



The voice of voluntary sports organisations in Europe

1. Building bridges

Promoting European integration & participation in democratic life through sport

European network of information

Platform of knowledge and experience

2. Voice of grassroots sport

Defending the general interest of voluntary sports movement at European level

Defending common political positions

3. Advocacy for sport issues to European decision-makers

Sustainable financing of grassroots sport

Social role of sport

health-enhancing physical activity (HEPA)
education, training, employment, volunteering
active citizenship and social inclusion

Integrity of sport

good governance
gender equality
fight against match-fixing
active citizenship and social inclusion

4. Answer to common challenges

ENGSO projects seek answers to common challenges.

Due to recent globalisation and internationalisation of sport, ENGSO's aspirations have been relevant not just in the European arena, but also in national, regional or local contexts.

5. Promoter of youth in sport

"Young people must be given an opportunity to participate in the planning of their own activities and must be urged to take co-responsibility."

ENGSO Guidelines for Children and Youth Sport 1998