

Data Ethics and Accessibility - ensuring a human-centered approach

6-7 November 2025, Rīga

Join us for the **third Transnational Workshop of the DO Impact Capacity building programme for Social Enabling Organisations**: a two-day event exploring the topics of data ethics and accessibility for social economy support organisations!

During the **first day** we will focus on the **data ethics basics for social economy support organisations**. Participants will explore practical examples from the field, presented through direct contributions from practitioners who have implemented them.

On the **second day**, the program will delve into the **human centered approach**, examining possible data-sharing configurations, their purposes, and associated challenges.

The event will also feature **two practical workshops**: one on the basics of data ethics, especially in the age of AI for project management and on a human centred approach and practical implementation of it.

Agenda

Location: TBD (Rīga city centre)

Day 1 - 6/11/2025 (12-6.00 pm)

Timing	Name of the Session
12:00 – 13:00	Registration and welcome light snacks
13:00 – 13:45	<p>Welcome to DO Impact third Transnational Workshop Social Entrepreneurship Association of Latvia</p> <p>Introduction to the DO Impact project: DO Impact Consortium</p> <p>Introduction with the participants, setting the expectations</p>
13:45 – 15:00	<p>Session 1: Data ethics basics for social economy support organisations Data ethics 1.0</p> <p>Introduction to the fundamentals of data ethics and its relevance to social economy support organisations, with a focus on AI.</p>
15:00 – 15:30	Coffee break
15:30 – 17:00	<p>Session 2: Connecting Data Ethics to Your Organisation: Hands-on workshop exploring real-life case studies to apply ethical data concepts.</p>
17:00 – 17:45	Managed networking and group work: structured interaction to foster collaboration and peer learning
17:45 – 18:00	Wrap up & reflections



Day 2 - 7/11/2025 (9:00 – 13:00)

Timing	Name of the Session
9:00 - 9:30	Welcome coffee & Networking
9:30 - 10:15	<i>Human-centered approach & data ethics</i> Exploring how a human-centred mindset can guide ethical data management.
10:15 – 11:00	<i>"Designing Ethical Data Processes Through a Human-Centred Lens"</i> Practical workshop, each participant working with their organisation or the case studies provided
11-11.15	Coffee Break
11:15 - 12:30	<i>Artificial intelligence & ethical data use</i> Insights into how AI can aid data collection, analysis, and reporting—while staying ethical
12:30 – 12:45	<i>Use case: AI and data ethics</i> <i>TBC: study visit</i> Case studies of data ethics implementation: best practices and lessons learned related to the use of data
12.45-13.00	Final Wrap-Up, Feedback & Next Steps

Participants

The Capacity Building is open specifically to **Social Economy Enabling Organisations**, meaning entities that support and promote the development and functioning of the Proximity and Social Economy ecosystem by managing a network of social economy organisations (such as cooperatives, mutual benefit societies, associations, foundations, and social enterprises), creating networking opportunities, providing direct support to them, etc. These organisations have an important role in driving the digital transformation/transition of SMEs/entities working in the social economy sector.



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