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Executive summary

The **EU-Africa PerMed** project objective is to integrate African countries into ICPeMed (International Consortium of Personalised Medicine), as a means to contribute to a successful implementation of Personalised Medicine in the global context. Communication and Dissemination of the project is an important part of the process of fulfilling this objective.

C&D activities are coordinated and carried out mainly under *WP6: Communication and Dissemination*, which is co-lead by partners ISCIII (P6) and ECSA-HC (P10), with INNOVATEC (P1) supporting those activities and being responsible for the project website. The rest of the EU-Africa PerMed consortium also supports C&D by sharing information about the project and other Personalised Medicine initiatives through their own communication channels and networks, and also by presenting the project in relevant events.

This report covers all the activities related to Communication and Dissemination (C&D) undertaken by the project from **1 August 2022 (Month 19) to 31 January 2024 (Month 34)**. Different types of activities were undertaken during this period of 16 months: **a total of 84 C&D activities** were carried out, including bilateral meetings with stakeholders; creation of flyers, newsletters, project videos and a policy brief; presentation in external events; publication on partner channels, among others. The number of C&D activities has increased in comparison to the 55 C&D activities reported in the first 18 months of the project (D6.2. *First report Dissemination and Communication*).

Apart from these 84 activities, there is a constant update on the project social media accounts (Twitter and LinkedIn) as well as the website. **Twitter and LinkedIn accounts** are operative and working regularly, managed by ISCIII. In July 2022, our Twitter account had 131 followers; by 31st January 2024, it had 317 followers, so there was an increase of 141%. In July 2022, our LinkedIn account had 45 followers; by 31st January 2024, it had 636 followers, so there was an increase of 1313%.

During this period, **three project newsletters** have been prepared and disseminated (November 2022, May 2023 and November 2023). The newsletters provide information about the project activities carried out and announces upcoming events, and also links to ICPeMed related activities. In May 2023, the project has changed to a new format for the newsletter, using an email newsletter, sent to the project C&D list. All newsletters available as PDFs on the website.

The project **C&D list** is continuously updated with new people who have attended project events and have accepted to receive project information or with new newsletter subscribers. The list had a total of 520 entries (Dec2022) and 954 in December 2024, which is a relevant increase around 55%.

Two flyers were prepared, printed and distributed in relevant events such as the 2nd Stakeholder Workshop, the Conference on Personalised Medicine of the Spanish Presidency or the ICPeMed Workshop in Sienna. They are also available in the project website. **Two videos** were launched during this period.

Collaborations with six initiatives such as EP PerMed, PErMediNA, and DSI-Africa were established. Project partners participated in 14 external events, among them the ICPeMed Workshop in Pamplona, the AU-EU Innovation Agenda Stakeholder Event or the Science Summit of the 78th UNGA.

The following table contains some Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) in terms of Communication and Dissemination, and the metrics for M12, M24 and M36:



KPIs Communication channels	M12	M24	M36
• N° of visits to the website	13,442	24,502	24,820
• N° of visitors to the website	5,143	10,613	10,419
• N° of followers in Twitter		131 (M18)	317
• N° of followers in LinkedIn		45 (M18)	636
• Applications to summer school	1 st Summer School Dec 22: 56 2 nd Summer School (Sept 23): 156		
• N° of people subscribed for the newsletters		468 (M20)	954
• Number of mentions/citations of EU-Africa PerMed in ICPeMed website	2 news in 2021 6 news in 2022 4 news in 2023		

Table 1. KPI used to monitor C&D activities, metrics for M12, M24 and M36.

Introduction

According to the EU-AU Description of Action, the specific objectives of the WP6 “Communication and Dissemination” are:

- To raise awareness of the project and outcomes among all relevant stakeholders (e.g. via a newsletter, press releases, twitter, exchange with other initiatives by presenting the project, etc.).
- To ensure timely engagement and continuous interactions with relevant stakeholders.
- To carry out dissemination actions to ensure that relevant stakeholders receive and understand the main findings and results of the project.

Accordingly, this report includes all communication and dissemination activities conducted between 1st August 2022 and 31st January 2024 not only by WP6 leaders but also for all project partners during this period.

This report is structured in 7 Sections: Introduction; Communication and Dissemination channels and tools (website, social media, newsletters, flyers, videos, C&D list and C&D monitoring file); Communication and Dissemination in EU-Africa PerMed events; Collaboration with related initiatives; Participation of project partners in external events and meetings; Other Communication and Dissemination activities; and EU-Africa PerMed in external communication and dissemination tools. Also, there is an Anex included at the end of the document, with the screenshot of the activities detailed in the C&D monitoring file.

1. Communication and dissemination channels and tools

1.1 Website

The EU-Africa PerMed project developed a website <https://www.euafrica-permed.eu/>, that has been active and public since 17th April 2021. Regular updates have taken place, including announcements of relevant events and training activities.



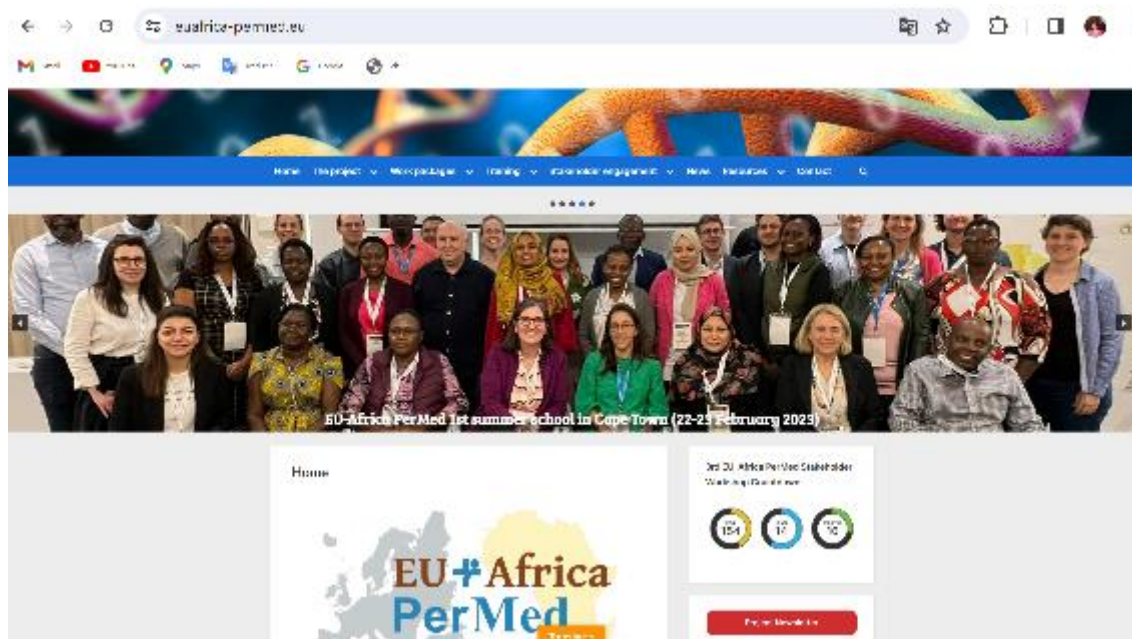


Figure 1. Snapshot of the project website homepage (Jan2024).

The structure of the website has been slightly modified, separating the activities into two different subpages (Training and Stakeholder engagement) and activities have been re-named as Work packages.

THE PROJECT	What is Personalised Medicine?
	Project Background
	Objectives and workplan
	Consortium
	Advisory Board
WORK PACKAGES	Mapping
	Cross border collaboration
	Science to policy
	Capacity building
	Dissemination
TRAINING	Next events (upcoming webinars)
	Past Events (information about all past webinars)
STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT	Next events (upcoming workshops)
	Past events (information about 1 st and 2 nd stakeholder workshop, regional workshop in Kenya and other events)
NEWS	Regular news about project activities
RESOURCES	Project deliverables
	Project information
	Related projects
	External documents
CONTACT	Contact details for the project

Table 2. EU-Africa PerMed website main structure (January 2024).

Direct links to the Project newsletters, the videos and information about what is Personalised Medicine are available on the home page and in all the rest of subpages as you navigate.



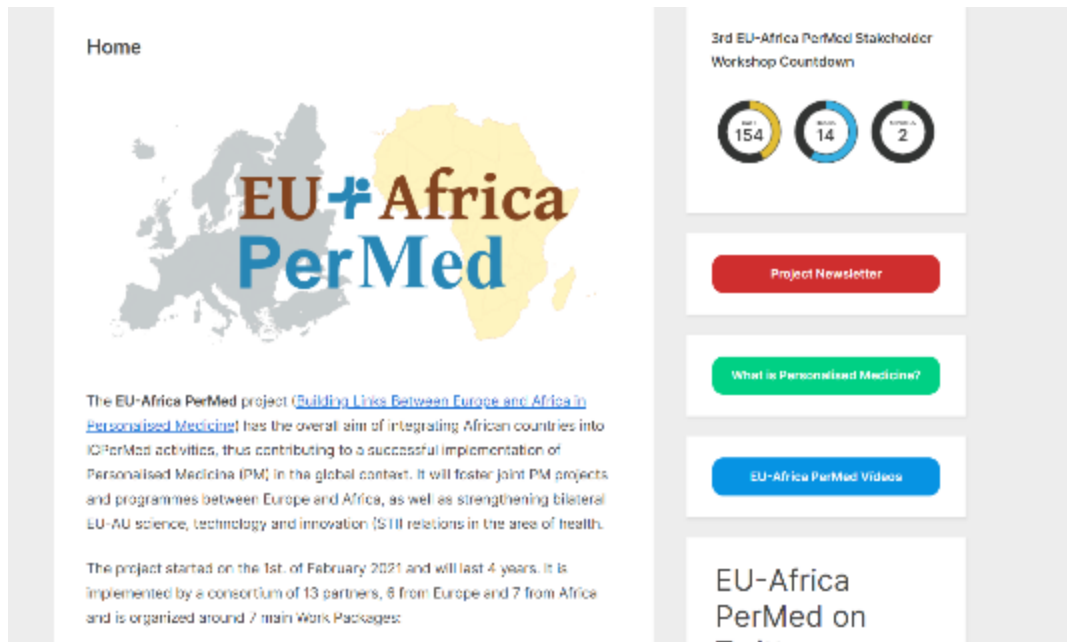


Figure 2. Website snapshots: home page (Jan2024).

Information about all the workshops that have been organized is available, including concept note, agenda and presentations (in PDF).

The project website is updated regularly with the information from all project activities (workshops, summer schools, webinars, etc.), including presentations from the speakers and all relevant videos and recordings.

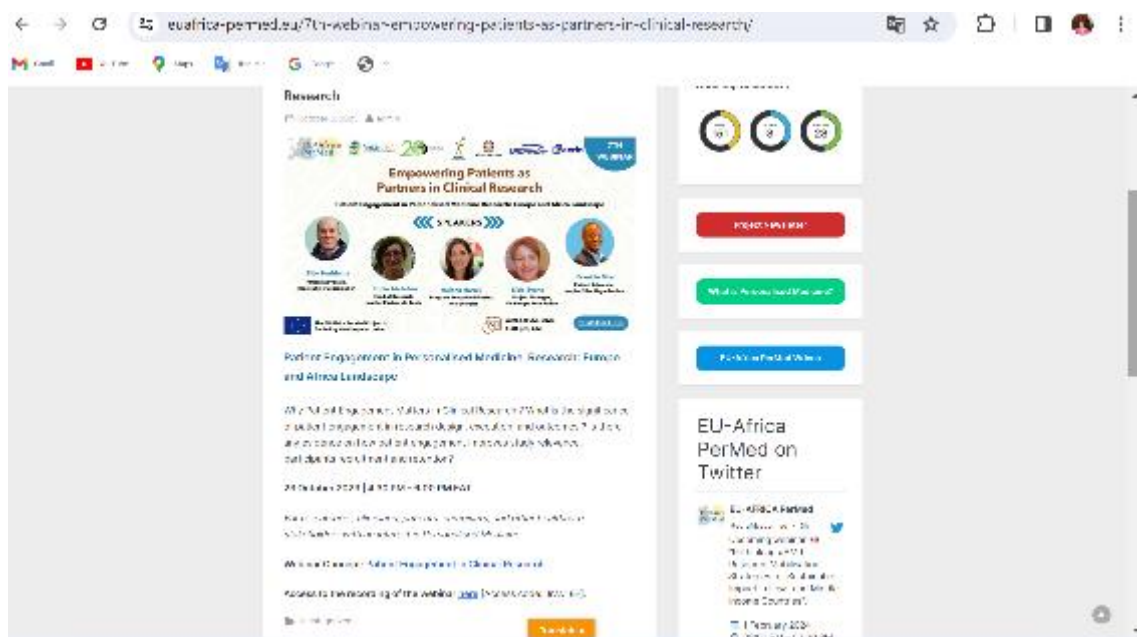


Figure 3. Website snapshots: section for 7th webinar.

Overview of Website Visit

The project website has received during the year 2023 (1st Jan to 31st Dec) a total of 24,820 visits from 10,419 visitors, slightly higher to what we had in 2022 (24,502 visits from 10,613 visitors).



A high peak is observed in February, most probably due to the 2nd Stakeholder workshop and the 2nd Summer School, that took place that month in Cape Town (South Africa). More visits are also observed when webinar take place. During the last part of the year, there were many visits that could be the results of important project events: 8th Webinar (in collaboration with PerMediNA), the participation in the EU Spanish Presidency event conference on PM and the launching of the 2nd. Summer School, that took place at the beginning of September.



Figure 4. Web visits and visitors, third project year (Jan-Dec 2023). The term “visitor” refers to a user who visits a website. A visit is defined as a visit to a website where at least one page has been loaded. Visits indicate a continuous process of using a website and should not be confused with the number of visitors, as a visitor may make several visits to the same site.

As in previous periods, high peaks in web visits are directly linked to relevant project activities. A closer view to the period 01/09/23- 30/11/23 shows the high number of visits and visitors.

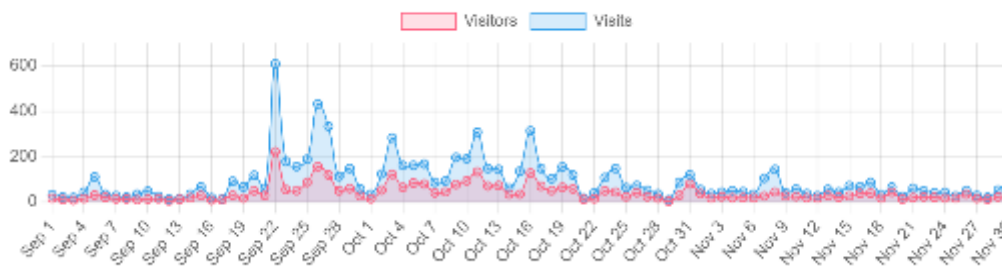


Figure 5. Visits and visitors during September, October and November of 2024.

During this period, the website had 8633 visits, which represent a 13,4% of the total of visits since the website was launched (March 2021). A stable number of daily visitors is maintained during the year (25-50).

As a summary, for the first three years of the project, the evolution of the number of visits and visitors is presented below:



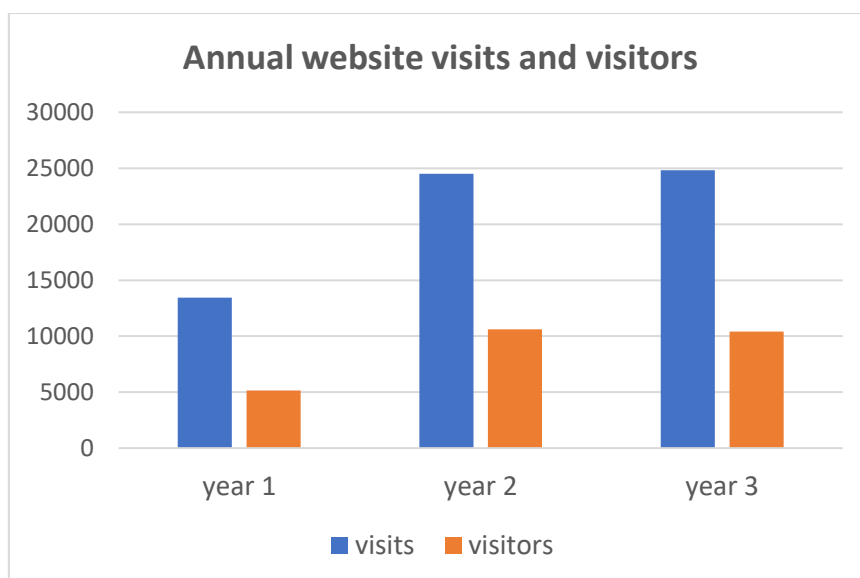


Figure 6. Annual website visits and visitors.

A big increase was achieved from year 1 to year 2. In year 3 we have been able to maintain the visits and visitors, so more effort is needed in Year 4 to increase the website traffic.

Most visited pages during the 3r project year have been:









PAGE	VISITS
Home page	8009
2nd EU-Africa PerMed Summer School	1960
What is Personalised medicine	787
Contact	775
Newsletter	436
Consortium	319
Project deliverables	310
News	248

Table 3. Top visited pages in 2023.

Top Referring Sites

Looking at the list of top referring sites, that is, any domain that originates and redirects traffic to EU-Africa PerMed website, we see that social networks (Twitter and LinkedIn) are playing an important role in redirecting visitors to our website, as well as the ICPPerMed platform.



Rating	Site Url	Site Title
1	 www.google.com	Google
2	 t.co / Twitter	t.co / Twitter
3	 www.linkedin.com	LinkedIn: Log In or Sign Up
4	 euafrica-permed.eu	EU-Africa PerMed – Building links between Europe and Africa in Personalised Medicine
5	 www.google.es	Google
6	 www.icpermed.eu	International Consortium for Personalised Medicine - ICPerMed
7	 www.bing.com	Bing
8	 www.whole-search.com	Google Global Ranking

As for geographical distribution of visitors, the table below show the main countries (> 100 visitors) visiting the website, since it was launched (April 2021) up to January 2024. Compared to the last annual report, there has been an increase in the number of African countries on the top part.

COUNTRY	VISITORS
United States	7,371
South Africa	1,992
France	1,655
Germany	1,455
Spain	1,346
China	1,262
Kenya	954
Netherlands	766
Italy	761
Romania	682
United Kingdom	560
Nigeria	506
Ireland	476
Canada	390
Finland	385
Tunisia	343
India	341
Austria	337
Sweden	282
Tanzania, United	279
Russian Federati	274
Egypt	273
Unknown	245
Morocco	227
Australia	201
Belgium	200
Poland	172
Turkey	159
Korea (the Republ	124
Algeria	113
Switzerland	112
Uganda	104

Table 4. Country visits (January 2024).

The number of visits coming from African countries has increased during the 3rd project year, especially relevant in countries such as Kenya, which has risen from 154 in Jan2023 to 954 in Jan 2024. Tunisia from 59



to 343 in the same period and Morocco 41 to 227. Cameroon, Uganda and Senegal have also increased their visits. There is still a high number of countries recording a very low number of visitors, but the vast majority have increased, and it seems that the project is being able to reach out to more countries in Africa.

The table below shows the geographical distribution of the visits from African countries.

COUNTRY	VISITORS	COUNTRY	VISITORS
South Africa	<u>1,992</u>	Congo (the Democratic Re	<u>21</u>
Kenya	<u>954</u>	Gambia	<u>17</u>
Nigeria	<u>506</u>	Angola	<u>15</u>
Tunisia	<u>343</u>	Madagascar	<u>15</u>
Tanzania, United Rep	<u>279</u>	Mozambique	<u>12</u>
Egypt	<u>273</u>	Liberia	<u>13</u>
Morocco	<u>227</u>	Congo	<u>11</u>
Uganda	<u>104</u>	Lesotho	<u>11</u>
Ethiopia	<u>99</u>	Swaziland	<u>10</u>
Senegal	<u>84</u>	Seychelles	<u>9</u>
Cameroon	<u>66</u>	Guinea	<u>7</u>
Somalia	<u>56</u>	Gabon	<u>6</u>
Ghana	<u>55</u>	Namibia	<u>5</u>
Malawi	<u>51</u>	Niger	<u>4</u>
Burundi	<u>46</u>	Togo	<u>4</u>
Zimbabwe	<u>45</u>	Cape Verde	<u>3</u>
Sierra Leone	<u>41</u>	Guinea-Bissau	<u>3</u>
Mauritius	<u>41</u>	South Sudan	<u>3</u>
Côte d'Ivoire	<u>35</u>	Eritrea	<u>2</u>
Zambia	<u>32</u>	Mauritania	<u>2</u>
Burkina Faso	<u>30</u>	Central African Republic	<u>1</u>
Mali	<u>30</u>	Djibouti	<u>1</u>
Sudan	<u>24</u>	Equatorial Guinea	<u>1</u>
Botswana	<u>22</u>	Comoros	<u>1</u>
		Chad	<u>1</u>

Table 5. African countries visit to website (January 2024).

1.2 Social media

The project has established official accounts on LinkedIn, Twitter, and YouTube, as detailed in the following subsections.

1.2.1 LinkedIn

The project has established a LinkedIn official account <https://www.linkedin.com/company/eu-africa-permed-project/>. Among all the social media platforms, LinkedIn is the one that has the largest increase.



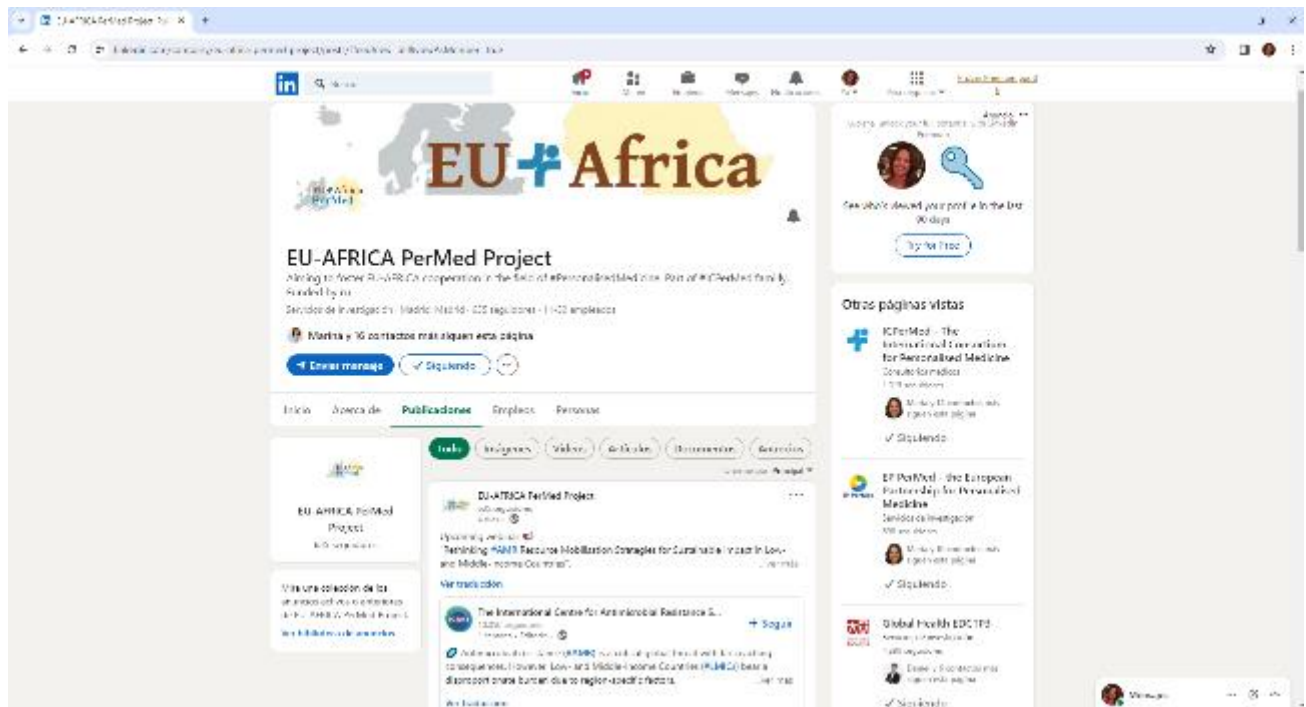


Figure 7. Screenshot of EU-Africa PerMed LinkedIn page (January 2024).

In July 2022, our LinkedIn account had 45 followers; by 31st January 2024, it had 636 followers, so there was an increase of 1313%. We gained 501 followers just in the last year, and 1.003 visualizations in this period, as well as 737 reactions and 20.120 impressions¹ to our publications, as shown in the LinkedIn analysis below.

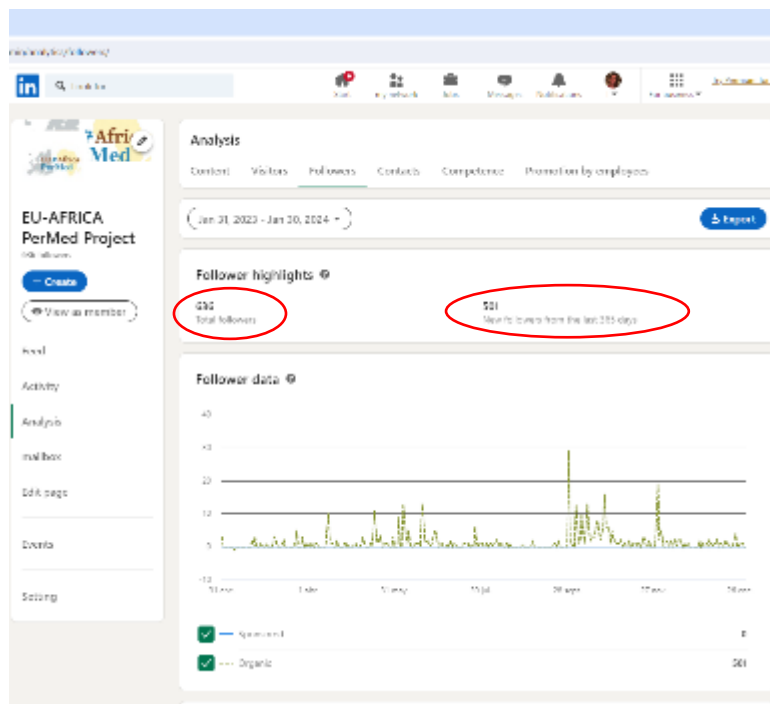


Figure 8. Screenshot of the analysis of EU-Africa PerMed LinkedIn followers from 31st January 2023 to 30th January 2024.

¹ LinkedIn Impressions are the total number of exposures to the content. This can include the same person seeing the content multiple times.



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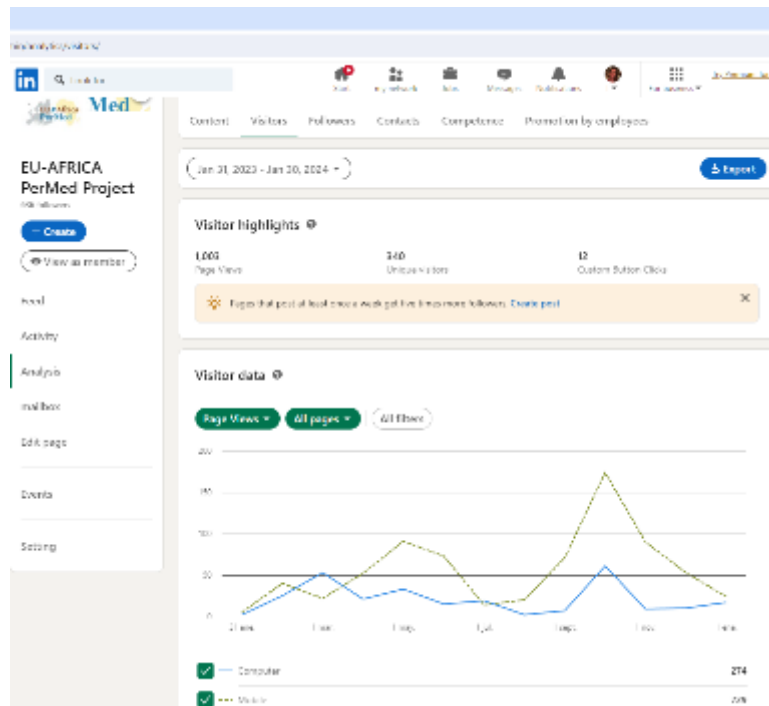


Figure 9. Screenshot of the visitors of EU-Africa PerMed LinkedIn followers from 31 January 2023 to 30 January 2024.

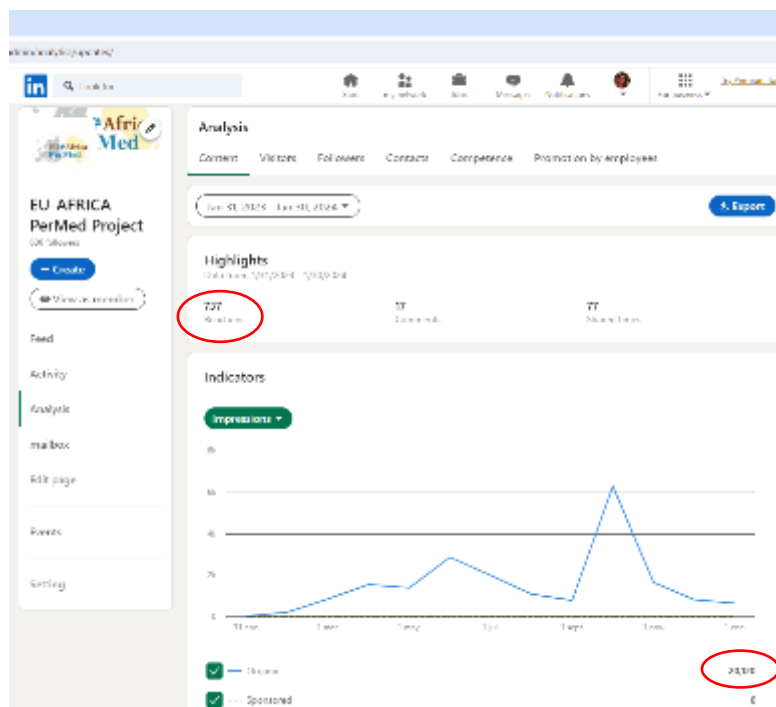


Figure 10. Screenshot of the analysis of EU-Africa PerMed LinkedIn impressions from 31 January 2023 to 30 January 2024.

In this platform we share all the project relevant information, and also, we share information about other relevant projects related to EU-Africa PerMed and its upcoming events, news, etc. Since LinkedIn is a platform specifically designed for professionals and businesses, having a strong presence there is essential. By actively and consistently engaging in LinkedIn activity over the second period, we are able to significantly increase our contact capacity, as reflected, for example, in our increasing number of followers.



1.2.2 Twitter

The project established a Twitter account in March 2021, https://twitter.com/EU_AfricaPerMed. We have made 232 posts on Twitter between 1st August 2022 and 31st January 2023, while 191 posts were made during the first period of the project.

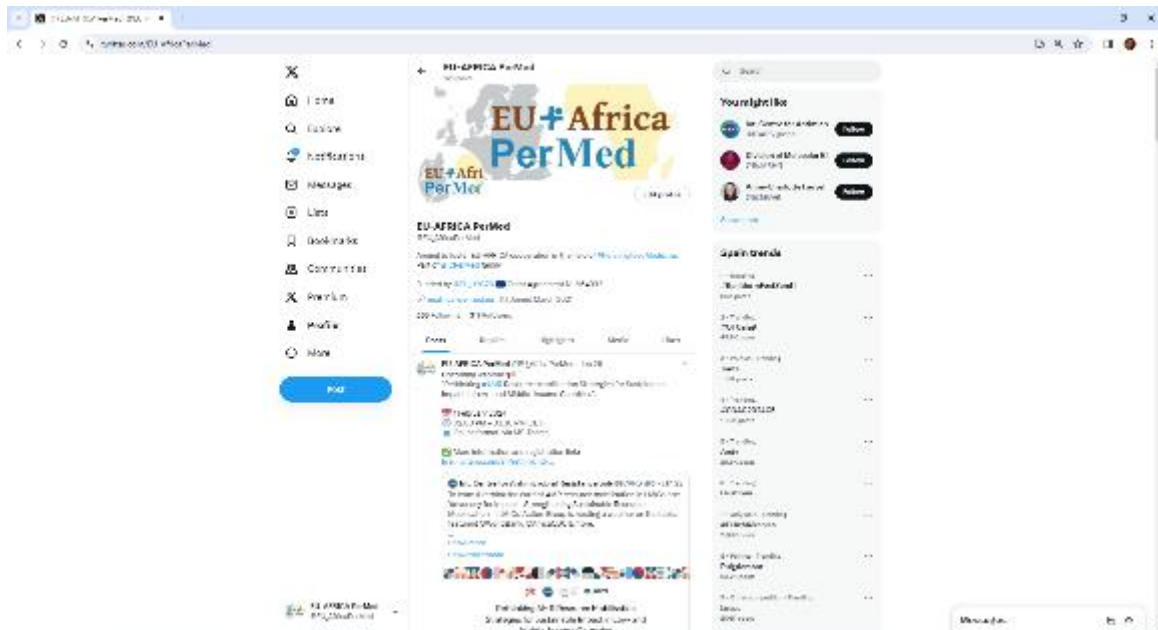


Figure 11. Screenshot of EU-Africa PerMed Twitter page.

For this reporting period (1st August 2022 to 31st January 2024), the month of June 2023 had the most activity on Twitter with 24 posts, 10.800 impressions², 1.169 profile visits, 6 mentions, and 21 new followers.

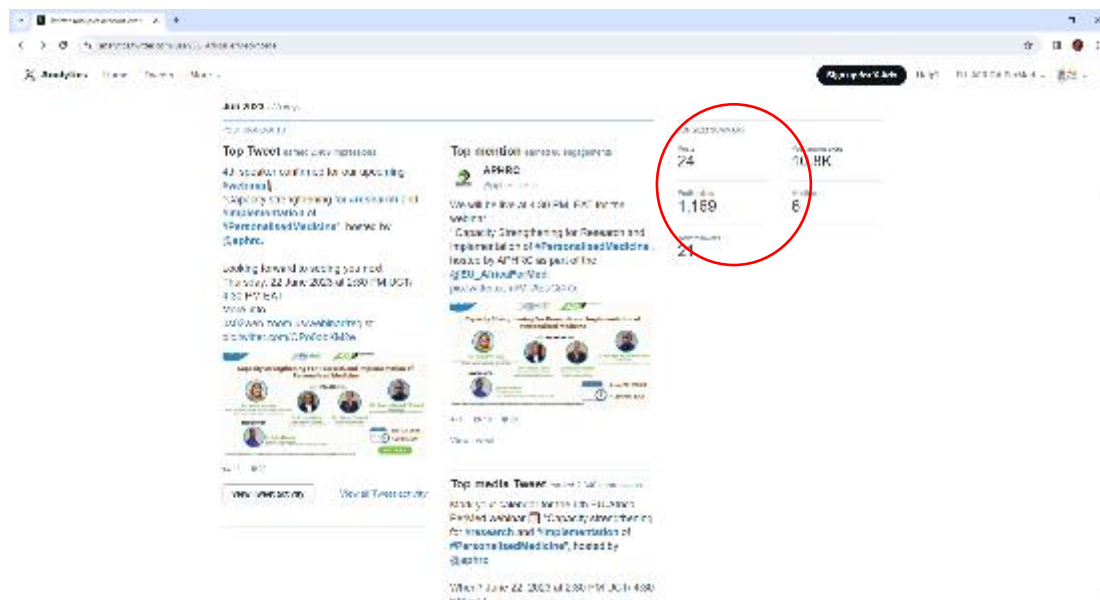


Figure 12. Twitter analytics about June 2023, the most active month of the period reported.

² Twitter impressions refer to the total number of times a tweet has been seen by any user, regardless of whether it was clicked or not. It includes both the number of times a tweet appears on a user's timeline and the number of times it appears in search results or other places on Twitter.



In addition, in July 2022, our Twitter account had 131 followers; by 31st January 2024, it had 317 followers, so there was an increase of 141%. Our Twitter activity represents a very important increase in the outreach capacity of the project during this second period, with a more active and sustained presence of the project in this social media. As an example, comparing the last three months of the first period with the last three months of the second period, we had 2.200 impressions from 2nd November 2023 to 31st January 2024, compared to 0 impressions from 2nd May 2022 to 31st July 2022.

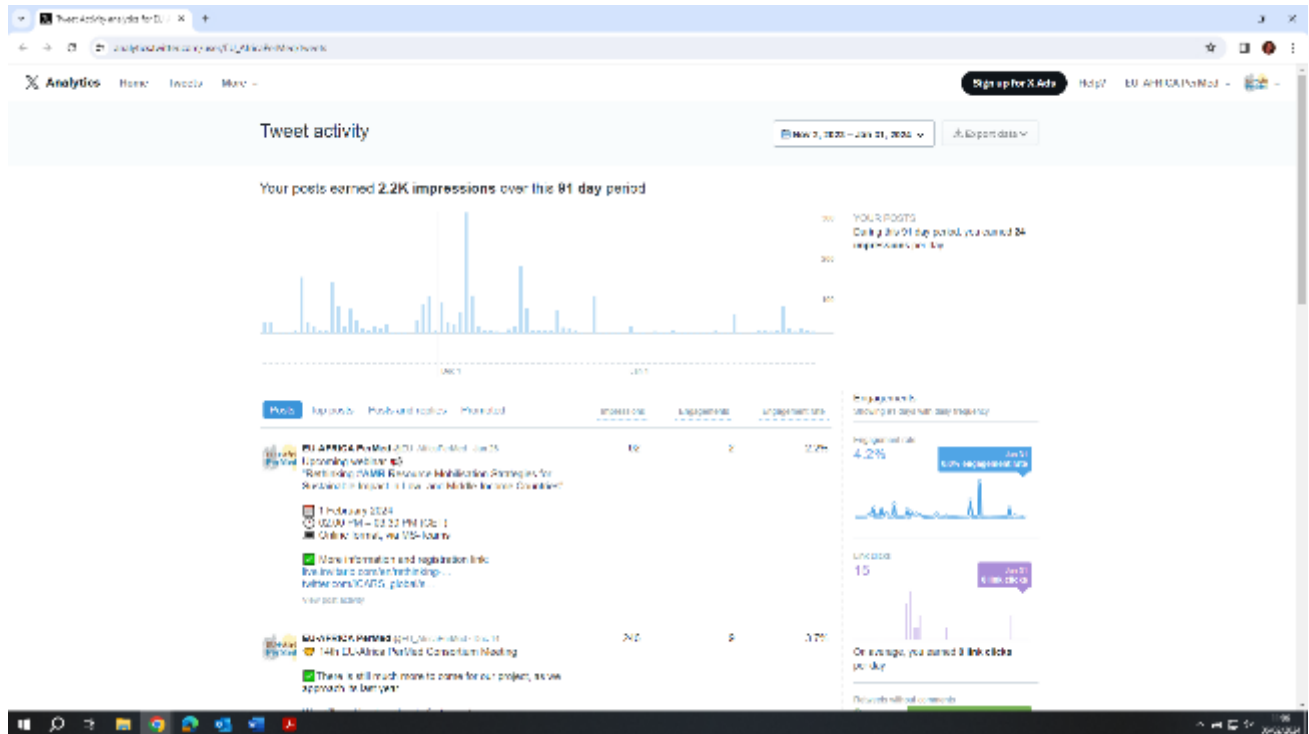


Figure 13. Tweet activity from 2nd November 2023 to 31st January 2024.

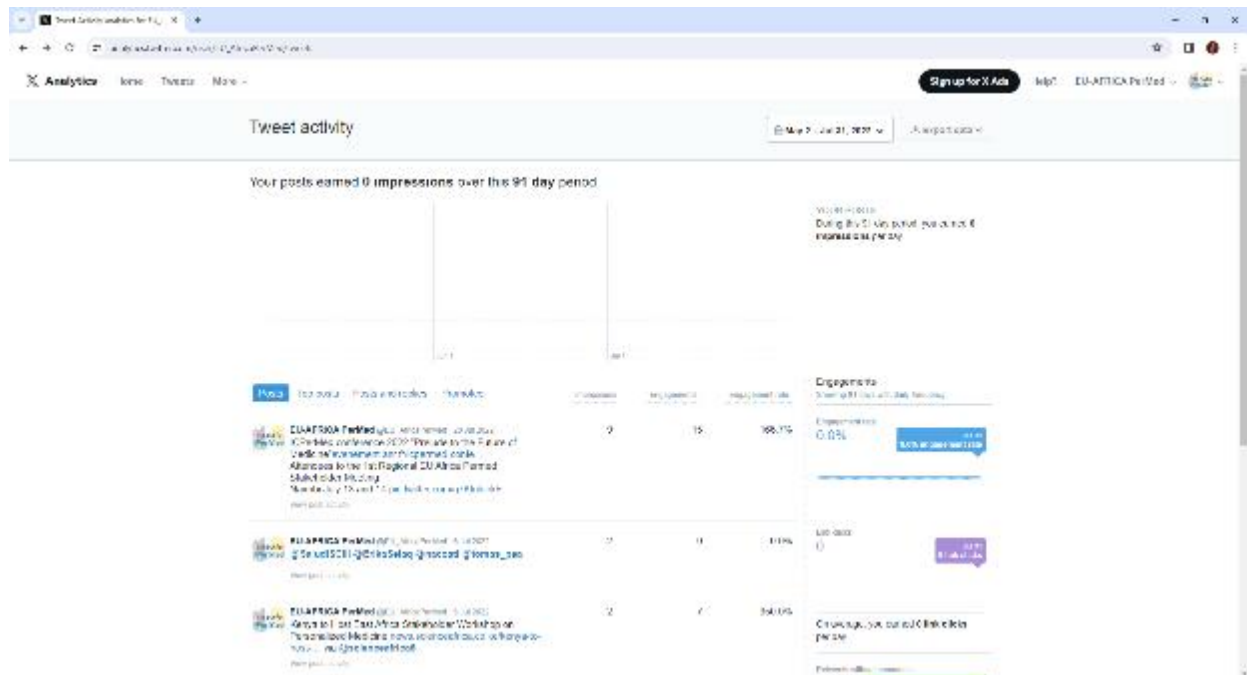


Figure 14. Tweet activity from 2nd May 2022 to 3rd July 2022.



Project activities such as the WP3 Stakeholder Workshop and WP5 webinars and Summer School have probably also helped to increase the number of followers.

1.2.3 YouTube

A YouTube channel was set up for the project <https://www.youtube.com/@eu-africapermed>, on 3rd February 2022. There are 11 videos published and 30 subscribers by 31st January 2024.

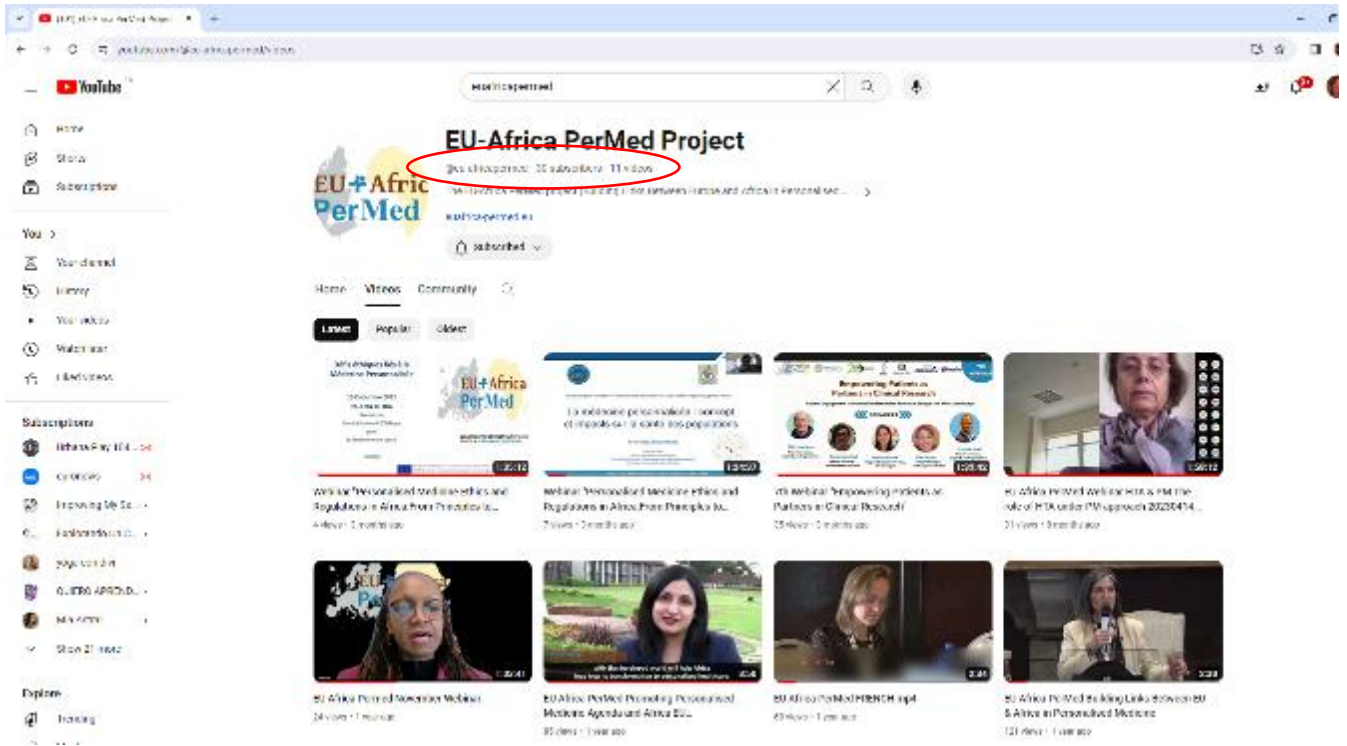


Figure 15. Screenshot of EU-Africa PerMed YouTube page.

Besides the videos about the project information, its objectives, and mission, the webinars organised by EU-Africa PerMed are also provided, so all the training outputs are available during and after the project completion.

By 31st January 2024, our total views are 564 and the watch time in hours is 26,8.



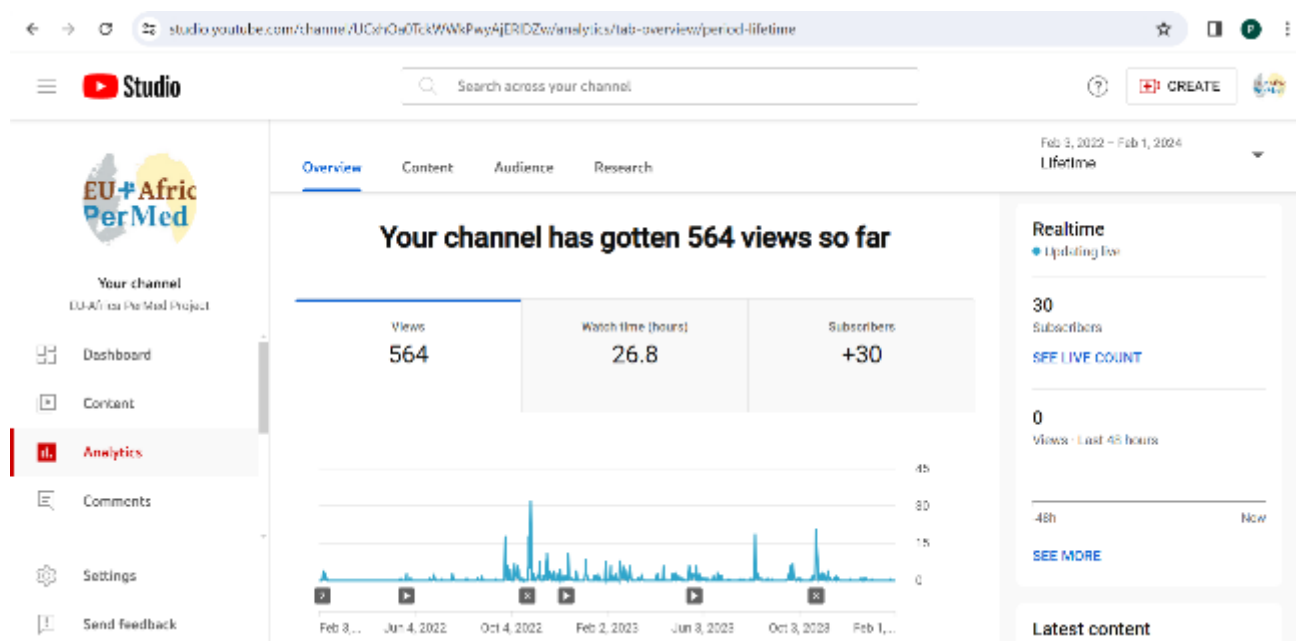


Figure 16. Screenshot of the YouTube analytics of the lifetime of the page.

The most viewed video, entitled “EU-Africa PerMed. Building links between Europe and Africa in Personalised Medicine” has 121 views.

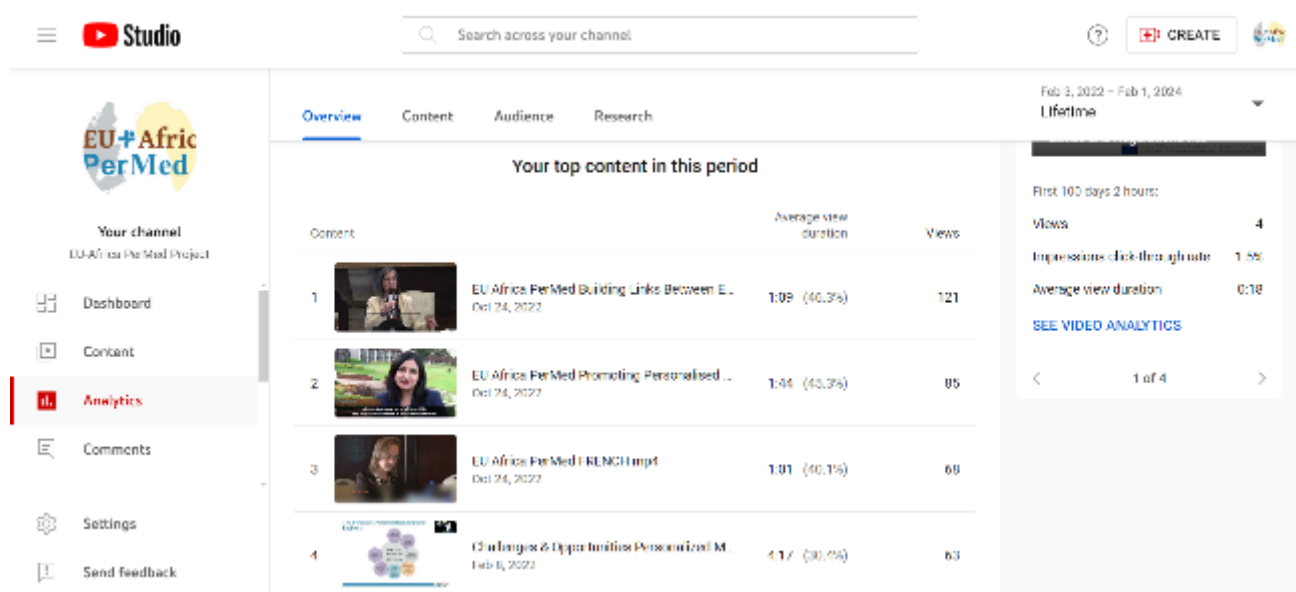


Figure 17. Screenshot of the YouTube most seen content.

1.3. Newsletters

Three newsletters, one every six months, were prepared by the project from August 2022 to January 2024, making them the third, fourth and fifth newsletters. All of them were submitted by email to the Communication and Dissemination List (see section 2.5), and also posted in the project website.

In November 2022, the [3rd newsletter](#) for the project was released. It included a short introductory note on from Dr. Godfrey Sama Philipo (ECSA Health Community), on “Vision for PM in Africa: the need for a regional approach”, information about projects activities and outputs, contact information, and links to our social media accounts.





Figure 18. 3rd EU-Africa PerMed newsletter.

From our fourth newsletter onwards, we have changed the format of our newsletters: instead of sending them as attachments in emails, we now send them in the body of the email, as shown below.

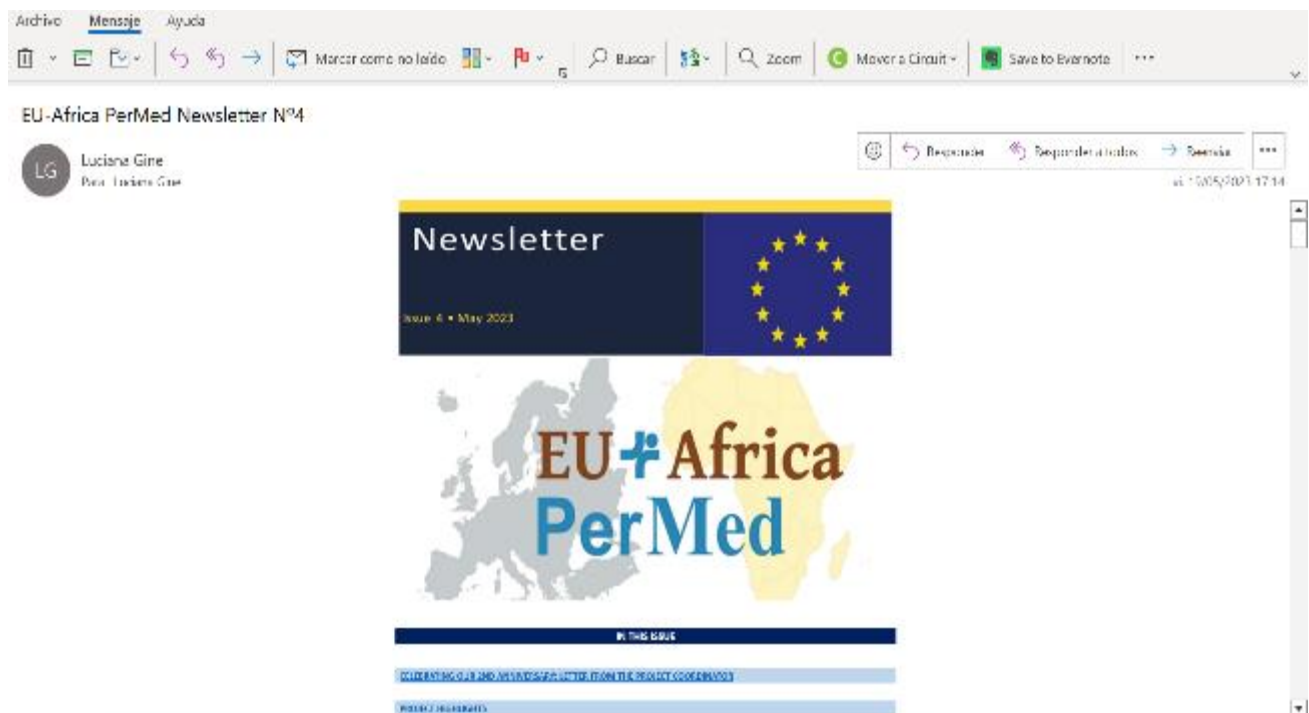


Figure 19. 4th newsletter sent by email on 19th May 2023.

Additionally, there is an interactive table of contents, so the reader can follow the links to go to the section they are interested in, and there are also links to return to the top. Also included are links to external websites that extend the information contained in the news, as well as links to our social media accounts.

Our [4th newsletter](#) was distributed on 19th May 2023 and it was sent to 654 individuals. It included a letter from the project coordinator, project highlights and upcoming events, ICPeMed family news, external events and funding opportunities.



Our [5th newsletter](#), distributed on 17th November 2023 was sent to 954 individuals. It included a letter from the coordinator, an interview with Julia H. Goedecke (OPTIMA project coordinator) as an example of successful AU-EU collaboration in Personalised Medicine Research, project highlights and upcoming events, ICPeMed family news, external events as well as a summary of all our webinars with links to their recordings.

All newsletters are available on the project website, <https://www.euafrika-permed.eu/newsletters/>.

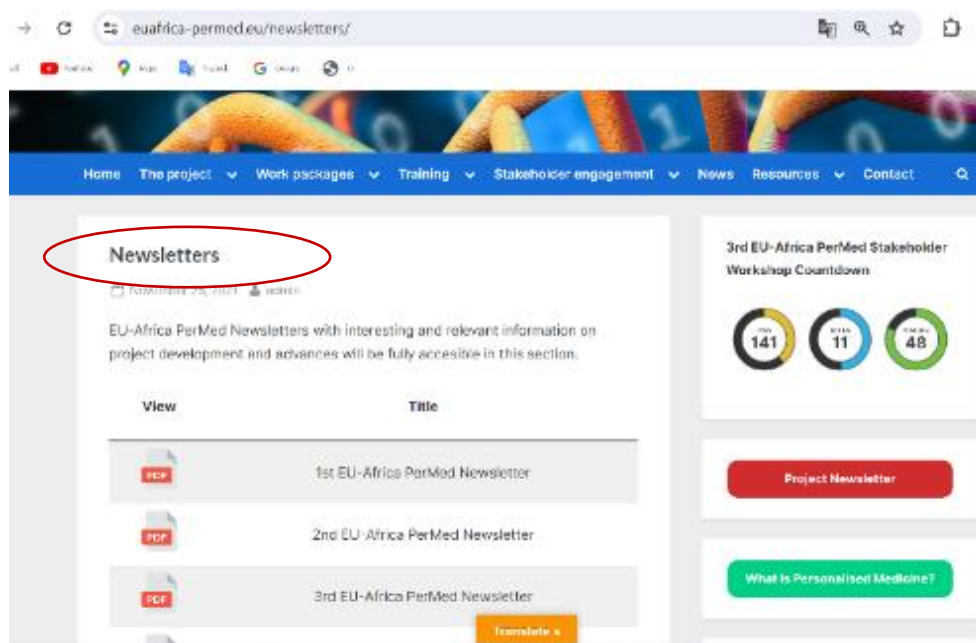


Figure 20. Newsletters available in the EU-Africa PerMed website.

1.4. Flyers

The project created its first flyer to be disseminated during the activities that took place in Cape Town in February 2022: the 2nd Stakeholder workshop and the 1st Summer School. A printed copy was given to all the participants (113 in the workshop and 55 in the Summer School). It included basic information about what is Personalised Medicine, the project objectives, Consortium members and what are the expected results and impacts of the project, as well as contact details and social networks.

This flyer was also distributed at the 71st Health Ministries Conference, which took place on 8-9 February 2023 in Maseru, Lesotho, as well as in the Pre-Conference which included the 13th Best Practice Forum (5-6 February 2023) and the 29th Directors Joint Consultative Committee (7 February 2023). Flyers were distributed by our project partner, ECSA-HC, which co-hosted these events with the Ministry of Health of the Kingdom of Lesotho.

The two sides of the first project Flyer are shown below:



With EU-Africa PerMed participating in this conference, it was an excellent opportunity to distribute our informative flyer to its attendees (around 150 individuals). This flyer contains information about the project's aim and objectives, its accomplishments, and the current work being carried out, such as the preparation of the Action Plan. It was produced by ISCIII and INNOVATEC.

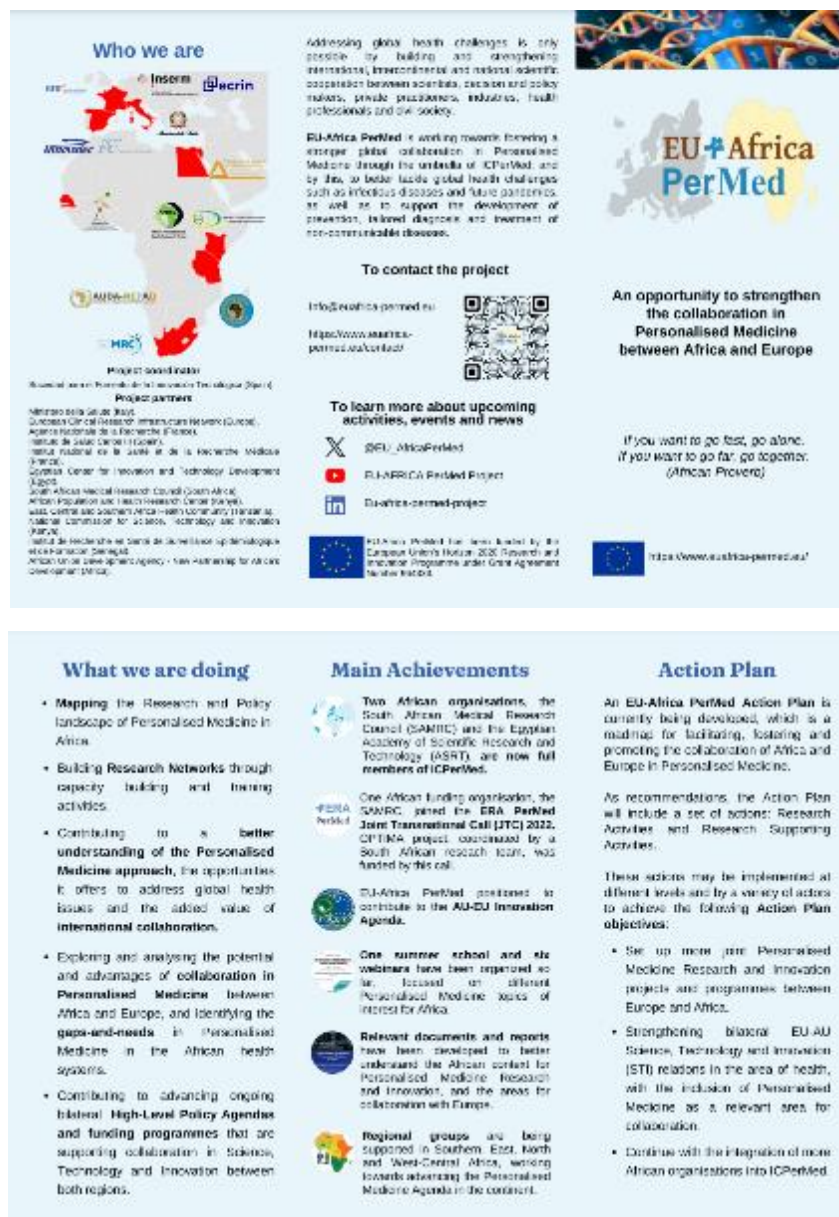


Figure 22. Second EU-Africa PerMed Informative flyer created in September 2023.

Additionally, this informative flyer was distributed at two events that took place in November 2023: the Eleventh EDCTP Forum in Paris, where project partner Patrice Debre from INSERM attended, as well as at the ICPeMed Workshop that took place in Siena, Italy, where Monika Frenzel from ANR, Maria José Ruiz from the Italian Ministry of Health and Rizwana Mia from SAMRC assisted. The ICPeMed Workshop of Siena assembled almost 90 international experts in physical presence and about 10 experts virtually.

1.5. Videos

The project launched its first official video on 29 September 2022. It is entitled “EU Africa PerMed: Building Links Between EU & Africa in Personalised Medicine” and is [available](#) in our YouTube channel.



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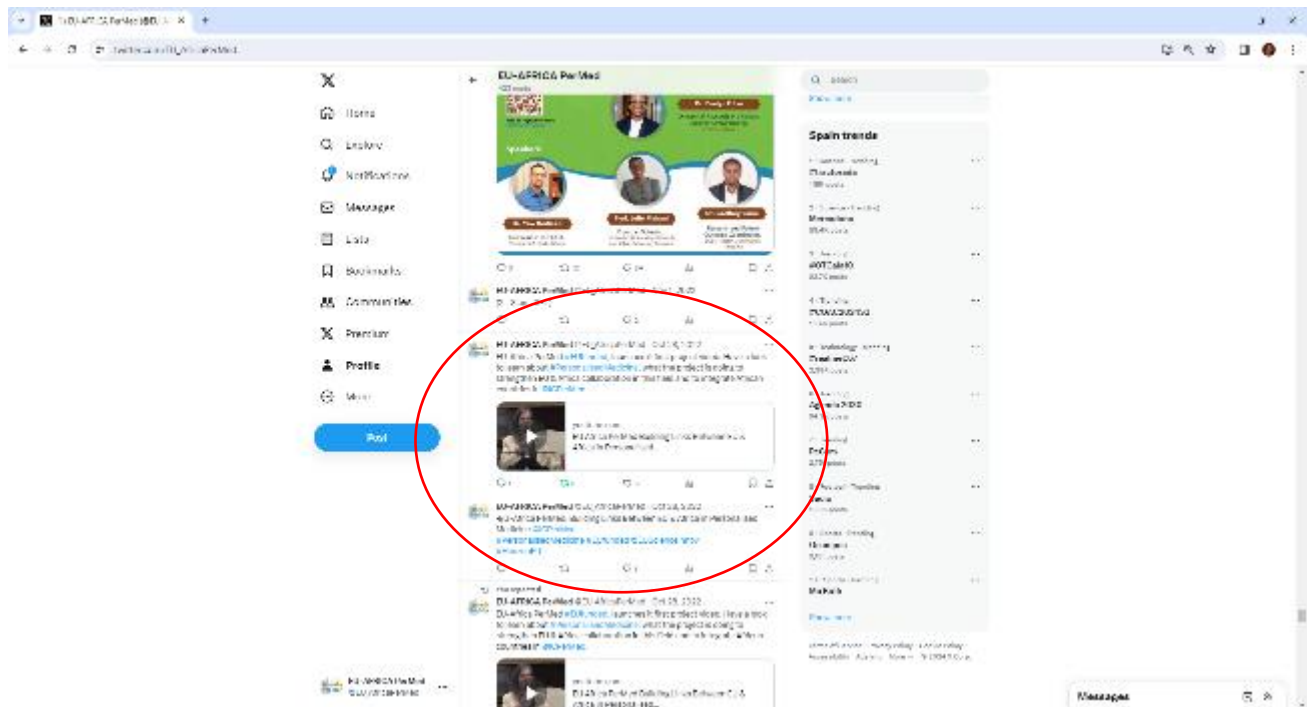


Figure 23. Launch of the EU-Africa PerMed first video announced on the project Twitter account.

This 2:29 minutes video introduces the project, the Personalised Medicine approach and the need for collaboration. Audiences of all types are targeted, and it combines voiceovers with animations and motion design. We created a [French version](#) of this video as well.

Our [second video](#), entitled “EU-Africa PerMed: Promoting Personalised Medicine Agenda and Africa EU Collaboration” was also launched in October 2022. It was created using images and short interviews recorded during the East Africa regional stakeholder workshop in Nairobi (Kenya) on 13-14 July 2022.

This video introduces the audience to the importance of EU-Africa collaboration in PM research and innovation along with a brief description of the project, the concept of Personalised Medicine, and the African context for PM. It emphasizes the importance of strengthening this collaboration through actions such as EU-Africa PerMed. It also explains why EU-Africa PerMed needs the engagement with African Stakeholders.

1.6. Communication and Dissemination List

A Communication and Dissemination list is kept up to date with the individuals who join our events and give permission to be contacted by the project, or with new subscribers to our newsletter. This list had 468 contacts in September 2022, and 954 in January 2024, showing a steady increase in the number of people we are reaching out to. Additionally, we contact them not only to send our newsletters, as mentioned earlier, but also to inform them of our upcoming webinars or other training events, as our 2nd Summer School.

We notified our Communication and Dissemination list about:

- Our 5th webinar “The Role of Health Technology Assessment in Personalised Medicine” on 27th March 2023.
- Our 6th webinar “Capacity strengthening for research and implementation on Personalised Medicine” on 8th June 2023.
- Our 7th webinar “Empowering patients as partners in clinical research” on 11th October 2023.
- Our 2nd Summer School “Implementation of Personalised Medicine” on 25th September 2023.
- 2nd Summer School application deadline reminder on 16th October 2023.





Figure 25. Rizwana Mia and Karabo Kgomo from SAMRC at the Regional Stakeholder Workshop.

2.2. 2nd Stakeholder Workshop

This event was hosted by the South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC) with a great success in attendance: 164 attendees (113 in-person and 51 online). During this 2-day hybrid meeting, the project had the opportunity to review with relevant stakeholders the Personalised landscape in Africa from various Regional Outcomes, validate and refine both areas of mutual interest for AU-EU collaboration and the gaps and needs identified. The workshop also was an opportunity to discuss, with African stakeholders, different models of collaboration with the EU, main challenges in international collaboration and best ways to overcome them.



Figure 26. EU-Africa PerMed 2nd Stakeholder Workshop. General view of the meeting.

The workshop also provided an opportunity to increase the visibility of the project in Africa and facilitate networking among participants. The stakeholders were from various fields of expertise including research and academic institutions, regulators of the Science, Technology and Innovation sector, policy makers, health care providers, NGOs, civil society, private sector, national scientific and bioethics committees, national drug authorities, members of the project advisory board, consortium members and the media.

Participants were drawn from 29 countries, with 23 African countries represented namely Algeria, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Central Africa Republic, Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Kenya, Mali,



Morocco, Namibia, Nigeria, Rwanda, Senegal, South Africa, Tanzania, The Gambia, Tunisia, Uganda, Zimbabwe, and countries outside Africa were Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Spain, and United States of America.

2.3. 1st Summer School

The first EU-Africa PerMed Summer School “Standards in personalised medicine research” reunited 35 participants (20 onsite and 15 online), 12 speakers and 12 consortium delegates from 28 African and European countries. It took place on 22-23 February 2023 and was organised by ECRIN, in collaboration with the African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC), the Italian Ministry of Health, the Institute for Health Research Epidemiological Surveillance and Training (IRESSEF) and INNOVATEC and was hosted by the South African Medical Research Council.

The Summer School, developed to support the young professionals from the African research community, covered key stages of Personalised Medicine research and highlighted the importance of integrating standards for quality research at each stage as well as the relevance of international collaborations in Personalised Medicine.



Figure 27. Family picture of the 1st Summer School participants.

3. Collaboration with related initiatives

The project has engaged with several related initiatives and projects related to Personalised Medicine and Europe-Africa Collaboration in health research. This contacts sometimes come from WP activities, other are direct invitation to the project coordinator, and they are opportunities to communicate about the project and what we are doing.

3.1. Participation in the EP PerMed SRIA

Our project partner Monika Frenzel (ANR) participated in the EP PerMed Drafting Group, which launched an Open Consultation for the Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA) in support for the European Partnership for Personalised Medicine, EP PerMed. This Open Consultation took place from 21 November 2022 to 31 December 2022, and several EU-Africa PerMed partners participated on it.

By taking part in this survey, participants could share their view on future activities and research for accelerating the implementation of personalised medicine approaches. The outcome of the online consultation was considered for the SRIA finalisation and the EP PerMed proposal (April 2023) as well as for the future development of activities and calls within the EP PerMed lifetime. In this sense, it was really important that the EU-Africa PerMed members could provide their points of view. It is relevant to mention



too the participation of South Africa in the ICPeMed Open Consultation, being the only African country to participate on it.

Additionally, the EU-Africa PerMed coordinators Erika Sela and Joaquin Guinea (INNOVATEC, Spain) participated actively in the preparation of the Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA) for PM of the upcoming European Partnership for Personalised Medicine (EP PerMed). They have been interviewed in summer 2022 to provide particularly their input regarding the international aspects of Personalised Medicine. A dedicated section on the “International perspective of PM” is part of the SRIA for Personalised Medicine.

3.2. Collaboration with PerMediNA project

PerMediNA, Personalised Medicine in North Africa (<https://twitter.com/PerMediNA>), is a project coordinated by the Institute Pasteur in Tunis, which aim is to promote the implementation of the Personalised Medicine in the Magreb region. Erika Sela (EU-Africa PerMed coordinator) was invited to present our project in the annual meeting of the PerMediNA, on 15 March 2023 (hybrid event).

Afterwards, a virtual meeting took place between EU-Africa PerMed and PerMediNA, with the objective of start collaborating and working together. This meeting took place on 16 May 2023, with Erika Sela (INNOVATEC) and Luciana Gine (ISCIH) from EU-Africa PerMed side and Hichem Ben Hassine (Institute Pasteur in Tunis) from PerMediNA side.

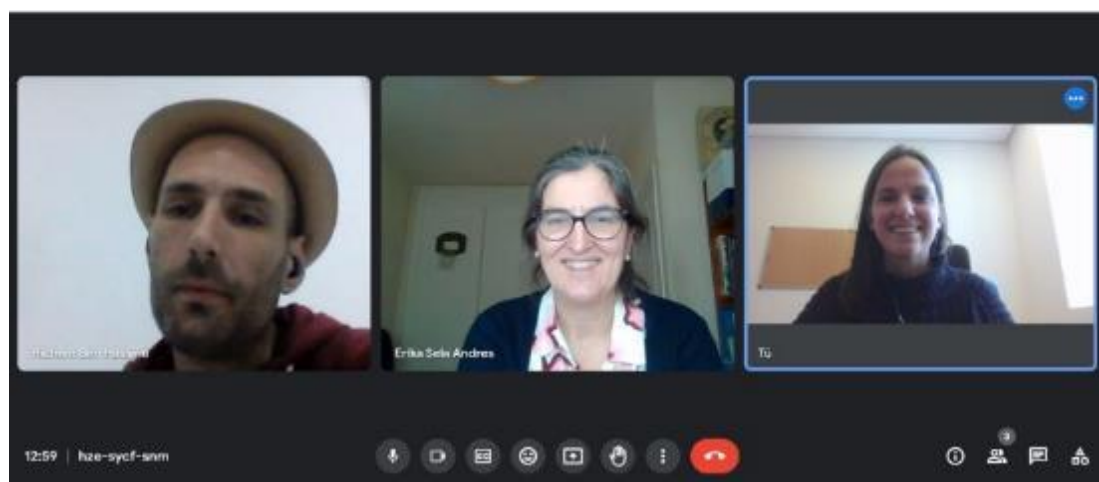


Figure 289. Meeting between Erika Sela (Innovatec), Luciana Gine (ISCIH) and Hichem Ben Hassine (PerMediNA).

It was agreed to conduct joint communication activities, such as publishing news of PerMediNA in the EU-Africa PerMed newsletters or posting about the other project on social media. Therefore, EU-Africa PerMed introduced PerMediNA project in a [Twitter](#) and a [LinkedIn](#) post, while PerMediNA introduced EU-Africa PerMed in a [Twitter](#) and [LinkedIn](#) post. In addition, information about “Precision Medicine Academy”, organised by PerMediNA, was shared in the 4th EU-Africa PerMed newsletter.

Additionally, it was agreed to organise a joint webinar between both projects, which finally took place on 23 October 2023, being our 7th webinar "Empowering Patients as Partners in Clinical Research".

Furthermore, the project mapping results (WP2) have been used and cited by Institute Pasteur of Tunisia (Dr. Yosr Hamdi) in the PerMediNA project, available at: <https://www.euafrica-permed.eu/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/EU-Africa-PerMED-Yosr-Hamdi-08022022.pdf>



3.3. ERA4Health Workshop

The project was invited to participate online on the [1st International Annual Workshop](#) for the search of Synergies of the Partnership ERA4Health, on 9th June 2023. Erika Sela (project coordinator) made a short presentation of EU-Africa PerMed.

3.4. Meeting with Inspire2Live

Inspire2Live (<https://inspire2live.org/>) is a CSO organization based in Amsterdam, that has the mission to inspire and empower patients, researchers and clinicians to work together to prevent, treat and eliminate cancer. A virtual meeting with this organization took place on 11th September 2023. E. Sela and MJ Ruiz (MoH-It and WP5 leader) had a telco with Dr. Peter Kapitein (founder) and Eltjo Heddema (Patient Advocate). As results of this contact, Mr. Heddema was invited to participate as speaker in the EU-Africa PerMed 7th webinar: “Empowering Patients as Partners in Clinical Research”.

3.5. DSI-Africa Third Virtual Networking

EU-Africa PerMed was invited to join the Data Science for Health in Africa (DSI-Africa) [Third Virtual Networking Exchange](#), that took place on 3rd of May 2023. Our project coordinator, Erika Sela, made a presentation of the project in the Networking Round 1, Room 3 *Global Networks*.

3.6. Methodology sharing with MeDDIC

The methodology for landscape analysis of Africa (WP3) is being used by SAMRC in the Medical Device and Diagnostic Innovation Cluster (**MeDDIC**) Program to develop this program into Africa.

4. Participation of project partners in external events and meetings

4.1. ICPeMed Executive Committee meetings

Our project partner Monika Frenzel (ANR, France) is the ambassador of EU-Africa PerMed in ICPeMed and is charge of representing the project in the ICPeMed Executive committee meetings, where she presents the activities of the CSA-EU-Africa PerMed: major achievements so far, cooperation and collaboration with other ICPeMed family projects, impact and outlook. In this period, two ICPeMed Executive Committee meetings took place: on **6 October 2022** (hybrid event) and on **9-10 May 2023** (online event).

4.2. Coordinators Meeting of the ICPeMed-related CSAs

Our project coordinator Erika Sela (INNOVATEC) participated in the Coordinators Meeting of the ICPeMed-related CSAs, that took place on **10 January 2023** in online format. An update of last activities and outputs of the project was provided.

4.3. ICPeMed Workshop: Preparing the future for Personalised medicine: EP PerMed

EU-Africa PerMed participated in the **ICPeMed Workshop "Preparing the future for Personalised medicine: EP PerMed"**, that took place in Navarra, Spain, on **17 and 18 of January 2023**. In this event, the EU-Africa PerMed project coordinator, Joaquin Guinea (INNOVATEC, Spain), presented the project in the Second Plenary session *Key Areas: International and Regional Perspectives of Personalised Medicine* which was moderated by Monika Frenzel (ANR, France), part of the ICPeMed consortium, the ICPeMed Secretariat and EP PerMed drafting group and also representative of the EU-Africa PerMed consortium.





Figure 29. EU-Africa PerMed partners Joaquín Guinea and Erika Sela (INNOVATEC), María José Ruiz (Italian Ministry of Health), Paula García (ECRIN) and Monika Frenzel (ANR) along with Cristina Nieto (ISCIII - ERA PerMed coordinator) and María Callejo Arranz (ISCIII- ICPerMed member) in the ICPerMed Workshop "Preparing the future for Personalised medicine: EP PerMed".

4.4. 2nd ICPerMed family meeting

The second ICPerMed Family meeting "**Staying connected to shape the future for Personalised Medicine**" took place virtually on **19 October 2023**. EU-Africa PerMed, as a member of the ICPerMed family, participated in this meeting which was aimed at sustaining continuous collaboration between ICPerMed and the related Coordinated and Support Actions (CSAs), as well as in the light of the European Partnership for Personalised Medicine (EP PerMed).

During the session "International Perspectives on Personalised Medicine", two EU-Africa PerMed partners presented on the topic of African-Europe collaboration in Personalised Medicine, focusing on East Africa with national and regional perspectives. On one side, Teresa Nyawira from the National Commission for Science, Technology and Innovation (NACOSTI) gave a policy perspective, highlighting the status of Personalised Medicine in Kenya and the impact of African-European collaboration in the field of Personalised Medicine on the national strategy. She also shared her experience of participating in international collaborative projects.





Introduction

- Kenya does not have a centralized national Precision Medicine programme, but has supportive policy and institutional framework to enable adoption and implementation
- Relatively mature policy framework with ambitious objectives to harness benefits of a strong and well coordinated ST&I ecosystem
- Collaborations and networks have contributed to advancing knowledge about PM, created awareness among relevant stakeholders, and availed systems and practices for benchmarking

Figure 30. Our project partner, Teresa Nyawira, presenting in the ICPeMed family meeting.

On the other side, **Evelyn Gitau** from the African Population and Health Research Center (APHRC) centred her presentation on the challenges and opportunities of cross-border collaboration in the field of Personalised Medicine in the Eastern Africa Region. She highlighted that Personalised Medicine can be an opportunity to advance disease surveillance, enabling early detection and response to regional health challenges.

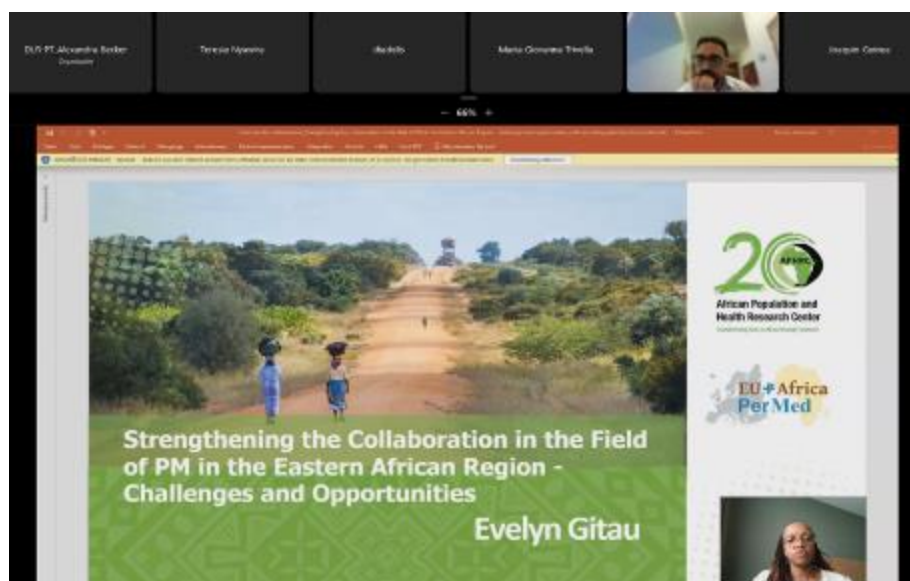


Figure 31. Our project partner, Evelyn Gitau, presenting in the ICPeMed family meeting.

4.5. High-Level Conference on Personalised Medicine in Valencia, Spain

EU-Africa PerMed has taken an active part in the High-Level Conference on Personalised Medicine, organised by the Spanish Presidency of the Council of the European Union, that took place in **on 4-5 October 2023** in Valencia, Spain. Firstly, two members of our project participated as experts at the roundtable entitled "Best practices in international cooperation in the context of Personalised Medicine": Rizwana Mia, from the South African Medical Research Council (SAMRC) and partner of the project, and Prof. Michèle Ramsay, director of the Sydney Brenner Institute for Molecular Bioscience (SBIMB) of South Africa and member of the EU-Africa PerMed Advisory Board.





Figure 32. Group photo of the Roundtable on Best practices in international cooperation in the context of Personalised Medicine. Speakers: Manoel Barral-Neto, Federal University of Bahia, Brazil; María Luiza Saraiva-Pereira, Federal University of Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil; Michèle Ramsay, University of the Witwatersrand, South Africa; Thomas Nyirenda, The European and Developing Countries Clinical Trials Partnership; Rizwana Mia, South African Medical Research Council, South Africa. Chair: Ejner Moltzen, ICPeMed Chair.

In this roundtable, Prof. Michèle Ramsay presented an overview of Personalised Medicine in Africa, meanwhile Rizwana Mia presented the EU-Africa PerMed project, gave a context of the Personalised Medicine Agenda in Africa and proposed a Regional Consortium model, outlining how cooperating with the EU can be beneficial.

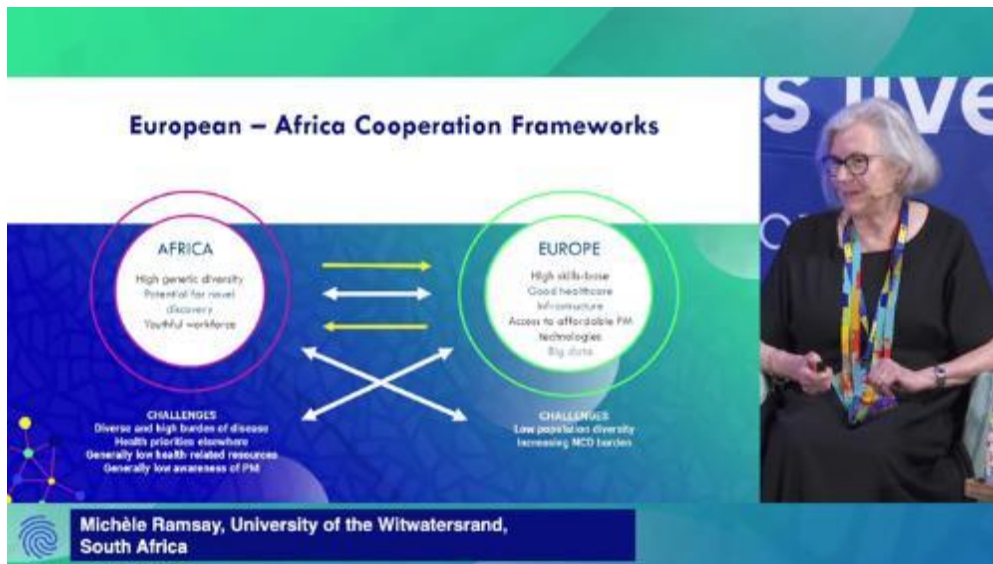


Figure 33. Presentation of Prof. Michèle Ramsay at the Conference on Personalised Medicine in Valencia, Spain.





Figure 34. Presentation of Rizwana Mia at the Conference on Personalised Medicine in Valencia, Spain.

Additionally, Monika Frenzel, our project partner from the French National Research Agency (ANR), was also a speaker at this event as a key component of both ICPerMed and EP PerMed as well. As onsite attendees, Erika Sela and Joaquin Guinea from Innovatec, Spain (EU-Africa PerMed coordinators) and Maria Jose Ruiz from the Ministry of Health of Italy also participated in this High-Level meeting. EU-Africa PerMed consortium members participating in the Conference had the opportunity to closely interact with many ongoing initiatives and programmes significant to the project work, including the EDCTP programme and relevant Personalised Medicine infrastructures, as well as participate in the official launching of the new European Partnership for Personalised Medicine (EP-PerMed).



Figure 35. EU-Africa PerMed partners in the Conference on Personalised Medicine organised by the Spanish Presidency of the Council of the European Union, along with members of the European and Developing Countries Clinical Trials Partnership (EDCTP).



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4.6. AU-EU Innovation Agenda Hybrid Side Event

EU-Africa PerMed participated in the AU-EU Innovation Agenda Hybrid Side Event held in New York on **21 September 2022**, as part of UNGA77 Science Summit. This [event](#) was organised by the European Commission in close collaboration with the African Union Commission and our project partner AUDA-NEPAD.

4.7. AU-EU Innovation Agenda Stakeholder Event

In addition, members of the EU-Africa PerMed project assisted to the AU-EU Innovation Agenda Stakeholder Event, that took place in Nairobi (Kenya) **on the 23-24 November 2022**. In this last event, Teresia Nyawira from NACOSTI, also joined as a rapporteur of the Thematic Workshop on Public Health and highlighted the importance and potential of PM.



Figure 36. Teresia Nyawira from NACOSTI and member of EU-Africa PerMed project, during the AU-EU Innovation Agenda stakeholder event held in Nairobi (Kenya), Nov 2022.

4.8. Meeting of the Bureau the AU-EU High-Level Policy Dialogue on STI

The EU-Africa PerMed project was presented by Jean Luc Sanne (Officer of the European Commission Directorate General Research and Innovation) during an Internal meeting of the AU-EU High Level Policy Dialogue (HLPD) on Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) Bureau **on 29 September 2023**. It was a great opportunity to present the project to African and European policymakers involved in AU-EU Innovation Agenda, adopted on 19th July 2023. This Agenda represents the mainstay of the cooperation on Science, Technology and Innovation between Africa and Europe for the next decade, aiming to transform and increase the innovative capacities and achievements of European and African researchers and innovators into tangible outputs, such as products, services, businesses, and jobs.

4.9. 2nd SAMRC Sub-Saharan Africa Funders Forum

EU-Africa PerMed was presented by Monika Frenzel (ANR, France) during the **2nd SAMRC Sub-Saharan Africa Funders Forum on 20-21 November 2022** in Cape Town, South Africa, in the session 3: *Precision Medicine in Africa*. This session aimed at highlighting current activities and funding opportunities to develop the research and innovation capacity of pharmacogenomics, genomics/ proteomics, data science and implementation into health systems in Africa. The session was moderated by Rizwana Mia, SAMRC (South Africa).



4.10. World Science Forum

The different PM European initiatives related to ICPeMed and the EU-Africa PerMed project were presented at the **World Science Forum** on **6th of December 2022** in form of a selected side event with the title: *EU-Africa PerMed Consortium: Building links between Europe and Africa in Personalised Medicine*. The talk concerning the ICPeMed, ERA PerMed and ICPeMed family presentation was entitled: *“The vision from ICPeMed, the future outlook for international collaboration in PM”* and was presented by Monika Frenzel (ANR, France), while additional talks were given by Erika Sela (INNOVATEC, Spain), Rizwana Mia (SAMRC, South Africa), Paul Tanui (AUDA-NEPAD).

4.11. 13th Best Practice Forum

Our project partner, Dr. Godfrey Sama Philipo (ECSA-HC) presented the EU-Africa PerMed project in the 13th Best Practice Forum that took place **on 5-6 February 2023** in Maseru, Lesotho. This event was part of the Pre-Conference followed by the [71st Health Ministries Conference](#) that took place on 8-9 February. These were important on-site meetings that brought together Ministers of Health, Permanent/Principal Secretaries, Senior Officials from Ministries of Health, Experts, Researchers, Heads of Health Training Institutions and diverse Collaborating Partners in the region and beyond.

Dr. Godfrey Sama [presentation](#) took place in the Day 1 of the 13th Best Practice Forum.



Figure 37. Our project partner Godfrey Sama Philipo(ECSA-HC) presenting the EU-Africa PerMed project in the 13th Best Practice Forum in Maseru, Lesotho on 5 February 2023.

4.12. 2nd Multisectorial Conference on Science, Technology and Innovation

Our project partner, Teresia Nyawira (NACOSTI) participated in the 2nd Multisectorial Conference on Science, Technology and Innovation that took place on 23-26 May 2023. She made a presentation entitled *“Personalised Medicine as a tool for revolutionizing healthcare in Africa: an assessment of Kenyan research needs”* in Day 2 of this Conference on 24 May 2023. This scientific event had an hybrid format.

4.13. Science Summit of the 78th United Nations General Assembly

Our project partner, Rizwana Mia (SAMRC, South Africa) represented the project during the Science Summit around the 78th United Nations General Assembly (UNGA78) on that took place on **12-29 September 2023**. She participated in the session on: Agenda setting for the Genomics Centre of Excellence in Africa, including Research Cooperation and Capacity Building (Friday, 15 Sept 2023), in the roundtable discussion on *“Plenary*



Exploring Essential Partnerships in Advancing Genomic Initiatives". In her presentation, she highlighted the need for cross-border collaboration, regional development, and investment in scaled genomics programs.



Figure 38. Rizwana Mia presenting EU-Africa PerMed in the Science Summit of the 78th United Nations General Assembly

4.14. Biennial of Research, Innovation and Industrialization in Senegal

Our project partner Badara Cisse (IRESSEF) presented the results from the project mapping at the 1st Edition of the Biennial of Research, Innovation and Industrialization (*1ere Édition de la Biennale de la Recherche, de l'Innovation et de l'Industrialisation- BRIII*). This event took place on **28-30 November 2023**, in Senegal. Badara Cisse presented in Session 2 "*Personalised & Precision Medicine*", on 28 November 2023, with a presentation entitled: "*Personalised Medicine (PM) in Sub-Saharan Africa*".

5. Other communication and dissemination activities carried out by project partners

5.1 Peer review publication

WP3 Partner Rizwana Mia (SAMRC) is working with one of the members of the Advisory Board (Michèle Ramsey) to prepare a publication with the results of the Gaps and Needs assessment in African PM ecosystem, carried out in the 5 African regions and submitted as Deliverable D3.3. The first journal selected is *Global Health Action*. It will be a special publication dedicated to the topic, with articles focused on the results at regional level, and ending with a paper on mutual recommendations, linking to the EU-Africa Action plan.

5.2 Proposal to participate in 11th EDCTP Forum

EU-Africa PerMed submitted a proposal to organize a Scientific Symposium during the last EDCTP Science Forum in Paris (Nov 2023). The symposium was entitled: "*Advancing Cooperation for Personalised Medicine Research, Training, and Innovation between African and Europe: The EU-Africa PerMed Action Plan*". The request was formally submitted by our project partner Dr. Badara Cisse (IRESSEF, Senegal) but it was finally not selected to participate.



5.3 EU-Africa PerMed highlighted in EDCTP General Assembly

EU-Africa PerMed was mentioned by the European Commission representative Dr. Jan Paehler as one of the relevant activities by DG Research & Innovation, during the last meeting of the EDCTP Association General Assembly (GA), 25 May 2023.

6. EU-Africa PerMed news in external communication tools

6.1. Project news in project partners communication tools

6.1.1. ISCIII

There is a general description of the EU-Africa PerMed project on the ISCIII website in a section dedicated to international projects, available at

<https://www.isciii.es/QueHacemos/Internacional/Paginas/Proyectos.aspx>. This information was posted on 10th March 2023 in Spanish language.

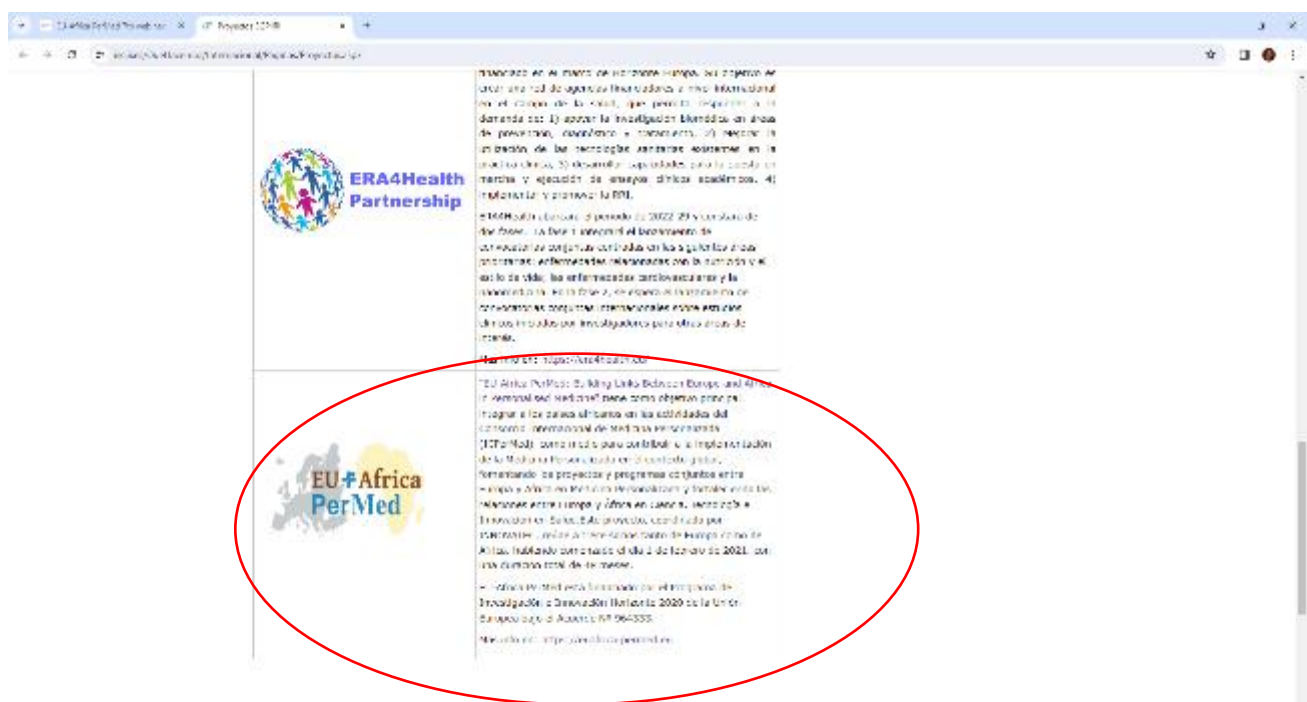


Figure 39. Screenshot of the description of EU-Africa PerMed on the ISCIII website.

Furthermore, the ISCIII website includes a section dedicated to its [newsletters](#) of international financing opportunities (in Spanish as well), some of which include information about EU-Africa PerMed events:

- In [Newsletter Nº 8 of March 2023](#), there is information about our 5th webinar “The Role of Health Technology Assessment in Personalised Medicine”.
- In [Newsletter Nº 11 of June 2023](#), there is information about our 6th Newsletter “Capacity Strengthening for research and implementation of Personalised Medicine”.
- In [Newsletter Nº14 of October 2023](#), there is information about our 2nd Summer School.

In addition, these newsletters are sent to ISCIII's Communication and Distribution List by email.

Also, an [announcement](#) about our 5th webinar was made in the ISCIII's news section, on 13 March 2023.



6.1.2. ECSA-HC

There is a general description of the EU-Africa PerMed project on ECSA-HC website, available at: <https://ecsahc.org/ecs-a-projects/>

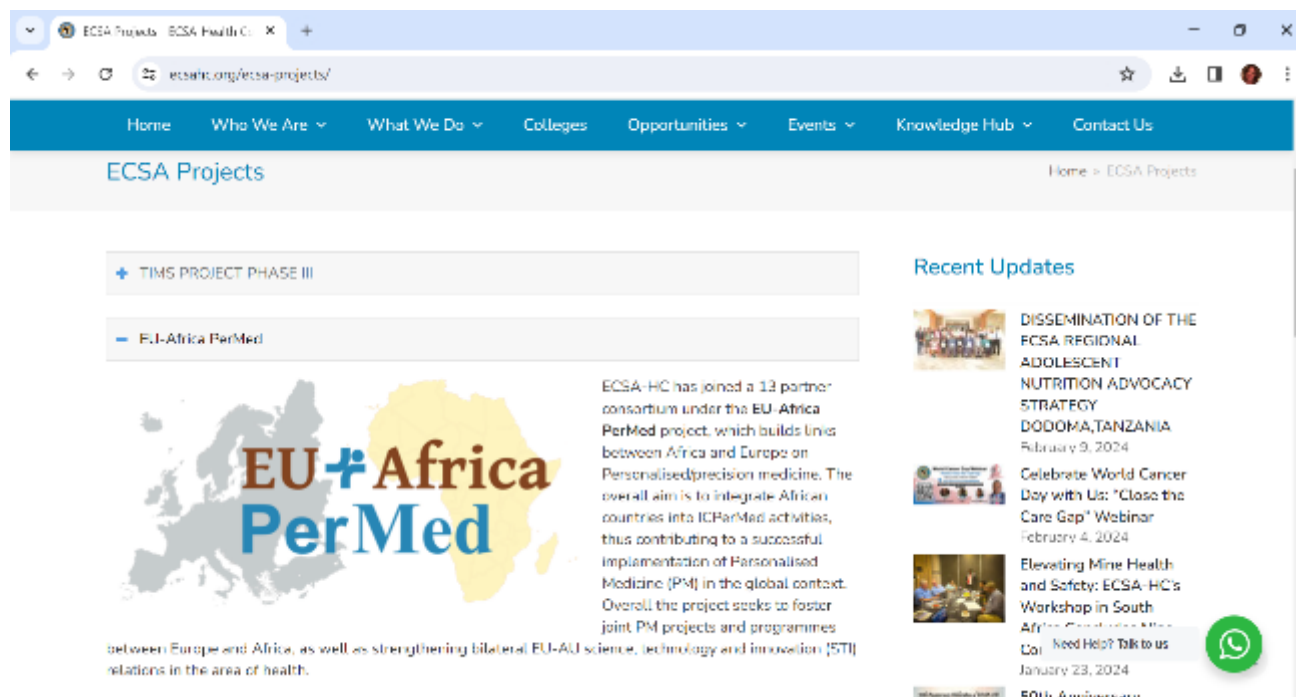


Figure 40. Screenshot of the description of EU-Africa PerMed on ECSA-HC website.

On 29th November 2022, ECSA-HC shared in its website the launch of the 3rd EU-Africa PerMed newsletter (<https://ecsahc.org/document/eu-africa-permed-newsletter-issue-3-nov/>).

On 6 February 2023, ECSA-HC shared a [news](#) of the presentation of Dr. Godfrey Sama Philipo in the 13th Best Practice Forum in its Twitter account.

6.1.3. ECRIN

ECRIN announced the 1st EU-Africa Summer School in its [website](#) on 12 December 2022, and also in its social media, Twitter (on 13 December 2022 and 3 January 2023) and LinkedIn (on 12 December 2022). ECRIN also shared the opening day and closing date of this event on Twitter and LinkedIn (on 22-23 March 2023).

A short summary of the event, which ECRIN hosted, was published in an [article](#) entitled "1st EU-Africa PerMed Summer School" and published on 27 February 2023 on its website.

6.1.4. NACOSTI

On 29 August 2022, our project partner NACOSTI published two documents in its website:

- The EU-Africa PerMed [first Policy Brief](#) entitled “*Opportunities to Advance Personalised Medicine in Africa*”.
- A [press release](#) entitled “Successful East Africa Personalised Medicine Stakeholders Workshop in Nairobi, Kenya”. It refers to the East Africa Stakeholder Workshop organised by the EU-Africa PerMed Consortium which took place in Nairobi, Kenya, on 13-14 July 2022.



6.1.5. APHRC

On 1st November 2022, APHRC announced on its Twitter account the [webinar](#) “Experiences, opportunities and challenges of implementing Personalised Medicine in Africa”.

On 16 January 2023, APHRC published a [blog article](#) in its website entitled “Personalised Medicine: Agenda of Global Significance from an African Vantage Point”. This article contains information about EU-Africa PerMed project as well as the definition of the Personalised Medicine approach and the need of implementing it in Africa.

On 27 June 2023, APHRC published on its YouTube account the [recording](#) of our 6th webinar: “Capacity Strengthening For Research and Implementation of Personalised Medicine”.

On 26 September 2023, APHRC announced our [2nd Summer School](#) in its Twitter account.

6.1.6. AUDA-NEPAD

The “EU-Africa Personalised Medicine Stakeholder Mapping Report” is available on the AUDA NEPAD website for downloading: <https://amrh.nepad.org/publication/eu-africa-personalised-medicine-stakeholder-mapping-report>

6.2. Project news in related initiatives communication tools

6.2.1. ICPeMed

Our project partner ANR is in charge of sharing news about EU-Africa PerMed in the ICPeMed Communication and Dissemination tools.

Three ICPeMed newsletters (available in the ICPeMed website and sent by email) included news from EU-Africa PerMed in this reported period:

- In ICPeMed Newsletter [November 2022](#): “EU-Africa PerMed – First regional workshop, E&T activities and SAMRC joins ICPeMed” (published on 09/12/2022).
- In ICPeMed Newsletter [May 2023](#): “EU-Africa PerMed – 2nd Stakeholder Workshop and 1st Summer School!” (published on 23/05/2023).
- In ICPeMed Newsletter [October 2023](#): “EU-Africa PerMed – Action Plan preparation and 2nd Summer School” (published on 11/10/2023).

Additionally, EU-Africa PerMed news are available on the ICPeMed website in the News section:

- “East Africa PM Regional Stakeholder workshop”, published on 23/08/2022.
- “CSA EU-Africa PerMed Webinar Series” published on 23/09/2022.
- “South African Medical Research Council joins ICPeMed”, published on 04/10/2022.
- “Webinar: Implementing Personalised Medicine in Africa”, published on 02/11/2022.
- “1st EU-Africa PerMed Summer School”, published on 19/12/2022.
- “EU-Africa PerMed Stakeholder Workshop & Summer School”, published on 02/03/2023.
- “EU-Africa PerMed Webinar: Health Technology Assessment”, published on 09/03/2023.
- “EU-Africa PerMed 7th Webinar on Empowering Patients as Partners in Clinical Research”, published on 09/10/23.
- “2nd EU-Africa PerMed summer school – open for registration”, published on 27/09/23.



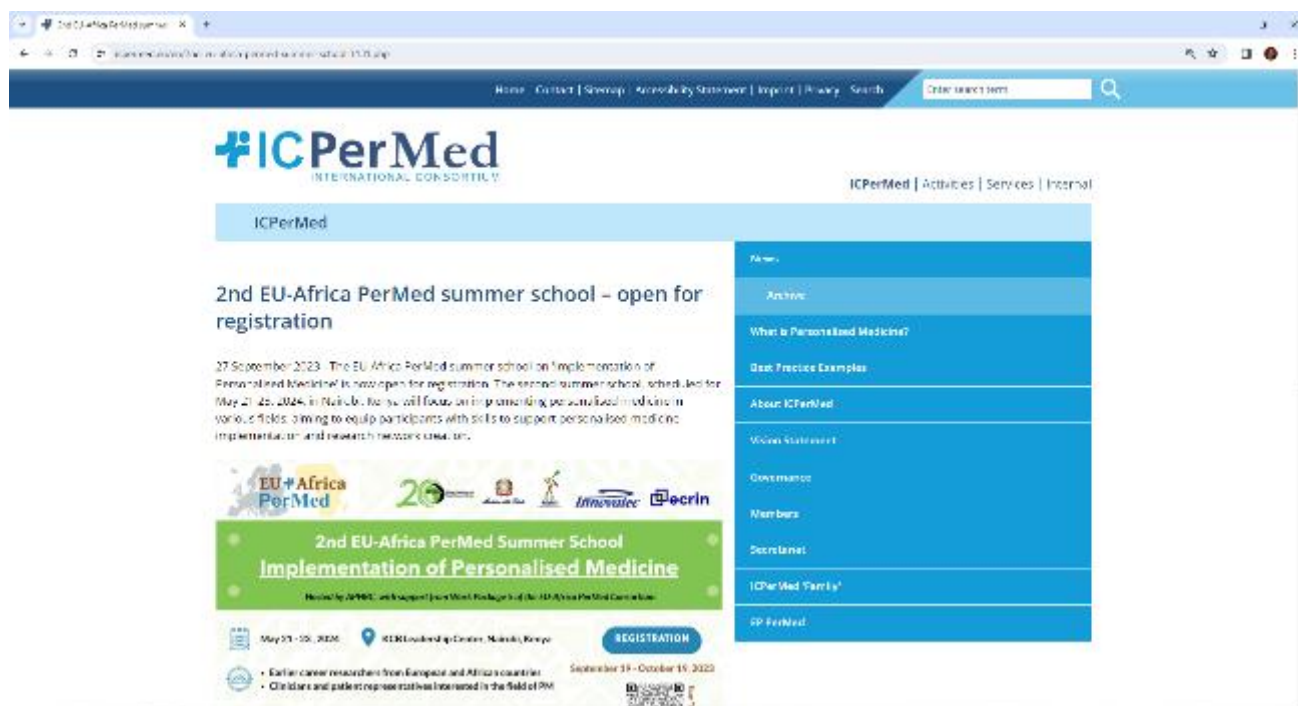


Figure 41. Last news of EU-Africa PerMed in ICPerMed website, announcing the 2nd EU-Africa Summer School.

Furthermore, there is a constant news sharing between EU-Africa PerMed and in social media, both in Twitter official accounts and LinkedIn pages.

6.2.2. ERA PerMed

The 1st EU-Africa PerMed Summer School was announced in the [9th ERAPerMed Newsletter](#), published on 19 January 2023.

Additionally, the 2nd EU-Africa PerMed Summer School was announced in ERA-PerMed's [news section](#) on 25 September 2023.

6.2.3. EDCTP

EU-Africa PerMed 2nd Summer School was announced in EDCTP Newsletter of September 2023. This newsletter is sent by email to subscribers, and it also appears in [PDF version](#) in EDCTP website.

6.2.4. ERA4Health

EU-Africa PerMed 7th webinar “Empowering Patients as Partners in Clinical Research” was announced in the [news section](#) of ERA4Health Website.



Annex 1. List of C&D activities included in the Monitoring File

In this Annex we include screenshots of the information contained in our Monitoring File, the tool used to collect all the C&D activities carried out by project partners. We present the activities for the period reported, from 1 August 2022 to 31 January 2024.



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	Type of Activity	Internal / External	Title	Partner	Description	Year	Date	Location	WP involved	Type of audience	no of audience	Language
1	presentations	External	ICPerMed ExCom meeting	ANR	update on project activities for the ICPerMed ExCom	2022	06/10/2022	physical and virt	WP4	Policy maker	20-50	English
2	presentations	External	ICPerMed ExCom meeting	ANR	update on project activities for the ICPerMed ExCom	2023	0-10/05/2023	Virtual	WP4	Policy maker	20-50	English
4	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed newsletter	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed – First regional workshop, E&T activities	2022	09/11/2022	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
5	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed newsletter	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed – 2nd Stakeholder Workshop and 1st Su	2023	23/05/2023	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
6	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed newsletter	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed – Action Plan preparation and 2nd Summ	2023	11/10/2023	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
7	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	East Africa PM Regional Stakeholder workshop	2022	23/08/2022	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
8	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed Stakeholder Workshop & Summer Schoo	2023	02/03/2023	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
9	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	CSA EU-Africa PerMed Webinar Series	2022	23/09/2022	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
10	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	South African Medical Research Council joins ICPerMed	2022	04/10/2022	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
11	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	Webinar: Implementing Personalised Medicine in Africa	2022	02/11/2022	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
12	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	1st EU-Africa PerMed Summer School	2022	15/12/2022	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
13	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed Webinar: Health Technology Assessment	2022	09/03/2023	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
14	publication on partner channels	External	ICPerMed website news	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed 7th Webinar on Empowering Patients as P	2022	09/10/2023	Virtual	WP4	All stakeholders	>200	English
15	presentations	External	2nd SAMRC Sub-Saharan Africa Funders Forum	ANR	EU-Africa PerMed was presented by Monika Frenzel in the s	2022	21/11/2022					
16	webinar	External	Capacity Strengthening For Research and Imple	APHRC	required for the successful implementation of PM and strat	2023	22/06/2023	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	100-200	English
17	Webinar	External	Experiences, Opportunities, and Challenges of k	APHRC	Announcement of Webinar	2022	23/12/22	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	50-100	English
18	publication on partner channels	External	Personalised Medicine: Agenda of Global Signifi	APHRC	After Webinar blog	2023	23/1/16	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
19	social media	External	Second EU-Africa PerMed Summer School on In	APHRC	Announcement of the second summer school	2023	26/09/2023	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
20	social media	External	Webinar Recording: Capacity Strengthening For	APHRC	Recording of Webinar	2023	27/06/2023	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	100-200	English
21	publication on partner channels	External	1st EU Africa PerMed Summer School	ECRN	Summary on the Summer School	2023	27/02/2023	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
22	social media	External	Announcement of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2022	13/12/22	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
23	publication on partner channels	External	Announcement of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2022	12/12/22	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
24	social media	External	Announcement of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2022	12/12/22	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
25	social media	External	Announcement of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2023	03/01/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
26	social media	External	Closing of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2023	23/03/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
27	social media	External	Closing of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2023	23/03/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
28	social media	External	First day of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2023	22/03/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English
29	social media	External	First day of the Summer School	ECRN	Promotion of the Summer School	2023	22/03/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakeholders	>200	English

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30	social media	External	Presentation at Stakeholder Workshop	ECRN	Promotion of the Stakeholder Workshop	2023	21/02/23	Virtual	WP3	All stakehold	>200	English	https://twitter.com/EC
31	social media	External	Presentation at Stakeholder Workshop	ECRN	Promotion of the Stakeholder Workshop	2023	21/02/23	Virtual	WP3	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.linkedin.com
32	publication on partner channels	External	The role of health technology assessment under	ECRN	Promotion of the webinar on HTA and PM	2023	10/03/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakehold	>200	English	https://ecrn.org/jaggr
33	social media	External	The role of health technology assessment under	ECRN	Promotion of the webinar on HTA and PM	2023	10/03/23	Virtual	WP5	All stakehold	>200	English	
34	publication on partner channels	Internal/External	EU Africa PerMed project launching	ECSA-HC	Announcement of project kick-off on ECSA website	2021	03/04/2021	Virtual	WP6	stakeholder	>200	English	https://www.ecsa-hc.org/medicines/
35	publication on partner channels	Internal/External	EU Africa PerMed project Newsletter	ECSA-HC	sharing of newsletter on ECSA website	2021	08/11/2021	virtual	WP6	stakeholder	>200	English	https://ecsa-hc.org/medicines/
36	publication on partner channels	Internal/External	EU Africa PerMed project Newsletter	ECSA-HC	sharing of newsletter on ECSA website	2022	03/11/2022	virtual	WP6	stakeholder	>200	English	https://ecsa-hc.org/medicines/
37	Poster Presentation	External	EU-Africa PerMed Poster presentation	ECSA-HC	Daresalaam	2022		Physical and Virt	WP6	community		English	
38	publication on partner channels	Internal/External	Information days	ECSA-HC	Announcement of information days on ECSA website	2021	23/11/2021	virtual	WP6	stakeholder		English	https://ecsa-hc.org/medicines/
39	publication on partner channels	Internal/External	stakeholder workshop in Nairobi, Kenya	ECSA-HC	meeting	2022		Physical and Virt	WP6	stakeholder	>200	English	https://www.ecsa-hc.org/medicines/
40	Flyers	Internal/External	Development of EU-Africa PerMed Flyers	ECSA-HC	stakeholder workshop in Cape Town and at ECSA-HC	2023			WP6	stakeholder		English	
41	presentations	Internal	Africa	ECSA-HC	tweeted	2023	06/02/2023	physical	WP6	makers	>200	English	https://twitter.com/EC
42	publication on partner channels	Internal/External	webinar series	ECSA-HC	challenges of implementing PM in Africa	2022	23/11/2022	virtual	WP6	community		English	
43	websites update	Internal/External	updating on ECSA-HC website	ECSA-HC	website that allows one to have access to the project	2021			WP6	stakeholder			
44	social media	Internal/External	tweet on EU-Africa PerMed Meeting in Paris	ECSA-HC	october 2022	2022	10/10/2022		WP6	community		English	
45	videos	Internal/External	Shared video on EU-Africa PerMed	ECSA-HC	Shared video on ECSA tweets	2022	26/09/2022		WP6	stakeholder		English	
46	social media	Internal/External	meeting	ECSA-HC	shared tweets about meeting	2022	12/07/2022		WP6	stakeholder		English	
47	Newsletter	Internal/External	3rd Newsletter	ECSA-HC	creation and distribution of the 3rd Newsletter by ECSA and	2022	01/11/2022	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.euafri
48	presentations	External	Coordinators Meeting of the ICPPerMed-related C	INNO	update on project activities for the ICPPerMed family CSAs	2023	10/01/2023	Virtual	WP1	Policy maker	20-50	English	
49	presentations	External	DSI-Africa - Data Science for Health in Africa Th	INNO	ntation of the EU-Africa PerMed project in the networking s	2023	3/5/23	Virtual	WP1	Scientific col	50-100	English	https://dsi-africa.org/
50	presentations	External	Meeting of the Bureau the AU-EU High-Level Po	INNO	project was presented during the meeting by Jean Luc Sanne	2023	29/09/2023	physical and virtual	WP1	Policy makers		English	Internal meeting of th
51	Presentation	External	Participation in the 1st International Annual Wor	INNO	aimed at creating synergies with other related initiatives sh	2023	09/06/2023	virtual	WP1	Scientific col	100-200	English	1st International Annu
52	presentations	External	PerMedNA annual meeting	INNO	the EU-Africa PerMed project in the Annual meeting of the P	2023	15/3/23	Hybrid	WP1	Scientific col	50-100	English	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PerMedNAannualmeeting
53	bilateral meeting with stakeholder	External	Participation in EP PerMed Open Consultation	INNO	Guinea were interviewed in summer 2022 to provide input	2022	01/06/2022	Virtual	WP1			English	
54	bilateral meeting with stakeholder	External	Meeting with Inspire2Live	INNO	E. Sela and M. Ruiz (Mobi-It and WP5 leader) had a telco with	2023	11/09/2023	Virtual	WP1			English	
55	presentations	External	ICPerMed Workshop: Preparing the future for Pe	INNO	Joaquin Guinea (Innovatec, Spain), presented the project in	2023	17/01/2023	physical and Virt	WP1			English	
56	presentations	External	World Science Forum	INNO	Plans were green by winning H2020 project under zero	2022	06/12/2022						
57	presentations	External	Biennial of Research, Innovation and Industrial	IRFS/IFE	Barbara Cisse (IRFS/IFE), presented the results from the con	2023	26/11/2023						



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57	presentations	External	Biennial of Research, Innovation and Industrializ	IRESESEF	Badara Cisse (IRESESEF), presented the results from the proje	2023	26/11/2023							
58	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	2nd EU-Africa Summer School deadline to apply	ISCII	2nd Summer School registration deadline reminder	2023	16/10/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
59	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	6th EU-Africa PerMed webinar Capacity Strengt	ISCII	Announcement of the 6th webinar to the C&D List	2023	08/06/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
60	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	EU-Africa PerMed 2nd summer school Impleme	ISCII	Announcement of the 2nd Summer School to the C&D List	2023	25/09/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
61	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	EU-Africa PerMed Newsletter N°4	ISCII	Distribution of the 4th Newsletter by email to the C&D List	2023	19/05/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
62	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	EU-Africa PerMed Newsletter N°5	ISCII	Distribution of the 5th Newsletter by email to the C&D List	2023	19/11/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
63	flyers	External	EU-Africa PerMed second flyer	ISCII	Preparation by ISCII and INNO of the 2nd flyer	2023	30/09/2023	physical and virt	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.euafri	
64	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	EU-Africa PerMed upcoming webinar: "Empower	ISCII	Announcement of the 7th webinar to the C&D List	2023	11/10/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
65	Mail dissemination	Internal/External	nar: The Role of Health Technology Assessment in	ISCII	Announcement of the 5th webinar to the C&D List	2023	27/03/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English		
66	biateral meeting with stakeholder	Internal/External	Meeting with PerMedina Comm&Diss manager	ISCII	collaboration with PerMedina project for Comm&diss activite	2023	16/5/23	Virtual	WP6	Scientific cor	<20	English	Project coordinator (I	
67	Newsletter	Internal/External	4th Newsletter	ISCII	distribution of the 4th newsletter by email and PDF on the w	2023	19/05/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.euafri	
68	Newsletter	Internal/External	5th Newsletter	ISCII	distribution of the 5th newsletter by email and PDF on the w	2023	17/11/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.euafri	
69	Project video	External	First project video (english)	ISCII	act video entitled "EU Africa PerMed: Building Links Between	2022	29/11/2022	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.euafri	
70	Project video	External	First project video (french)	ISCII	o entitled "EU Africa PerMed: Building Links Between EU & A	2022	29/11/2022	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	French	https://www.youtube.c	
71	Project video	External	Second project video	ISCII	video entitled "EU-Africa PerMed Promoting Personalised M	2022	24/10/2022	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.youtube.c	
72	publication on partner channels	External	General description of the EU-Africa PerMed	ISCII	general description of the EU-Africa PerMed in ISCII website	2023	10/03/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	Spanish	https://www.iscii.es/C	
73	publication on partner channels	External	Publication on ISCII newsletter	ISCII	information about our 5 th webinar "The Role of Health Techn	2023	March 2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	Spanish	https://www.iscii.es/C	
74	publication on partner channels	External	Publication on ISCII newsletter	ISCII	information about our 5 th Newsletter "Capacity Strengthenin	2023	June 2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	Spanish	https://www.iscii.es/C	
75	publication on partner channels	External	Publication on ISCII newsletter	ISCII	information about our 2 nd Summer School.	2023	October 2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	Spanish	https://www.iscii.es/C	
76	publication on partner channels	External	Publication on ISCII news section	ISCII	information about our 5 th webinar "The Role of Health Techn	2023	13/03/2023	Virtual	WP6	All stakehold	>200	Spanish	https://www.iscii.es/C	
77	presentations	External	ICPerMed family meeting	NACOSTI	wira) and APHRC (Evelyn Gitau) uring the session on Intern	2023	19/10/2023	Virtual			90-100	English	Internal ICPerMed me	
78	Policy Brief	External	Opportunities to advance PM in Africa	NACOSTI	Opportunities to Advance PM in Africa	2022	29/8/2022	virtual	WP2	All stakehold	>200	English	nacosti.go.ke/nacosti.g	
79	oral presentation in a scientific even	External	Personalised Medicine as a Tool for Revolution	NACOSTI	the National Multisectoral Conference on Science, Technolog	2023	24/5/23	Hybrid	WP5	All stakehold	90-100	English	https://www.nacosti.g	
80	articles published in the popular pres	External	Personalised Medicine: why some drugs may no	NACOSTI	semination of East Africa PM Stakeholders meeting discuss	2022	02/08/2022	virtual/physical	WP3	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.the-star.c	
81	press releases	External	Successful East Africa Personalised Medicine S	NACOSTI	semination of East Africa PM Stakeholders meeting discuss	2022	29/8/2022	virtual/physical	WP6	All stakehold	>200	English	https://www.naco	
82	presentations	External	AU-EU Innovation Agenda Stakeholder Event	NACOSTI	Teresia Nyawira joined as a rapporteur of the Thematic Work	2022	23/11/2023	Physical				English		
83	presentations	External	Spanish Presidency event The influence of Pers	SAMRC	ance, representing the project. Project flyer was also shared	2023	04/10/2023	ysical and virtual		All stakehold	100-200	English	https://cluster1event	
84	presentations	External	Science Summit of the 78th United Nations Gene	SAMRC	Rizwana Mia (SAMRC, South Africa) represented the project	2023	16/09/2023	Virtual				English		



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