Introducing Problem Based Learning in Moldova: Toward Enhancing

Students' Competitiveness and Employability (PBLMD)

Consortium Meeting

Oct 23-26, 2017

Venue: Technical University of Moldova, Stefan cel Mare 168, room 205.

TUESDAY, OCT 24 (Consortium Meeting)

09:00 - 12:00 Meeting opens (participants: management team; EU partners; task force leaders; external quality auditors)

1. State of the union

- a. WP development and implementation
 - i. Overview (RVT)
 - ii. WP2-4 status study and pedagogical, incl., deadlines for remaining WPs (LB)
 - iii. WP5: Implementation (TFLs, 5 min each progress to-date, challenges, issues; RVT, presents Study Programme Sustainability Strategy Template for discussion and approval, incl., DL; LB, presents a draft teaching evaluation template for discussion; John Reilly, presents key points from the evaluation of the Education Framework)
 - iv. WP7: Dissemination (**RVT**, presents Agency concerns; **TFLs**, 5 min present their 2017-2018 dissemination plans for approval)

b. Project management (WP8)

- i. Budget and reporting (**IMS**, revision, status, interim reporting, 2nd pre-financing)
- ii. Budget model, co-financing (IMS)

c. Staff mobility

- i. To EU and MD partners: teaching and training (LB)
- ii. To EU and MD partners: budget, incl., extra-mobility, budget optimization (IMS)
- iii. Opportunity for extra staff mobility MD-EU (IMS)

d. Student mobility

- To EU partners (IMS, budget, agreements and documents, existing and to be prepared;
 LB, allocation of student mobilities among EU partners, 90 students each 5 months)
- ii. Detailed discussion in the Action Plans section

e. Quality assurance (WP6)

- i. External experts reporting (John Reilly)
- ii. Internal experts reporting (EU project partners)

2. Action plans and respective deadlines

- a. <u>Study Programme Sustainability Strategies/WP5</u> (RVT)
- b. <u>Revised PBL study programmes, teaching evaluation/WP5</u> (**TFLs**)
- c. Pedagogical Training Programmes/WP4 (TFLs)



- d. Pedagogical Training Programme Sustainability Strategies/WP5 (TFLs)
- e. <u>Staff mobility from EU to MD in Spring 2018/SMS</u> (**EU partners/TFLs**, initiate the dialogue that is to be continued on Wed afternoon after the Annual General meeting)
- f. <u>Dissemination/communication plans, incl., outputs and deadlines/WP7</u> (TFLs)
- g. <u>Preparation for Student Mobility</u> (**LB/TFLs**, see details here http://www.pblmd.aau.dk/special-mobility-strand/student-mobility/)
- h. Allocation of student mobilities among EU partners (RVT/ALL)
- i. Quality assurance/WP6 (JR)

COFFEE BREAKS IN BETWEEN 10.00-10.30

12:00 - 12:45 Lunch

PBL TRAINING ROOMS LAUNCHING, Venue: Technical University of Moldova, Campus on Studentilor, 9/9 13:30 - 13:45 Welcome to the Launching - rector of TUM, prof. Viorel BOSTAN

13:45 - 14:05 Project presentation. Activities overview - project coordinator from AAU, ass. prof. Romeo V. TURCAN

14:05 - 14:25 Study Program Presentation - ass. prof. Dumitru CIORBA, head of Software Engineering and Automatics Department (SEAD)

14:25 - 15:00 Using ICT tools in the project mentoring session - lecturer Rostislav Călin, SEAD

15:00 - 16:30 Meeting continues (participants: management team; EU partners; task force leaders; external quality auditors)

WEDNESDAY, OCT 25 (Communication, Dissemination, Implementation, SMS)

- 08:30 10:00 External quality auditors and EU partners discuss with study program and pedagogical teams (participants: management team; study program and pedagogical teams)
- 10:00 10:30 Coffee break
- 10:00 11:00 Press-conference (participants: management team; study program leaders. The conference will take place at IPN, Casa Presei, 4 floor)
- 11:30 13:00 Lunch
- **13:00 14.30** Annual general meeting (participants: management team; all MD teams; EU partners, business partners; Ministry of ECR; ANACIP; external quality auditors; national ERASMUS+ office; other ERASMUS+ projects)
- 14:30 15:00 Coffee break
- **15:00 17.00 Implementation and SMS meeting (participants**: management team; task force teams; study program teams; pedagogical program teams; EU partners; external quality auditors).

