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01. Participants from PLUS

Altogether the meeting gathered 1 participant from University of Salzburg (PLUS): Marc Gimenez Maranges. He had been working on the SUNRAISE project as scientific staff at PLUS before attending the meeting, especially in the development of new learning materials.



Marc Gimenez Maranges during one of the activities organised during the IT meeting

02. Involvement in the school activities

PLUS was involved in all activities organised by Estonian University of Life Science during the duration of the meeting. This encompassed all theoretical and practical training sessions on e-learning tools, as well as all discussions on their possible applicability for the improvement of learning at partner universities. Future project steps and strategies were also discussed, as well as the tasks already fulfilled by several partners for the creation or improvement of already existent e-learning courses.

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Additionally, one presentation was held by Marc Gimenez Maranges on behalf of the PLUS team upon the learning module on “ecological aspects of urbanisation in mountain areas” recently developed at PLUS. The objective was to report on the activities already carried out at PLUS for the improvement of learning materials in the consortium universities, and particularly to share the objectives and structure of the recently created module, as well as the teaching methods suggested for its implementation. It was especially sought to discuss on the possible interest of the contents developed for other project partners and on areas for improvement, so that the learning materials become more appealing and useful in the context of each of the involved institutions.



03. Results

The participation in the meeting enabled a very enriching learning process and experience for all participants, including the participant from PLUS. The involvement of project partners from different socio-ecological contexts with different experiences and perspectives on e-learning made all discussions very exciting and beneficial. Especially interesting were the practical sessions organised by experts of Estonian University of Life Science, which enabled our team member to reflect and learn on the suitability of various e-learning tools for the purposes of PLUS within the SUNRAISE project, and complemented the theoretical discussions previously conducted. The knowledge gained during this practical part is expected to be useful not only for the further development of the SUNRAISE project activities, but also for other research and teaching activities carried out by our team. Further, the meeting was also an opportunity to get to know some project partners and strengthen the cooperation among our team and all of them.