WHAT IS AGUJA?

- Development Association Gúgar-Javalambre: It was created in 2002 to improve the socio-economic development of the municipalities that make up the region of Gúdar Javalambre through LEADER programs.

- LEADER (Liaisons Between Activités de Développement de L'Economie Rural - Relationships between Actions for the Development of Rural Economy) is a community support program in place since 1990 for all regions of Europe upon request. It is characterized in our country to be used to subsidize investments businesses located in any rural municipality.

- The association consists of a representation of public officials (municipal, county, DGA) and private (companies, partnerships and legal persons) residing in the counties of Gúdar Javalambre (Téruel).
WHAT DO WE DO?

- We used an innovative methodology in which the decision on the fate of economic aid to support the creation and maintenance of companies, public and private actors take the territories.

- We conducted a non-profit projects and are not performed by other public or private structures, assuming a real boost to the economic development of the area. Such as cooperation and development projects on environment, heritage, youth, women, etc..

- AGUJA has also allowed to establish a permanent forum for participation, discussion and decision making on everything of interest for the future of our people, our culture and our people.
WHERE WE OPERATE?

The region of Gúdar Javalambre, belonging to the province of Teruel, was established in December 2001. The initiative of creating this region is based on the existence of territorial ties, historical, economic, social and cultural relations between the municipalities that form, in the convenience of intermunicipal management of services to be provided and on their economic viability.
The region of Gúdar Javalambre lives mostly the 'services sector'. Armed with a long tourist tradition. Having two ski seasons, with perfectly preserved monumental towns, cultural traditions and festivities of every kind and welcoming people, all within an exceptional natural setting with breathtaking mountains, rivers and valleys.

It is also important to the farming sector, which provides employment to a significant number of people, from the traditional ranching and farming until the emergence of a thriving meat processing industry: manufacture of sausages and mainly ham processing, also work has given prestige to our region for its quality.
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WHY NOW DEVELOP A PROJECT AIMED AT RURAL WOMEN?

❖ Progressive demographic and economic decline of rural

❖ Masculinization of the rural population

❖ Ageing Population
The progressive demographic and economic decline of rural smaller is motivated by the continuing shift of labor from the agricultural to the industrial sector and the services sector of the closest urban areas. This situation has contributed decisively to the exodus of rural women because it has been one of the fastest collective has been affected by emigration in search of a job they did not find in their environment, especially in the case younger women and prepared.
# MASCULINIZATION OF THE RURAL POPULATION


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In Teruel the number of males is higher than the female population by 3%.

The lowest rates of number of women in proportion to the number of men, match rural areas with fewer opportunities. In Gudar Javalambre are 83.2 women per 100 men, is one of the lowest rates of Aragon.
If we analyze the age pyramids most notable differences are in the intermediate sections, corresponding to the active and fertile age women, and Javalambre Gudar, the male population in the age group between 20-54 years surpasses one female 17.20% to.
AGEING POPULATION

The average age of women has clear implications for the reproductive capacity Aragon clearly shown in the Indices of Motherhood, with values lower than the Spanish average already low.

But these rates down much more in rural areas as Gúdar and Javalambre, leading to a structural imbalance, with impacts on the potential for development and birth rates well below the regional average, and even not reaching the rate of 5 births per thousand inhabitants.


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WHAT CAN WE DO?

✈ search for new sources of employment

✈ specific job creation for young women

✈ creating more social resources and meaningful employment while

✈ provide opportunities and support programs to encourage older women to participate in cultural, economic, political and social

✈ provide infrastructure and resources needed to make it possible for older people in general and women in particular, may have an unmet need, especially when it affects their attention to social, cultural and economic
WHAT ARE WE DOING FROM AGUJA?

In March 2012 we organized the I WOMEN MEETING OF THE REGION.

We bring together more than 100 women of all municipalities in our region who discussed and proposed measures on the following areas:

- Status of women in each municipality
- Employment status of women in each municipality
- Status of women in the region
- Need to create a regional network of women
From the results collected we saw the need for action. And so in 2013 AGUJA participates in the cooperation project onshore CONCILIA whose objectives are:

- Promote active participation
- Promote social and professional integration of rural women
- Create resources to facilitate family reconciliation, work and personal
- Develop actions to improve equal opportunities in the region
Concilia

PROYECTO COOPERACIÓN INTRATERRITORIAL

Estrategias para impulsar la inserción socio laboral y el empoderamiento de la mujer en el Medio Rural

Se está hablando mucho del papel que desempeñan las mujeres del medio rural y en los últimos años se ha reivindicado el papel protagonista que juega este colectivo en su desarrollo. Se reivindican sus derechos como trabajadoras, su derecho a la igualdad de oportunidades, a la formación, al acceso a recursos, al poder y a la toma de decisiones.... Se enfrenta a una doble dificultad por el hecho de ser mujeres y vivir en el medio rural.

Objetivo general

Promover la participación activa de la mujer en el mercado de trabajo, en la inserción socio laboral.

Líneas de trabajo

* Conciliación.
* Integración laboral y autoempleo.
* Empoderamiento.
* Igualdad de oportunidades.
* Medidas contra la violencia de género.
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