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Annex H to QCM Manual – Event report template

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Author:	Jelena Mičić
Event Title:	Training-seminar within activity 3.4: Young researchers trained in various skills
Event Date:	September 15 th / 16 th 2017
Event Venue:	Rectorate Conference room, University of East Sarajevo
Type of event: (National, international, press conference, promotional event etc.)	International event
Short description:	
<p>On 15th and 16th September 2017 University of East Sarajevo organized two-day training seminar within activity 3.4: Research methodology training of WBC young researchers at Rectorate Conference room. Training seminar entitled “Training of WBC young researchers in various skills included lectures and workshops on topics: project management, intercultural communication, ethics in research and entrepreneurship. Vice-rector for international cooperation and quality assurance of UES, professor Dejan Bokonjić, during the opening of the training, pointed out that organizing such seminars is important for young researchers, so they could exchange experiences and strengthen the research work segment. Research has crucial importance for the development of higher education institutions. As the funding for such projects in BiH is limited, and that it is extremely important for University of East Sarajevo to take the opportunity to participate in this and similar international programs.</p> <p>The lecturers were the prominent professors from the University of Coventry, professor Peter Harrison and professor Isabelle Halleux from University of Liege.</p> <p>The aim of organizing a two-day seminar is to improve the skills of young university researchers in the region in terms of planning and conducting research, participation in research projects and the foundations of entrepreneurship.</p> <p>Young researchers have find these trainings extremely useful for their further research activities and career. Overall satisfaction of the participants and the organizers were very high, especially with quality and experience of lecturers. Young researchers have shown great interest for main topics of these lectures, especially for ethics and intercultural communication. Most of participants looking forward to participate in the similar events in the future, because they find this kind of event as extremely useful, motivating and capacity building opportunity.</p>	
Organiser(s):	University of East Sarajevo



Agenda:	http://www.ues.rs.ba/vijesti/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/3.4_Agenda_UES.pdf
Total number of participants:	51
Links to further information:	http://www.ues.rs.ba/serbian/cirilica/allnews/v-univerzitet And at Re@WBC website

EVENT ORGANISATION DETAILS

Invitation was sent off to participants on:	23 Jun 2017
Information Material was sent off to participants on:	01 September 2017
Date of Initial Participant List Compilation:	-
Date of Final Participant List Compilation:	-
Total Number of Participants Invited	Young researchers from UNSA, UMO and UES
Date of Agenda Finalisation:	01 September 2017

PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED DURING THE EVENT PREPARATION PHASE

(To be filled by organisers)

The problems we've encountered during the event preparation phase were withdrawal of arrival researchers from University of Montenegro, and problems at University of East Sarajevo referred to distance locations of our organisational unites from Rectorate.

General information about participants:

a) Sex: 25 Female; 26 Male

b) Students: Bachelor (BSc): 4

Master (MSc): 11

Doctoral (PhD): 16

c) Doctorates: 20

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS *(to be filled by the local partner)*

• The young researchers have found most useful workshops in small groups which stimulate thinking and expand horizons.



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- The participants were satisfied with topics of lectures and presentations which give them helpful information about opportunities offered to young researchers. They were satisfied with this way of delivering knowledge and interactive presentations. Also, they've appraised lecturers' experience as completely adequate for this type of training.
- The young researchers consider they've upraise capability to describe the stages of a project and how the relate to research. Also, to undertake stakeholder identification and analysis, and to define and calculate risk and plan appropriate risk responses.
- The participants state they have better understanding of cultural influences, cultural differences and norms. As well as importance of communication skills in order to be effective in a cross cultural environment.
- The young researchers emphasize this training help them to understand issues relating to intellectual property rights, and how to make a plan for their personal development related to entrepreneurship in research
- Generally, participants showed satisfactorily self-confidence at training and have expressed great interest over the future research work at Universities.

EVENT EVALUATION BY PARTICIPANTS *in percentage*

GENERAL INFORMATION

a) Sex Female 53% Male 47%

OVERALL FEEDBACK

Please indicate your agreement with the following statements by ticking the appropriate number:

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly disagree
The information I got will be of immediate use to me.	52.9%	29.4%	17.6%	0.0%	0.0%
This event covered to a very high extent the topics I have expected.	47.1%	41.2%	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%
I enjoyed the cooperation and interaction with the other participants.	47.1%	29.4%	17.6%	5.9%	0.0%
The materials distributed are useful and informative.	23.5%	47.1%	23.5%	5.9%	0.0%
The discussions were relevant for the participants.	41.2%	35.3%	17.6%	5.9%	0.0%



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The working methods were suitable for the topics and for the participants.	29.4%	52.9%	17.6%	0.0%	0.0%
The overall organisation was professional.	41.2%	47.1%	11.8%	0.0%	0.0%
The time management was always to my fullest satisfaction.	35.3%	35.3%	29.4%	0.0%	0.0%
The style and level of communication between organisers and participants was professional.	58.8%	41.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
I would recommend this kind of event to my colleagues.	50.0%	25.0%	18.8%	6.3%	0.0%

STRENGTHS AND LIMITATIONS OF THE EVENT

a) Have you participated in similar events before? Yes 76% No 24%

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