



ENCOURAGE

-DEVELOPMENT OF COURSES FOR SUSTAINABLE WASTE MANAGEMENT FOR MUNICIPALITIES

PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS:

The Project „Development of Courses for Sustainable Waste Management for Municipalities“ is a vital initiative to address the critical need for responsible waste management. By providing comprehensive training, promoting innovation, and building capacity, this project aims to empower municipalities to take steps towards sustainable waste management while safeguarding public health and contributing to a sustainable future.

ENCOURAGE - Empowering Sustainable Waste Management Education...

The ENCOURAGE Project seeks to empower key stakeholders with the knowledge and skills needed to drive sustainable waste management practices. By aligning with national and EU policies, this initiative not only benefits local communities but also contributes to the global effort to manage waste resources responsibly. Ultimately, ENCOURAGE aims to create a future where waste is managed sustainably, preserving our environment for generations to come.

3ND TRANSNATIONAL PROJECT MEETING:



Third Transnational Project Meeting of the ENCOURAGE Project took place on 05th & 06th July 2023 at the premises of the North Macedonian partner IECE in Skopje. Representatives from the partner organizations attended the meeting. The ENCOURAGE Project's third Transnational Project Meeting had a significant impact on its direction. The key highlights are as follows:

1. QUALIFICATION PROFILE AND CURRICULUM

DEVELOPMENT (IO2 AND IO3):

Partners discussed the IO2 Qualification profile for Sustainable Waste Management Specialist, incorporating NQF/EQF levels. Simultaneously, they deliberated on the IO3 Curriculum and syllabus development for Courses for Sustainable Waste Management, integrating certification elements. This coordination is crucial as we approach the final stages of these deliverables.

2. SUSTAINABLE WASTE MANAGEMENT TRAINING MATERIALS (IO4):

Our primary focus was finalizing IO4 Training materials for Courses for Sustainable Waste Management. All partner organizations presented their work. The presentations covered diverse

aspects such as course concepts, planning, materials and resources, session formats, and assessment methods.

The team engaged in in-depth discussions and made significant progress in developing these materials, setting the stage for IO5 (the Interactive e-learning platform) and IO6 (the Waste Management Knowledge Hub).

3. BRAINSTORMING AND IDEA SHARING:

The meeting fostered a collaborative environment where partners shared and discussed course concepts. The course concept was expertly designed with professional materials and a detailed session structure, allowing for a seamless flow of ideas. The ENCOURAGE Project continues to thrive through the dedication and synergy of our partner organizations. Together, we are advancing towards creating a comprehensive and practical framework for Sustainable Waste Management education.



NEXT STEPS...

1. FINALIZING THE CONCEPT FOR IO4 TRAINING MATERIALS

One of the main priorities of our Third TPM was to solidify the concept for the training materials that will serve as the foundation for the Courses for Sustainable Waste Management. Our dedicated team of experts collaborated intensely to ensure that these materials are comprehensive, engaging, and aligned with our project's objectives. We believe these materials will be instrumental in educating and empowering individuals to make a positive impact on waste management practices.

Expect a rich array of resources, including video lectures, interactive quizzes, comprehensive study guides, and much more.

2. DEVELOPMENT OF IO5 INTERACTIVE E-LEARNING PLATFORM

We are thrilled to announce progress in the development of IO5, the Interactive e-Learning Platform. This platform aims to revolutionize the way of access, to training materials, and ensure a seamless learning experience. Our team has been hard at work to ensure this platform meets the highest standards of interactivity and effectiveness.

3. INTRODUCING IO6: WASTE MANAGEMENT KNOWLEDGE HUB

In our quest to create a comprehensive resource hub for waste management enthusiasts, we are excited to introduce IO6: the Waste Management Knowledge Hub.

UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES PROVIDED BY ENCOURAGE...

1. INTERACTIVE E-LEARNING PLATFORM:

The interactive e-learning platform will provide an immersive and user-friendly learning experience, making the valuable knowledge on sustainable waste management accessible to a broader audience. This platform will be designed with your convenience in mind, offering user-friendly navigation and a robust set of features. You'll be able to access your course materials, track your progress, and connect with fellow learners, all in one place.

2. INTRODUCING IO6: WASTE MANAGEMENT KNOWLEDGE HUB

The Waste Management Knowledge Hub will serve as a repository of in-depth information, research, case studies, and best practices in the field of sustainable waste management. It will be an invaluable resource for professionals, researchers, and anyone passionate about addressing waste-related challenges.

3. WORKSHOP INVITATION

We understand the value of interactive learning experiences and are thrilled to announce our upcoming workshop.

The workshop will be led by experts who will introduce the e-learning platform, discuss the benefits of the knowledge-learning hub, and present project results. The participants will have chance to gain practical insights, network with peers, and take their skills to the next level. Follow our web site and stay tuned for the upcoming opportunities: <https://encourage.projects-gallery.eu/>

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