

Project number	2009-1-LV2-ERA10-00717	
Country/National Agency of the project coordinator	Latvia [LV2]	
Title	Environment Awareness, Communication, Interpretation	
Year when first awarded an IP grant (funding available for maximum 3 years)	2009	
Subject area code	342 - Marketing and advertising 812 - Travel, tourism and leisure 85 - Environmental protection	
Description	<p>The main aim of organizing Erasmus IP "Environment Awareness. Communication. Interpretation" is to create intensive international study opportunity for its participants about a topical and sensitive matter of environment awareness, particularly focusing on different communication tools how to increase environmental awareness for diverse target groups. The thematic area of the intensive programme uses multidisciplinary approach and will involve such fields as communication, environment, nature protection, economic, tourism and sustainable development. The target groups of the intensive summer programme are both tourism and environment, as well as communication and PR students from participant institutions. As well as that, the summer programme will involve teachers from the partner institutions that will share their experience and knowledge concerning the subjects addressed by the intensive programme. The added value for the intensive programme is both in terms of international classroom where different perspectives from different countries will be analysed and compared, but also in terms of varied student and teacher profile. The main activities of the intensive programme are as follows: finalisation of the intensive programme content, development of project webpage, preparation activities for the implementation of the summer course, realization of the summer course "Environment Awareness. Communication. Interpretation" consisting of lectures, practical workshops, group works and field trips, dissemination of project results and reporting. Expected results of the summer course: international summer course organized and delivered as a joint module providing recognised ECTS points for the participants, developed project webpage including the projects developed by the participating students, feedback from the participating students and teachers.</p>	
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Partners	NL BREDA10 NHTV Breda University of Applied Sciences - NL SF HELSINK40 HAAGA-HELIA ammattikorkeakoulu - FI TR AYDIN01 Adnan Menderes University - TR	
LLP Grant	22.100,00 €	
Planned number of students	25	
Working language	EN-English	
Activity duration - Location	Activity duration (in days): 11 Location: Valmiera, Latvia Activity duration (in days): N/A Location: N/A	Activity duration (in days): N/A Location: N/A

Project number	2009-1-LV2-ERA10-00719
Country/National Agency of the project coordinator	Latvia [LV2]
Title	International Training Course on Central Themes of European Social Dialogue
Year when first awarded an IP grant (funding available for maximum 3 years)	2007
Subject area code	31 - Social and behavioural science 312 - Sociology and cultural studies 762 - Social work and counselling
Description	<p>Objectives:a) to analyze how modern European social dialogue can contribute to the significance of Lisbon objectives into practice; b) to empower students and teachers working together towards innovative concept of flexicurity that has gained an important role in the social agenda of Europe and give a new focus for research of the issues of social dialogue at national and international level, as well providing academic networking. The issues of European social dialogue are of high relevance for the analysis of modernizing the study programmes of social work and social policy as these issues are considered by EC a force for innovation and change. Over the last 20 years the European social dialogue has developed into a major pillar of European social policy. How does it work? What are the main problematic and innovative topics of current discussion? What has been achieved so far at European level and how to adapt the modern principles of social dialogue at national level? The IP aims to answer these issues achieving it by integrative study and research approach. In particular the focus is put on following aspects and trends: 1) challenges for European labour markets, including analysis of situation combating the poverty and social exclusion as well the working poor conditions; 2) the poverty and social exclusion as well the working poor conditions; 3) the Duch and other European models of flexicurity; 4) flexicurity as a political strategy - flexibility and securing a living through worker organization strategies for social and professional integration; 5) ways of reducing unemployment in Europe; flexibility in labour market; 6) the minimum wage as an instrument in the fight against the phenomenon of the working poor; 7) Christian social trade unionists within the framework of social dialogue; 8) flexicurity in European labour markets; seeking the application of the principles of social inclusion and social cohesion considering the threats of poverty in Europe; 9) the assessment of social security and basic pillars of European social cohesion. Target groupsThe undergraduate, postgraduate, full and part time students of study programmes of social work and social policy, university teachers, researchers in EU as a set of measures for cohesion and solidarity, knowledge multipliers who are contributing to social dialogue, members of trade unions; study programme directors; NGO movement educators; analysts and socio-political thinkers and specialists.</p>
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Partners	BG SOFIA06 Sofia University St. Klement Ohridski - BG EE TARTU02 University of Tartu - EE LT VILNIUS01 University of Vilnius - LT RO CLUJNAP01 University of Babes-Bolyai - RO
LLP Grant	39.302,00 €
Planned number of students	45
Working language	EN-English

Activity duration - Location	Activity duration (in days): 11 Location: Jūrmala, Latvia Activity duration (in days): N/A Location: N/A	Activity duration (in days): N/A Location: N/A Activity duration (in days): N/A Location: N/A
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Project number	2009-1-LV2-ERA10-00709
Country/National Agency of the project coordinator	Latvia [LV2]
Title	Making business work in the new Europe - developing and transferring business knowledge in the Baltic Sea region
Year when first awarded an IP grant (funding available for maximum 3 years)	2009
Subject area code	314 - Economics 340 - Business and administration (broad programmes)
Description	The programme will enter the fourths stage of the academic activities, comprised within the initial IP proposal for the year 2006-2008. The IP explorers selected business practices and environmental factors affecting cross border trade and investments within the Baltic region in some depth. The aim is to identify unique features and constraints of business as well as mapping out the long term process of institutional change is likely to influence those practices in the area of management, financing and the importance of corporate culture. It emphasised an active participation of specific target groups. These include students and academic staff, firms and institutions that will be targeted for the preparation, implementation and diffusion of each topic, in each one of the five countries involved. Academics from each university have taken responsibility for the preparation of a particular theme, will link their research to the experiences of the companies and institutions to ensure that academic perspectives are related and tested by the reality faced by the business sector. It is expected that the project will involve academic, inter-institutional and business outcomes, including publications and discussions that will provide useful information and ideas for all parties involved.
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Partners	D ILMENAU01 Ilmenau Technical University - DE EE TALLINN04 Tallinn University of Technology - EE LT SIAULIAI01 Siauliai University - LT UK LONDON066 London South Bank University - GB
LLP Grant	31.030,00 €
Planned number of students	50
Working language	EN-English
Activity duration - Location	Activity duration (in days): 10 Location: Rīga

Project number	2009-1-LV2-ERA10-00718	
Country/National Agency of the project coordinator	Latvia [LV2]	
Title	Teacher Education for Working with Inclusive Education at Schools	
Year when first awarded an IP grant (funding available for maximum 3 years)	2009	
Subject area code	14 - Teacher training and education science 145 - Training for teachers with subject specialisation 762 - Social work and counselling 14 - Teacher training and education science	
Description	<p>The aim of the the project is to develop the academic, professional and social competences of the teaching staff and especially the students through development of common international module on the above mentioned topic in teacher education. During 10 working days the project participants will develop common study programmes in inclusive education and as main areas to develop curriculum for teaching module including democratic approaches and e-learning methods in teacher education - primary and lower secondary (till 10th grade). In this IP project, presentations and work will be based on mutual interaction, exchange of information and discussions on the following topics:- Information and teaching materials on how to work inclusively in schools.- Proposals for study plans and contents in teacher education on the topic "Inclusion of children with special needs in schools".- International training course for teacher students on the topic "Inclusion of children with special needs in schools". Expected outputs:- development of teaching materials for study programmes in the universities and colleges;- development of a webpage with results of the projects as well as material to download for teaching of topic in the universities and colleges involved.</p>	
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LLP Grant	38.830,00 €	
Planned number of students	30	
Working language	EN-English	
Activity duration - Location	Activity duration (in days): 10 days Location: Liepaja	Activity duration (in days): N/A Location: N/A