PROJECT ACRONYM AND TITLE: ASIT - De-bordering activities and citizenship from below of asylum seekers in Italy. Policies, practices, people

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ABSTRACT:
The project aims at deepening the understanding of the “battleground” frame of the asylum system in Italy. It intends to highlight the persisting conflict between local policies of exclusion, de-bordering initiatives by civil societies and practices of “citizenship from below” by asylum seekers and refugees. Virtuous local experiences in which public authorities and civil society cooperate together, and asylum seekers and refugees have been able to exercise practices of active citizenship, will be identified. The study will detect the conditions, investments, networks of actors, specific methods and tools, which have achieved positive results in terms of language learning, social participation and employment.

The proposal is based on selected case studies and in-depth interviews. Each unit (Milan, Genoa, Trento, Venice) will develop twelve case studies of local reception experiences of asylum seekers.

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