



1ST TRANSNATIONAL MEETING – ROMENIA

In terms of projects' flow, outcome, and developments, the pandemic has posed several challenges. Nevertheless, we had the first Transnational meeting on the 27/28 October 2021 in Romania.

At the Naval Academy "Mircea cel Batran" in Romania, partners had the opportunity to visit and see complete installations, simulation rooms and facilities of the Naval Academy. The chance to engage with one other in a personal manner undoubtedly allowed us to address the project's issues in a more elaborate manner.

The meeting was in all successful, with various inputs in terms of the organizational structure, responsibilities, financial allowances and regulations, with significant dedication to the Intellectual Output that must be generated by all, thus allowing the audience to have a consistent view and developing a deeper understanding of the future core tools.

Nevertheless, several challenges were raised during the first day in respect to the intellectual Outputs IO 1.1 Training Needs and IO 1.2 Generic Questionnaire, where the study of some accidents were the main drive of discussion that led the audience to a common sense of direction at this initial significant stage of the project.

According to what specifications the case accidents should be developed in coherence to produce positive outcomes in terms of knowledge and benefit for the users, a subject of interest stipulated by all partners at the simulation room. The condition was particularly interesting because it reinforced and raised the need of a better perception on the approach for the newly Intellectual Outputs IO 1.3 Knowledge Base and IO 1.4 Methods and Methodologies.

With a significant amount of work to be executed in terms of analysis and interpretation of the data collected in scope of the intellectual Outputs IO 1.1 Training Needs and IO 1.2 Generic Questionnaire the partners are aiming positively in delivering the incoming Intellectual Outputs IO 1.3 Knowledge Base and IO 1.4 Methods and Methodologies, demonstrating always a positive attitude towards the tasks delivered, thus contributing significantly for the project's consistency and reliability through all earlier stages of development and lately on its implementation as a whole.



SEASAFER'S PROJECT CURRENT STATUS

The transnational meetings priorly scheduled had to be postponed due to the current COVID pandemic situation, such rescheduling allows additional period for all planned tasks to be feasible completed. The rescheduled transnational meetings are due to cover the previous format and arrangements on the rescheduled new dates. Thus far currently for 2022 two meetings have been set out. Firstly, the one in Greece in May 2022 hosted by IDEC, followed by another in Portugal with ENIDH before the end of the year with dates yet to be announced.

On this new coming year, partners will be looking forward to showcasing clear progress of the projects preparing to face the new upcoming challenges head on.

After a significant interesting and general confident response by all partners in terms of IO 1.2 Generic Questionnaire, IDEC supported by ENIDH and MBNA are currently reviewing and analyzing the results in order to conduct the face-to-face interviews based on the questionnaire's results. It has been very interesting to see how the target audience follow the same path independently of their nationality and position. Though the project is far from finished it seems like there is a common voice and sense of agreement and common understanding in how beneficial the study of case accidents can be applied for individual and common skills development at all levels.



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