

SeeG

Minutes

1st Online Meeting

13/07/2021

The 1st meeting among partners of the project "SeeG" was held online, after the request of the University of Macedonia, due to the risk of the Covid-19 pandemic crisis, on 13/07/2021.

The meeting was attended by the President of the Rodopi Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Mr. Nikolaos Angelidis, and its Director Mr. Margaritis Simeon. On behalf of the University of Macedonia, Professor George Tsiotras and Dr. Hypatia Theodorakioglou participated in the meeting. The Economic Development Agency Bansko and the Local Economic Development Agency – Razlog were represented by the President Mr. Georgi Tsvetkov and the Executive Director Mr. Zahari Belichenov, respectively. Mr. Rossen Pashov, counsellor of the two Bulgarian partners, participated in this meeting too.

The meeting started with the self-presentation of the participants. This was followed by the first presentation in which all official documents of the project were mentioned. Furthermore, the LB was requested by the rest of the partners to send the signed and sealed by all of them Partnership Agreement. Then, during the second presentation, the project was analyzed and the obligations of each partner were explained. At this point, the representative of the Economic Development Agency Bansko referred to the pending logo of the project while the Lead Partner assured everyone that it will be ready by September of this year. Additionally, Mr. Tsiotras suggested to raise an issue to the Managing Authority of the Programme concerning the online conduction of all project actions since there is no clear picture about the evolution of the pandemic crisis. The Lead Partner committed to come in contact with the Managing Authority and raise the issue. This was followed by the third presentation where the STPP was presented and each action was analyzed in detail. The Lead Partner proposed that the planning of the project should start during the following September so that the relevant timetables can be negotiated. Last, the partnership set the target of covering 20% of the budget in the first year.

Closing, the meeting was held in a very good atmosphere and after the end of the presentations the partners agreed that the next working meeting will take place after the beginning of the project planning.