

EVENT REPORT FORM¹

Project title	Development of master curricula for natural disasters risk management in Western Balkan countries
Project acronym	NatRisk
Project reference number	573806-EPP-1-2016-1-RS-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP
Coordinator	University of Nis
Project start date	October 15, 2016
Project duration	36 months

Event	Training of teaching staff for innovative teaching methods
Type of event	Training
Venue	Rectorate building, Senate Room, UNIME
Date	19-20 September 2017
Organizer	University of Messina (UNIME), Italy
Reporting date	21 September 2017
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¹This form has to be filled by event organisers and sent on e-mail address: natriskuni@gmail.com five days after event. The term event relates to the meetings, workshops, exhibitions, conferences, etc....

EVENT DESCRIPTION

with special reference to goals and outcomes

Number of participants at the event	25
Participants (organisations)	WB partners, UNIME, TUC, MUHEC
Event description:	
<p>This document reports the Training of teaching staff for innovative teaching methods of the Erasmus+ Capacity Building in the Field of Higher Education project „Development of master curricula for natural disasters risk management in Western Balkan countries“ (NatRisk), held at the University of Messina (UNIME) from 19 to 20 September 2017.</p> <p>Twenty seven representatives from 9 partner institutions were present at the meeting (19 out of 25 were from WB partner HEIs - UNI, UNID, UPKM, UNSA, TCASU, KPA).</p> <p>First day</p> <p>The participants’ registration started at 09:00. The training was chaired by Prof. Giuseppe Tito Aronica, University of Messina, UNIME. The objective was to introduce to WB project partners the most relevant issues related to risk studies, how to use drones in solving different problems and what is flood risk management.</p> <p>Prof. Antonino Germanà, vice-rector, introduced University of Messina, its history, mission and orientation to internationalization. Francesca Policino, head of European Programmes Unit, talked about Erasmus+ projects and highlighted the importance of being part in EU projects. She introduced mobility programmes. Prof. Giuseppe Aronica talked about studies related to natural risks such as Analysis and management of natural and anthropic risks (AGRINA) Protection and Management of Territory and the Natural Environment (TEAM).</p> <p>Prof. Giovanni Randazzo, UNIME, talked about how to monitor structures and territories using drones and remote surveys.</p> <p>Prof. Giuseppe Aronica presented flood risk analysis in urban environment and flood risk management. It is important to know how to assess of flood risk. The lack of high-quality basis data is one of the main problems in assessment of flood damages.</p> <p>The first day finished at 13:00.</p> <p>Second day</p> <p>The second day started at 09:30 opening by Prof. Giovanni Falsone, UNIME, presented territorial seismic risk map that is a fundamental instrument when a territory or an administration wants to begin a seismic prevention design but it has not the financial resource for all its structures. He highlighted that a priority of intervention must be established and the best choice could be that based on the seismic risk level. He also presented isolation and dissipation systems for seismic protection of structures.</p> <p>Prof. Ernesto Cascone, UNIME, presented seismic evaluation of an earth dam and introduced CERISI laboratory. The second day finished at 14:30.</p>	

Attachments

Agenda (pdf)	UNIME training - agenda
Attendance sheet (pdf)	UNIME training - participation list
Photos (jpg)	
News form (pdf)	10 Study visit and training of teaching staff in Messina - news
Deliverable (pdf)	UNIME - Training report
Presentations (pdf)	<p>01 Introduction to international relations department activities in UNIME - Francesca Pollicino</p> <p>02 Presentation of UNIME Graduate studies related to Natural Risks - Giuseppe Aronica</p> <p>03 Monitoring of structures and land using drones and remote surveys - Giovanni Randazzo</p> <p>04 An integrated exposure-vulnerability approach for flood risk analysis in urban environment - Giuseppe Tito Aronica</p> <p>05 Territorial seismic risk map: a fundamental instrument for prevention - Giovanni Falsone</p> <p>06 Isolation and dissipation systems for seismic protection of structures - Giovanni Falsone</p> <p>07 Seismic evaluation of an earth dam - Ernesto Cascone</p> <p>08 Introduction to CERISI laboratory visit - Ernesto Cascone</p>
Other personal remarks	

Organisation details

Invitation sent to	30 participants
Date of event material release	08 September 2017
Date of participants list's finalisation	20 September 2017
Date of agenda finalisation	08 September 2017
Number of participants (according to the participants list)	27
Comments	

Problems encountered during the event preparation phase

Please add your comments, if any:

Strengths and limitations of the event (please include comments received)

Strengths of the event and contributions or activities by participants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Good interaction and experience exchange between participants ➤ Presentations were very useful ➤ Friendly atmosphere coupled with useful discussion
Suggestions for the improvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Improve interactions with participants
Any further comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The organisation was at the highest level ➤ The goals and objectives of meeting was successfully met

Evaluation details

Results of evaluation of the general organisation of the event

Description

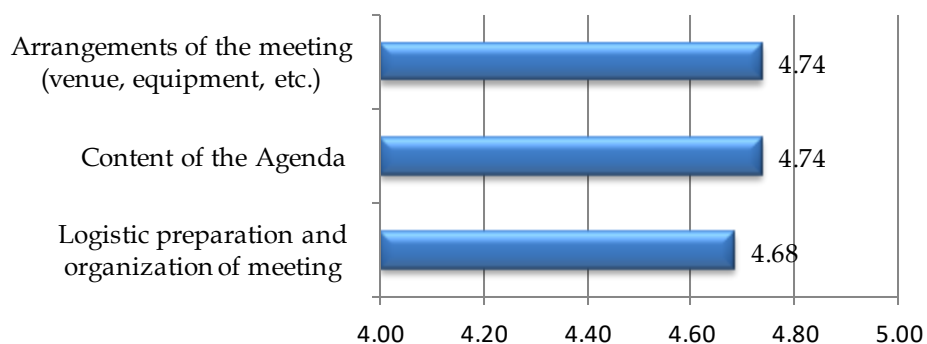
The general opinion is that the training was excellent organised.

Table(s)/Figure(s)

The general organisation of the study visit in percentage is presented in the following table:

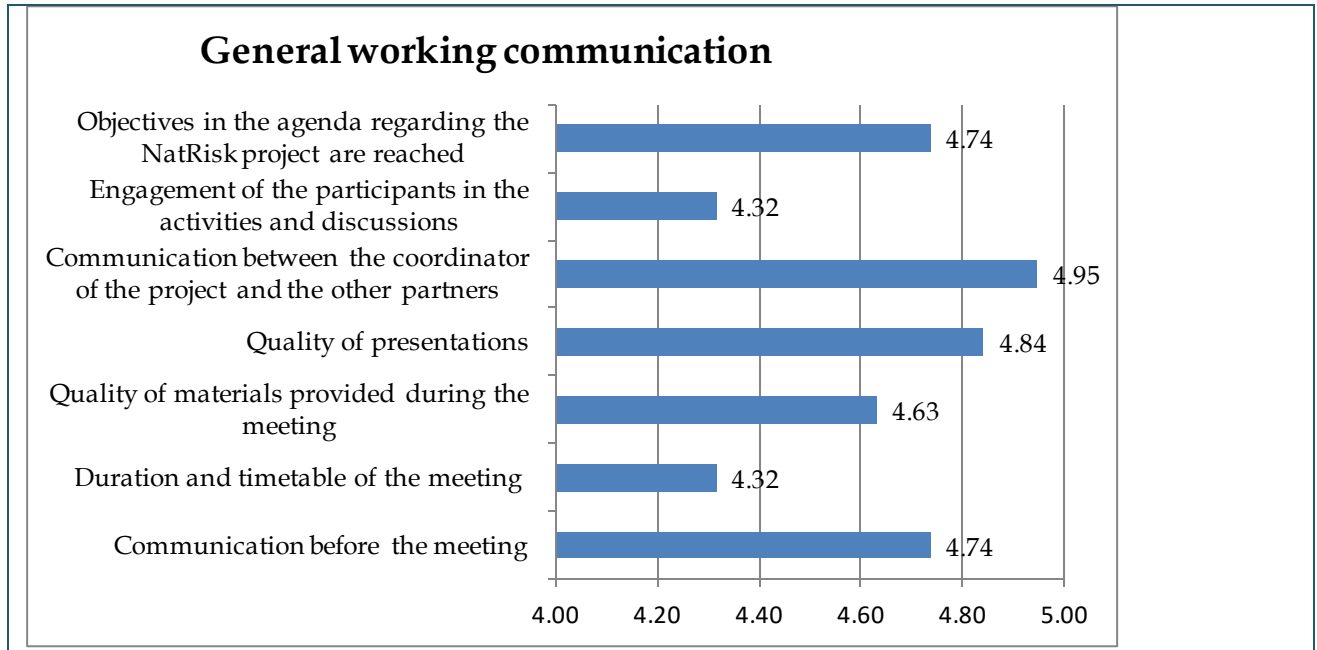
Grading	Poor	OK	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Logistic preparation and organization of meeting	0	0	0	31.6	68.4
Content of the Agenda	0	0	0	26.3	73.7
Arrangements of the meeting (venue, equipment, etc.)	0	0	0	26.3	73.7

The general organisation of the training



Results of evaluation of general working communication

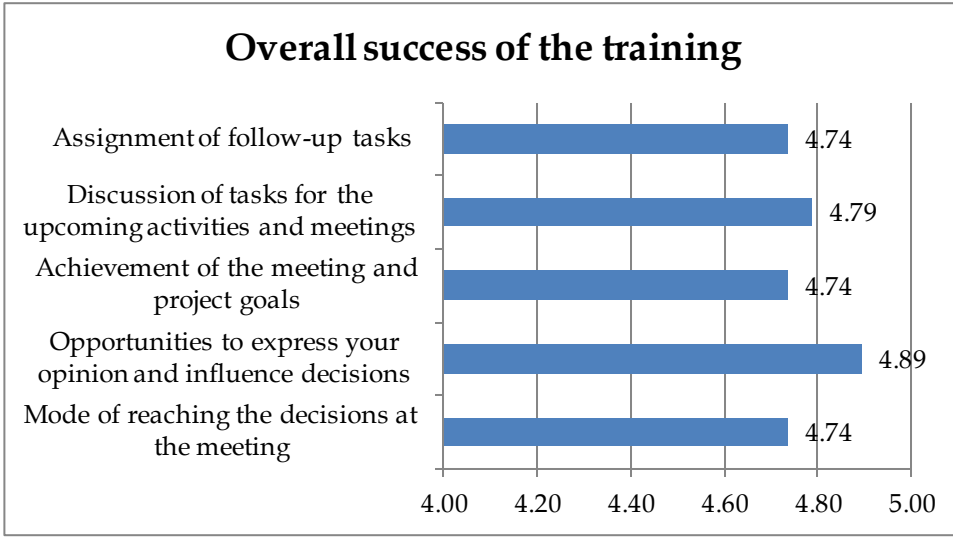
Description					
The quality of presentations and prepared agenda and material were evaluated with high marks.					
Table(s)/Figure(s)					
The general working communication in percentage is presented in the following table:					
Grading	Poor	OK	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Communication before the meeting	0	0	0	26.3	73.7
Duration and timetable of the meeting	0	0	15.8	36.8	47.4
Quality of materials provided during the meeting	0	0	10.5	15.8	73.7
Quality of presentations	0	0	0	15.8	84.2
Communication between the coordinator of the project and the other partners	0	0	0	5.3	94.7
Engagement of the participants in the activities and discussions	0	0	10.5	47.4	42.1
Objectives in the agenda regarding the NatRisk project are reached	0	0	0	26.3	73.7



Results of evaluation of overall success of the event

Description					
The overall success of the training was graduated as excellent.					
Table(s)/Figure(s)					
The overall success of the meeting in percentage is presented in the following table:					
Grading	Poor	OK	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Mode of reaching the decisions at the meeting	0	0	0	26.3	73.7
Opportunities to express your opinion and influence decisions	0	0	0	10.5	89.5
Achievement of the meeting and project goals	0	0	0	26.3	73.7
Discussion of tasks for the upcoming	0	0	0	21.1	78.9

activities and meetings					
Assignment of follow-up tasks	0	0	0	26.3	73.7



Please indicate your suggestions for further event's improvement:

Location, date

Messina, 21 September 2017

Signature

Giuseppe Tito Aronica