## **Bollenti Spiriti**



Project author or developer: **Regione Puglia** 

Where:

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Website:

bollentispiriti.regione.puglia.it/

## A regional initiative to encourage youth creativity and employment

Bollenti Spiriti (IT): the project "Bollenti Spiriti― ("hot spirits―) is a measure of the region Puglia, a region with chronic problems related to youth unemployment and lack of investment capital, with the purpose of building a community of reference for young people and new, creative ideas of progress. For example, the initiative of "principi attivi― (active principles) a system of grant funding, provides an initial capital of EUR 25000 for each considered worthy idea to create jobs and opportunities for development. In 4 years, this measure registered a considerable success as to attract the attention of the European Union to include these procedures in their calls for funding for youth policies.Â



