



Waste management curricula development through partnership with public and private sector

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The closing ceremony of the WamPPP conference was held on the "Golden Heart" boat in Belgrade. Apart from the representatives of the partner P1-P13, numerous guests attended the closing ceremony from the RS economy, as well as representatives of the MPNTR and representatives of the embassies of the partner countries of the project, as well as the project's media friends. Over 70 people attended the closing ceremony.

The goal of this conference was to bring WamPPP's results closer to all policy makers in the field of Waste Management in order to make the results achieved more accessible to the wider population and make the basis for some systemic changes. In addition, the idea of the gathering was to show through the examples of good practice developed countries results that would, along with the results of the WamPPP project, point to some directions in seeking essential solutions in this field.

The meeting was attended by state secretary of the Ministry of Environment Protection, Ivan Karić, representatives of the Environmental Protection Agency, representatives of the Embassies of Greece and the Republic of Macedonia, attaches for economic relations of Swiss embassy, representatives of the EU office in the Republic of Serbia. Representative of the National Erasmus Office in Serbia and others

At the beginning of the meeting, all present partners and guests contacted the project coordinator Dr Aleksandra Boričić, who welcomed everyone first and welcomed all the guests on behalf of the consortium with a few words to the WamPPP project, its goals and significant results.

After addressing Dr. Aleksandra Boričić, Darko Milogorić addressed the gathering in front of NEO RS office. Mr. Milogorić introduced the participants to the activities of the National Erasmus Office as well as to the future position of Serbia within the Erasmus Project as well as other projects financed by the

Prof. Dejan Blagojević, as project manager, spoke about WamPPP experiences, and the contribution of the WamPPP project in the sector of Waste management in Serbia. The WamPPP project encompassed essential needs in one place and ensured the synergy of educational institutions, local self-government, economy, institutions on the one hand and science, technology and professions on the other. The significance of the accusation of a stinging master has been emphasized many times. Prof. Blagojević presented the results and outcomes of all activities and gave a special review of the so-called "Added values" of WamPPP project. In his conclusion, he particularly emphasized the importance of the multi-disciplinary and interdisciplinary character of WamPPP. He also presented various aspects of the sustainability of project results, inviting representatives of the legislative and executive authorities to cooperate closely with representatives of higher education institutions in future activities. Also in his presentation, Prof Blagojević reflected on the course of the negotiation chapter 27 and the European Commission's Progress Report of the Republic of Serbia for 2017, which outlined a series of criticisms of unsatisfactory results in the field of waste management

Professor Filip Kokalj, representative of the P8, presented his experiences on the role of higher education in improving the state of waste management through the energy potential of waste and presented the experience of managing waste streams in the Republic of Slovenia. In addition, Prof. Kokalj, said the excuse of the city of Ljubljana as the "zero waste" of the European capital.

Prof. Petros Samaras, representative of the P10, gave a presentation of the situation in the area of wastewater management, in the Republic of Greece. Prof. Samaras presented new trends based on the



optimization of all stages of the process. He also pointed out that in such complex areas it is not possible to apply instant solutions, but that a long-term systemic work is needed.

After the presentation, a discussion was opened, which concluded that all present partners and guests will help in promotion and sustainability of WamPPP results.

By sailing along the Sava River, the WamPPP project is closed definitely.

The meeting was closed at 14:00.

Report compiled

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Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of the consortium of the project "Waste management curricula development in partnership with public and private sector - WamPPP", 561821 EPP-1-2015-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP, we invite you to the final conference, which will take place in Belgrade on September 27, 2018, starting at 11:00am on the boat "Golden Heart". The WamPPP project is financed by EACEA in the period from 2015 until 2018. Five higher education institutions from EU (ATEITH Thessaloniki, Greece; TUC Crete, Greece; VŠB University of Ostrava, Czech Republic; Faculty of Engineering, Maribor, Republic of Slovenia; St. Kliment Ohridski, Bitola, Republic of Macedonia) gave a great contribution in project realization.

In addition to significant investments for the implementation of EU acquis in the field of environment, a strong and well-equipped administration at the national and local levels needs developed and technologically prepared resources in the education system. The WamPPP project has in one place encompassed essential needs and secured the synergy of educational institutions, local self-governments, economies, institutions on one hand, and science, technology and professions on the other. The rapid and efficient transfer of knowledge and technology from education to the economy, as well as raising awareness about the importance of waste management as an important segment of the overall development of our society and progress in Chapter 27 are the most important results of our work in the past three years. The analysis and development of new systems for the collection and disposal of all types of waste, the development of priority infrastructure projects in this field, the importance of the regional approach, the improvement of the legal regulation, valuable experiences from the EU are some of the specific goals that WamPPP has achieved.

At this gathering, we are planning to present some of these results, innovative solutions, as well as the contribution of WamPPP results to the advancement of the negotiation chapter 27. And to encourage further activities and cooperation that are in the end aimed at achieving the desired standards in the Republic of Serbia, this extremely important segment of our development is one of the key elements of the sustainability of our project.

Experiences of the role in higher education in improving the situation in the field of waste management will also be presented, as well as the latest trends in this area from the perspective of eminent scholars from the Republic of Slovenia and the Republic of Greece.

We expect that your presence and partnership will contribute to the sustainability of the achieved results and that we will permanently improve the situation in this area by means of concerted action.



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We hope that you will take part in this event.

Kind regards,

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AGENDA

Belgrade, 27th September 2018

11:15-12:00	Registration of the participants	
12:00-12:05	Opening address	Prof Aleksandra Boričić
12:10-12:15	Welcoming address by representative of National Erasmus + office	Darko Milogoric National Erasmus office project officer
12:10-12:25	WamPPP experiences	Prof Dejan Blagojević
12:25-12:40	Energy potentials and experiences of waste in Republic of Slovenia	Prof Filip Kokalj University of Maribor, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering
12:40-12:55	Wastewater management and perspectives	Prof Petros Samaras, University of Aristotle, Thessaloniki
12:55-13:10	Discussion	
13:10-14:00	Cocktail	