member
Arkadiusz Złotnicki	Poland	
arossimori	Italy	
BAIT	Bulgaria	Associate Member
Bogert	Netherlands	
bruno	N/A	
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5   Conclusion

The **Ageing***Well* Network is currently composed by 16 Founding Members, 57 Associate Members and 176 Supporters, 11 that have signed a Protocol of Collaboration and 165 that have registered to the web portal (Figure 4).
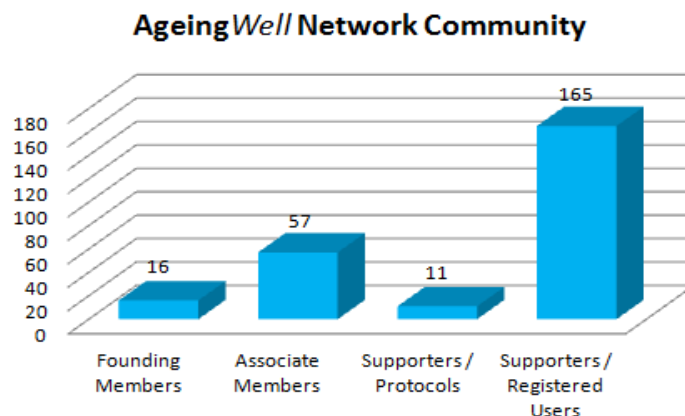

Figure 4 – Ageing*Well* **Network Community**

Regarding geographical dispersion the Community of the **Ageing***Well* Network represents 35 countries (Figure 5). Most members and supporters are located in the countries of the Founding Members, being Portugal, Spain and Italy the most represented, with 39, 29 and 25 members/supporters correspondently.
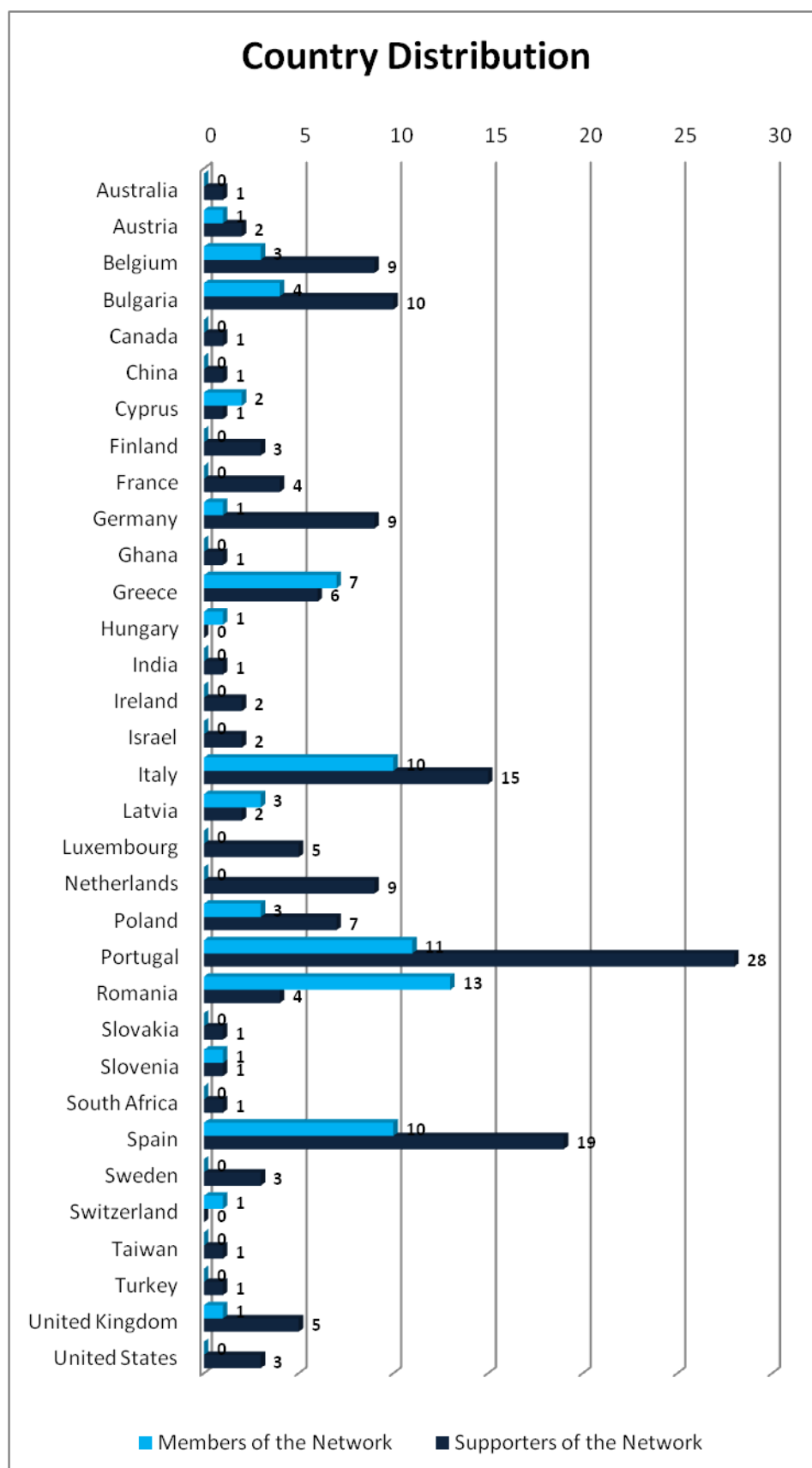
Country Distribution

Figure 5 – Country Distribution

Initiatives for enlarging the network will continue to be promoted and carried out by the **Ageing**_Well_ Members during 2014, such as the promotion and participation at national and international events, press releases and other communication actions.