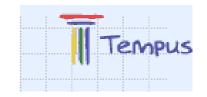


UNIMANUniversity Management

Joint European Project



Project Acronym: UNIMAN

Project Title: Upgrading the Management of the University of Miskolc

Supporting Framework:: TEMPUS Joint European Project

Contract No.: 13363-98 Financial Support: 260 850 EUR
Total Budget: 281 150 EUR Addressed to NHRDEC: 25 900 EUR

Consortium:

University of Miskolc (Hungary)

- Université de Caen (France)
- National and Capodistrian University of Athens (Greece)
- University of Piraeus (Greece)
- EADTU (European Association of Distance Teaching Universities), Heerlen (The Netherlands)
- University of Tampere (Finland)
- Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh (United Kingdom)
- Institute of International Technology, Budapest (Hungary)
- Chamber of Commerce and Industry of BAZ County, Miskolc (Hungary)

Objectives:

The overall aim of this project is to provide higher education institutions with the tools to manage the change which is under way in the partner countries. The measures which can be implemented can therefore help the higher education institutions to reform their university management in order to adapt flexibility to their environment.

University management comprises management a day-to-day management. Projects must aim at the implementation of a coherent reform concept in specific aspects of university management which the beneficiary institution has identified as a need. Projects must allow the target audience to carry out a range of measures for the implementation of reform concepts and support the development of specific skills related to the identified area. The projects must be based on a consensus in the beneficiary institution and thus ensure that a dynamic process is put in motion.

The whole project is divided into 7 subprogrammes within the University of Miskolc. One of these subprogrammes is focused on Distance Education Development, aiming at the internal integration of ODL unit into the structure and operation of our university.

Target Group:

The main actors of a University Management JEP are administrators and managers. These can be any members of the university administrative services, e.g. financial administration, student services, library etc. The term "managers" covers all staff who carry out management functions or who are involved in the institutional decision-making process as part of their normal duty, e.g. senate members, rectors, deans of faculties etc. The target group of a University Management JEP must be well defined and is expected to include all those persons relevant to the reform process envisaged by the project. For example, a project aiming at the development of fund-raising strategies should involve the responsible staff of the financial services, deans of the potential faculties involved, the international relations, department and the Rectorate.