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Innovation Capacity Building for Higher Education

InnoChange WP2: I&E education and training

Dr. Barbara Hegyi, ELTE | 1 October 2021



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Development of a new Basic I&E Curriculum

Creativity, responsibility and entrepreneurship (3 ECTS)

Develop the entrepreneurial mindset and the innovative thinking

Improve soft skills – like cooperation, communication and out-of-the-box thinking – through team assignments

The course will start on 15th October and end in December

Students will join from all the participating HEIs as guest students

The course will run online, asynchronously, with two live online sessions

Distributed teams will work on a common team assignment

The set of assignments will be developed by the I&E teachers' community

Creating teachers' community

- Teachers' community will be created and based on complementary experience
- The involved teacher's will follow the same methodology and gain feedback of students together
- The live online events will be managed and designed together
- Teachers' guideline will be created based on the common experience of the partners, the assignments developed together and theoretical recommendation provided by ELTE



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InnoChange WP3

Innovation management for digital transformation

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OBJECTIVES of WP3

To establish **Innovation Management Task Forces (IMTF)**
(mentors and scouts)

Research interest

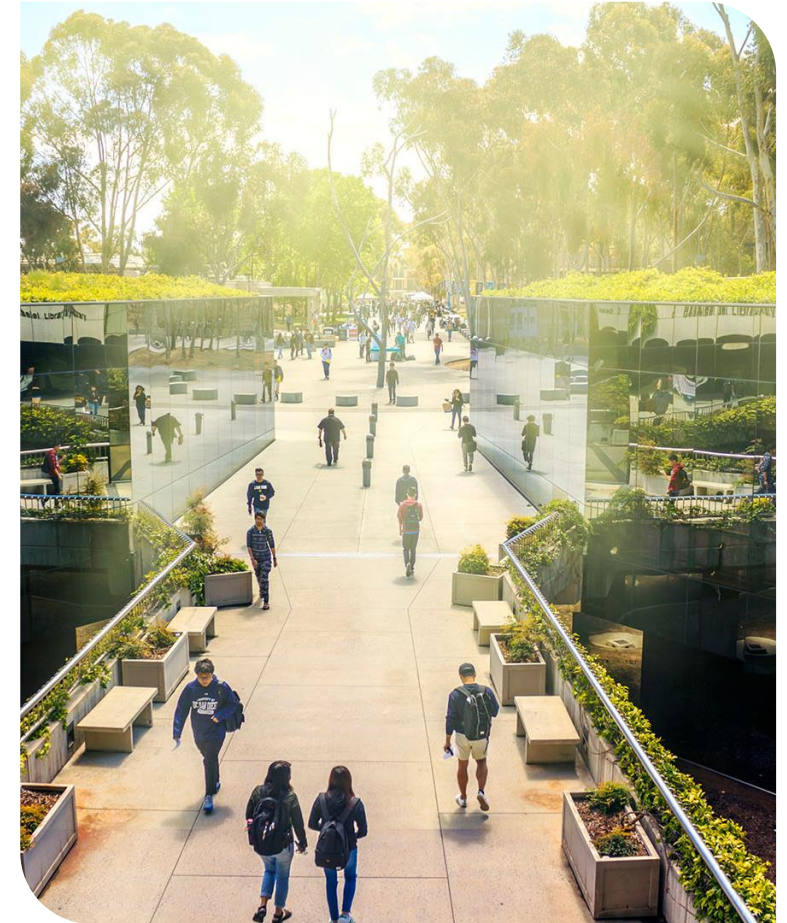


Business Idea



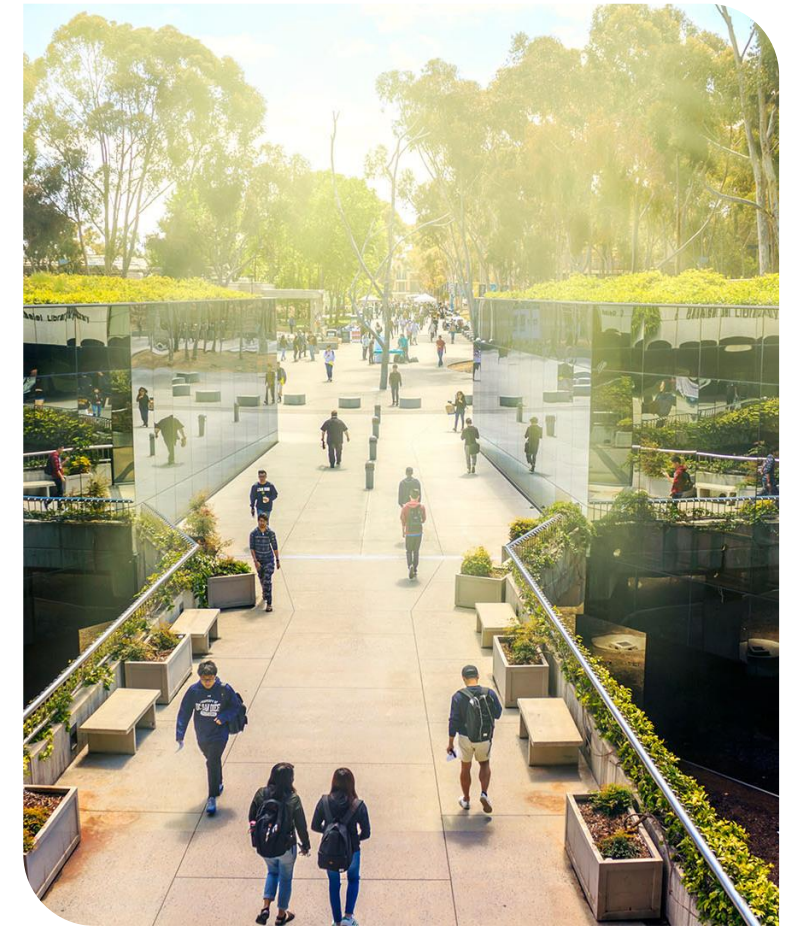
Reality

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MAIN ACTIVITIES of the WP3





EXPECTED RESULTS of the WP3

Phase #1 (Dec 2021)



PhD students trained



academic staff trained

Phase #2 (July 2023)



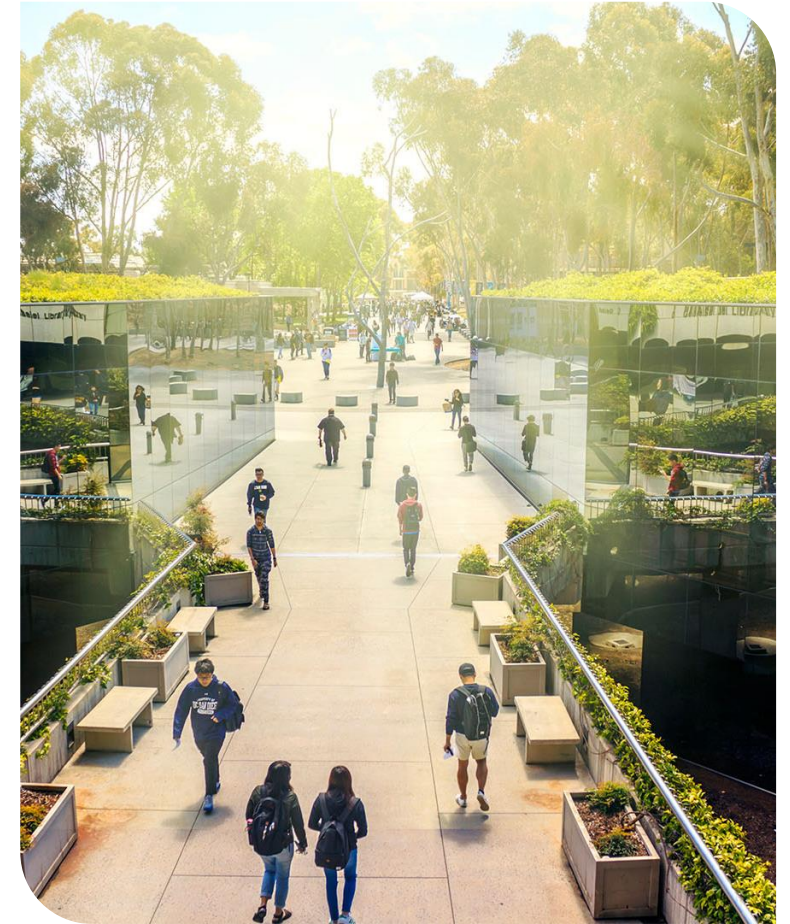
PhD students trained and mentored



academic staff trained and mentored



start-up support





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InnoChange WP4: Nourishing entrepreneurship - From idea to start-up

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- Work package 4 aims to nourish entrepreneurship & innovation from idea stage to start-up and beyond, by leveraging the expertise and network of Startup Wise Guys Foundation, the non-profit arm of the leading business accelerator & early –stage investor in the Baltics
- WP4 proposed activities seek to support:
 - university academic and non-academic staff training & mentoring to enhance the entrepreneurial & innovation knowledge of InnoChange HEI partners
 - Entrepreneurial teams advance from idea stage to setting up a company, to offer best in class international mentoring to new start-up from the participating InnoChange HEI partners





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InnoChange WP5

Creation of an Entrepreneurship Community at HEIs and Building Industrial Partnerships

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WP5 – OBJECTIVES

- to establish an Entrepreneurship Community at HEIs
- to build industry partnerships

Central role, considered as the “meeting point” – which fosters, reinforces and supports processes from the previous work packages

WP5 – ACTIVITIES

- Profiling of existing Entrepreneurial Communities and support structures across Heriot-Watt
- Training and mentoring of non-academic staff on support structures and processes for the creation of the Entrepreneurship Community
- Developing of student Entrepreneurship Digital Hub at HEIs (*create a central group on a digital platform in order to foster international student collaboration and share information about the upcoming events*)



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InnoChange WP6

Transferability, exploitation, dissemination and communication

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- to **improve overall general awareness about digital innovations**
- to **create a dialogue between institutions** dedicated to territorial development
- to **empower different entities to implement and/or engage with digital innovations, promote shared learning** and spread/ **share best practices**

WP6 will focus on maximising the project's impact, by:

- putting strong emphasis on making all lessons learned available
- ensuring efficient and broad transferability and dissemination of the results
- enabling replicability

- With a horizontal approach supporting all WPs:
 - Sets-up the project's identity for effective, continuous and wide dissemination of the progress and results
 - Ensures a harmonized dissemination, transferability and exploitation strategy
 - Establishes and maintains external project's communication channels for the relevant target groups (students, academia, industry communities, etc.)
 - Promotes project events/trainings among partner HEI staff and students
 - Presents project results at different events
 - Organizes Rector's Conference (phase 2)



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InnoChange WP7

Inclusion and sustainability

Rositsa Doneva, PU | 1 October 2021



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WP7- WHY?

To meet:

- The priorities underlying the EC's plans for **the new ERA, based on excellence**:
 - to translate science into sustainable products, services, processes and solutions that support the wellbeing of citizens and economic prosperity
 - to ensure quality and inclusive education for all
- The **InnoChange Specific Objective 2**:

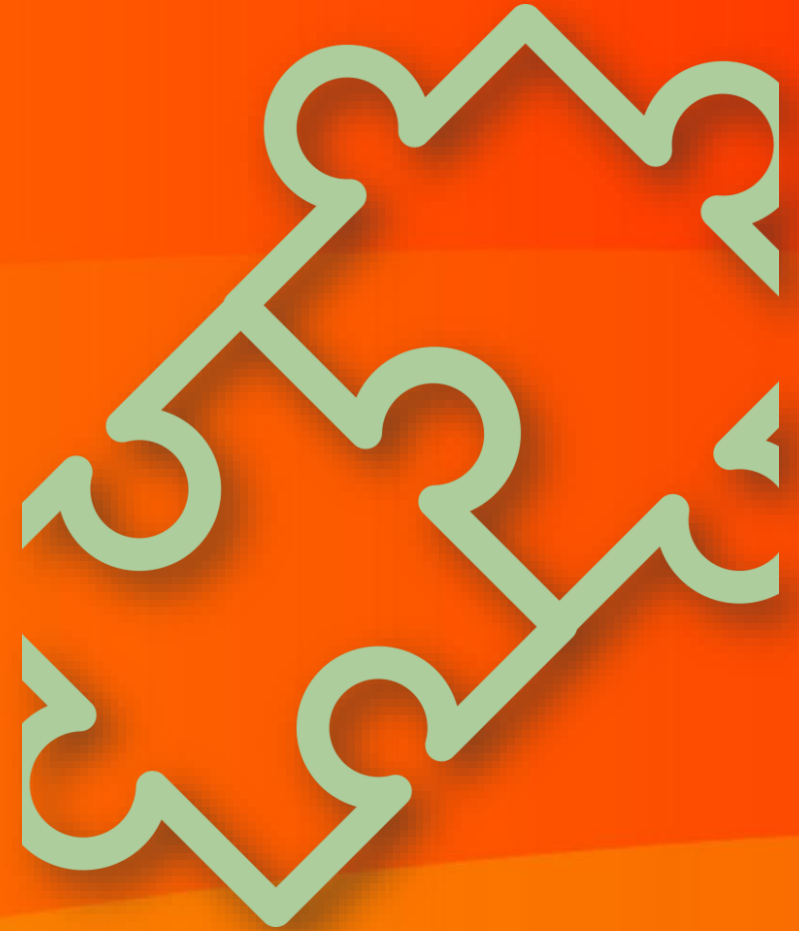
Enhance entrepreneurial spirit among academic and non-academic staff in order to establish inclusive and sustainable entrepreneurship communities at HEIs



WP7- WHAT FOR?

WP7:

- Title: **Inclusion and Sustainability**
- Leader: **University of Plovdiv "Paissi Hilendarski"**
- Duration: **2021.07.01-2023.06.30**
- Nature of work:
 - **WP7 addresses sustainability approaches, inclusive and equitable quality education, gender mainstreaming and promoting lifelong learning opportunities for all**
 - **As an umbrella work package it aims to support all the activities from the other WPs**



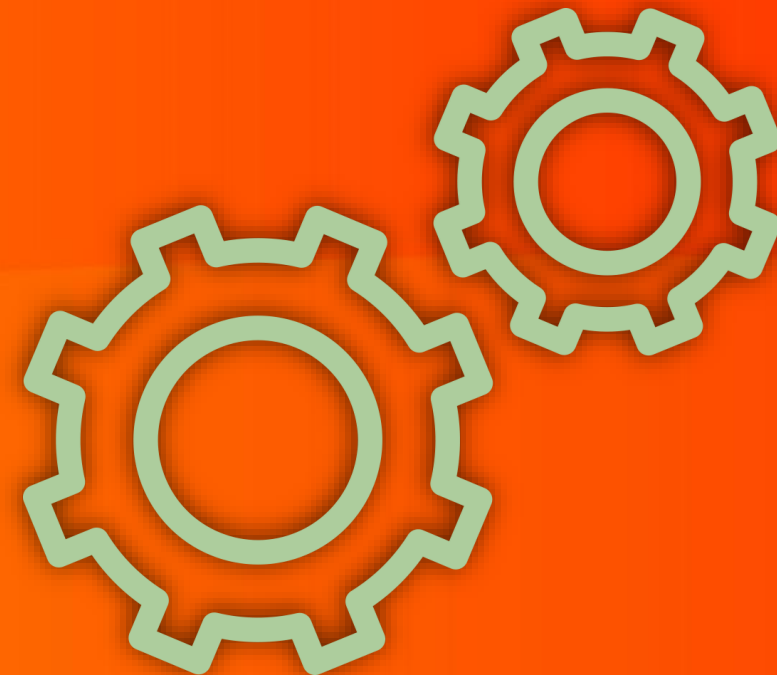
WP7- HOW?

WP7 - Inclusion and sustainability

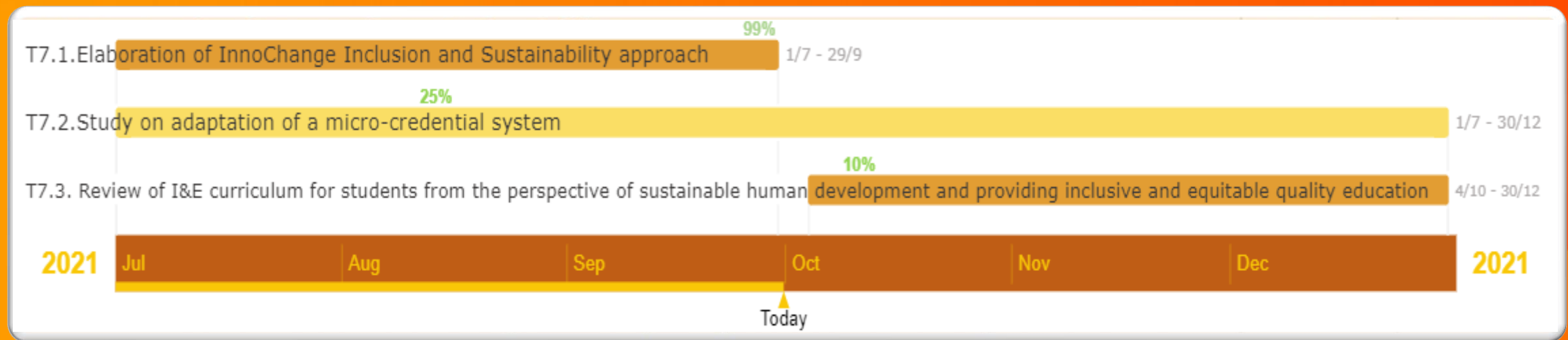
	07/01/21	06/29/23
T7.1 Elaboration of InnoChange Inclusion and Sustainability approach	07/01	09/29
M7.1 Guidelines for ensuring the InnoChange Inclusion and Sustainability	10/01	10/01
T7.2 Study on adaptation of a micro-credential system	07/01	12/30
T7.3 Review of I&E curriculum for students from the perspective of sust...	10/04	12/30
T7.4 Development and delivering self-learning materials for teachers on...	01/03	12/28
T7.5 Development and delivering guideline and demos for teachers on ...	01/03	12/28
M7.2 Self-learning materials, guideline and demos for teaching	12/30	12/30
T7.6 Knowledge exchange for the increasing recognition of business val...	01/03	06/29
T7.7 Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifel...	01/03	06/29

WP7 Deliverables

- D7.1. Guidelines for ensuring the InnoChange Inclusion and Sustainability
- D7.2. Report on the adaptability of micro-credential systems
- D7.3. Report on the review of the curriculum for students in respect of inclusion and sustainability
- D7.4. Self-learning materials for teachers on promoting gender equality in teaching and research activity
- D7.5. Guideline on Gamification of Learning
- D7.6. Evaluation report on promoted lifelong learning activities



WP7- WHERE?



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