



The INTERGENERATIONAL VIRTUAL VILLAGE, IVV

**Intergenerational Telementoring
for Longevity, Friendship & Peace**

Scientific Observations :

- There is a **Significant INCREASED ISOLATION**

In Seniors: +77% “social deaths”, 2017 to 2021



- In Youth (15-24yrs), depression:

From 4% in 2014 to 22% in 2020 (INSERM-DREES)

- ISOLATION leads to frailty, chronic disease, and a costly loss of autonomy



- **SOCIAL INVOLVEMENT**
is the primary Proven Factor for Longevity
(CNRS, PM Lledo, 2022: genes are protected)



- The **Intergenerational Virtual Village**
is an innovative solution



Is there **ONE** Solution which can bring it altogether?

A. For seniors : A sense of *usefulness*, and a *motivation to socialise*, thereby preventing their frailty:

« What I discovered is wonderful, an elder who is even more active than me, with whom I learned a lot and who became my friend! ”

Léah Gunnell (Student)



« The programme introduced another person into my life. Altogether it was a most enjoyable and enlightening experience for which I am grateful »

Bill Cleghorn (Senior)

Is there **ONE** Solution which can bring it altogether? cont'd

B. For young people, socio-professional integration, an increase in self-confidence, and plans into their future

"I enjoy the most: interacting with a senior who has more experience in the world and could explain such things in the world as a day at the job, working for a long period of time and surviving in the real world."

"I thank you all very much for allowing me to play a role in this program that I know will be very successful!!"

Husam Alsousi (Student)

- The rapid and unexpected emergence of **joyful friendships and discoveries**

"This is a wonderful experience and it made the end of my summer ten times more amazing than before. Keep up the good work with this program and never give up!"

Natalie Mesnic (Student)



- **Protection from harassment.**
- **Societal tolerance and peace**
“I made a friend in exactly 8 hours!” Bill Cleghorn (Senior)

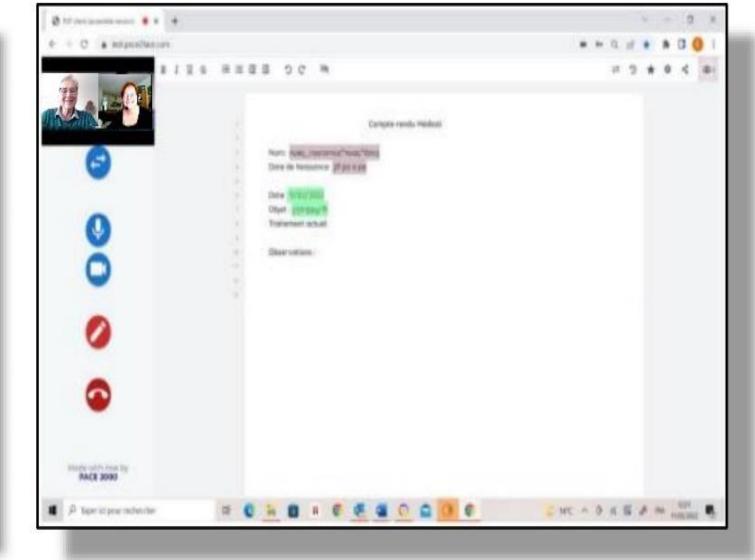
AND

- **Durable Economic savings!**
 - in the prevention of frailty and
 - in youth's program employment

(Today in France 39 billion Euros/yr are allocated to combat frailty, CNSA)

and YES it works:

- ONE simple, intuitive technological “4D” Innovation**



- FOR ALL AGES,**



**at one hour a week
for 7 weeks**

Of appropriately chosen
intergenerational pairs



AND/OR connecting two generations in groups



Objectives:

This Unique Economic Solution,

The VIRTUAL INTERGENERATIONAL VILLAGE

Generates Longevity, Friendship & Peace

needs to become a public service

As an Institution or a State Foundation:

One PC Station

- in every school/college
- in every senior's club and LTC residence
- with coaching by InterGenerational Coordinators

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