

## ATDAL OVER 40: 15 YEARS, AND COUNTING

On June 11<sup>th,</sup> 2017 at Teatro Lo Spazio in Rome, Italy, ATDAL Over 40 celebrated its 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary (2002 – 2017), with a great evening of video clips, interviews, success stories, short theatre performances and a rock concert by DGA Band .... all made in-house! Photos and videos have been uploaded on the FB page of the event (link: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/events/289614201464838">https://www.facebook.com/events/289614201464838</a>)

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**ATDAL Over 40** (short for "Associazione nazionale per la tutela dei diritti dei lavoratori over 40" - National Association for the protection of the rights of workers aged 40 +) is a non-profit entity established in Milan in 2002 by a group of unemployed citizens, forced to leave their jobs as a consequence of dismissals or individual resignations and not yet entitled to receive a pension from the State welfare system.

ATDAL Over 40 has been engaging political parties, public authorities and mass media by carrying out projects and actions aimed at helping 40+ unemployed people to re-enter the job market and lobbying to expand the current welfare protection system. ATDAL Over 40 also develops educational and information campaigns to raise awareness and effect behavioral change among employers, older learners and workers as well as the general public.

The purposes of ATDAL Over 40 are:

- To represent senior workers (aged 40 to 65) faced with hurdles that prevent them from to reentering the job market, and to address the consequences that such situations can bring about (family crises, social downsides, depression-related illnesses, etc.);
- To lobby for legislative solutions in the field of job regulation, aimed at protecting senior workers forced out of the job market while still far from retirement age;
- To lobby for legislative solutions aimed at: making it easier for senior workers to reach the right to retire, using State and local welfare instruments in their favor, and overcoming obstacles that arise from outdated laws which have become inadequate to the Italian economy and society:

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- To demonstrate and enhance senior workers' professional skills and expertise;
- To support and ease the re-hiring of unemployed senior people;
- To promote networking and business/start-up cooperation among members.

For more information (in Italian) please visit ATDAL website: <a href="www.atdal.eu">www.atdal.eu</a>



## **PHOTO-GALLERY:**

(banner)



## (programme)

## (translation)



Presentation by actress Cristina Aubry and videoclip by Dario Paoletti

15 years of ATDAL Over 40 – by President Walter Deitinger

Our partnership with ATDAL Over 40 - by Giuseppe Mocerino, Netgroup CEO

"How I made it thanks to ATDAL Over 40" - members' success stories

A show by Graziano Marcelli ("March for a signature against unemployment")

Performance by artists of Cristina Aubry's Theatre School

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Buffet Rock Concert by DGA Band