

EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
Participant:	PODJETNISKI INKUBATOR KOCEVJE, JAVNI ZAVOD ZA PODJETNISTVO, IZOBRAZEVANJE IN DRUGE DEJAVNOSTI PODJETNISKI INKUBATOR KOCEVJE
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EVENT DESCRIPTION	
Event number:	WP6
Event name:	GREEN PORTALS FOR YOU(TH)
Type:	workshop, conference
In situ/online:	in-situ
Location:	Kočevje, Slovenia
Date(s):	20 - 23 May 2024
Website(s) (if any):	https://www.facebook.com/ljudska.univerza.kocevje/posts/pfbid02qArkZkm9Zzo7g6yr5puuwwkLLZyyM7fcYdHqGMRq9itqfMbrYCrigpoymHkCZSfpG! https://www.facebook.com/people/Green-It-Your-Work/100090402782484/
Participants	
Female:	35
Male:	19
Non-binary:	/
From country 1 [Italy]:	2 M
From country 2 [Ireland]:	1M, 1F
From country 3 [Spain]:	2M
From country 4 [Greece]:	2F
From country 5 [Cyprus]:	2F
From country 6 [Romania]:	2M, 2F

From country 7 [Croatia]:	2F		
From country 8 [Slovenia]:	26F 12M		
Total number of participants:	54	From total number of countries:	8
Description <i>Provide a short description of the event and its activities.</i>			
May 20/5/2024 – ARRIVAL DAY (Monday) Arrival of the participants, check in and Welcome dinner. May 21/5/202 (Tuesday) - Breakfast, leaving the hotel by foot -The guests gathered at the Public Institute for Tourism and Culture Kočevje. -Welcome speech of the director of the Kočevje Business Incubator, the Deputy Mayor of Kočevje then presented the green transition project of the Kočevje municipality as an example of good practice of energy policy at the local level which is also the basis of the Green Deal, the director of the Tourism Institute presented the green destination Kočevsko, which is the bearer of the Slovenia Green Destination sign. -After the presentations, the participants took part in a guided group game with the didactic game "Kostrukta", a simple and authentic wooden didactic toy for all generations that has been awarded the "Made in Slovenia" label of excellence and is an example of a green product. - After the group dynamics, the guests actively participated in a workshop on the topic of portals for young people. The workshop was conducted using an interactive tool Mentimeter and conversation in which we discussed through which portals young people in partners countries communicate and use youth portals. Conclusions were made and we agreed that these portals are crucial for information on green job offers, training courses and EU policies. Portal https://www.mlad.si/ was presented as an idea for creating a communication channel for young people. This is an example of a national portal that can be a good starting point for portals at the local level and point of connection at the international level. -Visit to the Art salon and presentation of projects that connect young people from all schools in the Kočevska area and teach about the history of the place and sustainability in relation to the present. -Lunch -Watching the quadrille, the dance of the high school graduates in the city center. -Visiting a local business Sara's goodies (home-baked pastries). -Guided tour of the city with a walk to the lake -Dinner May 22/5/2024 TRIP AROUND KOČEVSKO (Wednesday) -Breakfast and leaving the hotel by bus -The day was devoted to a tour of good practices on the ground and a presentation of "green jobs". -Visiting the Kočevje Grammar and Secondary School. A group of 3rd year students from Kočevje High School presented their active work within the interdisciplinary GRETA (Globally Responsible Environmentally Thinking Ambassadors) theme. Students advocate the preservation of our natural environment (improving the water quality of our rivers and seas, reducing waste and plastic waste, preserving natural meadows, creating green spaces in our cities, preserving wild pollinators, increasing the use of renewable energy and greening agriculture to make our food healthier). This year, special benches with QR codes were placed around the school, which connect the portal with the discussed environmental topics https://gsskocevje.splet.arnes.si/its-solsko-leto-2024-2025/. - This was followed by a guided walk along "The Eagle's path" in Kočevska Reka. We were led along the forest educational trail by a young guide who professionally deals with survival in nature and promotes green sustainable tourism in unspoiled nature. - Visiting the Kocjančič Organic Farm, where three brothers - young farmers, run an organic farm that supplies the local environment with its products - this is an example of sustainable agricultural practices and we saw the benefits of organic farming. - Visit to local company Intersocks where we learned about sustainable business practices and career opportunities in a green company. This visit reinforced the importance of green job offers and local employment opportunities. - We finished the working day at the Kočevje Business Incubator, where the Director of the Institute presented a successful project - the Career Centre for Youth, which ran for two years			

and involved 10 primary schools and over 1000 young people.
 We concluded the day with a summary of impressions and ideas for future meetings with the project partners.
 -Farewell dinner
May 23/5/2024 – DEPARTURE DAY (Thursday)
 Breakfast and check-out and departure of the participants.
 Objectives achieved :
 -presentations of portals with developing the idea of communication channel for youth with crucial information on green job offers, training courses, and EU policies
 -visits to local green businesses with an emphasis on opportunities for young people in the local environment in connection with nature conservation (green tourism, organic farming, textile company)

HISTORY OF CHANGES		
VERSION	PUBLICATION DATE	CHANGE
1.0	09.07.2024	Initial version (new MFF).

