



Development of Regional Joint Master Program in Maritime Environmental Protection and Management - MEP&M -

WP1 status on achieved results

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WP1. State of the art on Maritime Environmental Protection and Management. Main goal of WP1 is **to identify appropriate model and to develop guidelines for novel joint master degree program in MEP&M** with novel teaching and learning methods through e-learning at the Montenegrin and Albanian HEIs. This will be achieved through 3 tasks.

- DEV 1.1 Overview of MSc programs in field of MEP&M at EU HEIs
- DEV 1.2 GAP analysis
- DEV 1.3 Reporting on actions and model for introduction of new joint interdisciplinary MSc program in MEP&M in English language

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15-01-2021

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WP1. This WP refers to identifying state of the art in education and research in the field of MEP&M to be implemented through MSc program at PC HEIs. This WP consists of three activities stated in WP1. Methodology to be used involves identifying best practices from EU HEIs in the field of education and research in field of MEP&M with adequate teaching methodology, GAP analysis, and delivering guidelines for development of joint interdisciplinary MSc program in MEP&M and teaching methodologies at PC HEIs. Major milestones will be the delivering guidelines for development of master degree curricula in MEP&M and teaching methodologies at PC HEIs based upon GAP analysis report, with designated specific educational needs in field of MEP&M in PCs. Measurable indicators of WP1 are stated in LFM.

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Activities from 1st project finalised

Ref.nr/ Sub-ref nr	Title		M1	M2	M3	M4	M5	M6	M7	M8	M9	M10	M11	M12
Dev 1.2	GAP analysis	8					2=	3=	3=					
Dev 1.3	Reporting on actions and model for introduction of new joint interdisciplinary MSc program in MEP&M in English language	12								3=	3=	3=	3=	

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Montenegro and Albania are seeking for those professionals with knowledge, experience and skills in field of marine environmental protection who will be able to manage environmental issues and help in achieving national environmental goals. Current education systems in these countries only partially cover some of aspects of maritime environmental protection, mostly on bachelor degree level.

In that context, an overview of master programs in field of Maritime Environmental Protection and Management at EU HEIs (DEV 1.1) will be a basis for obtaining necessary information and practical examples of their strategy efforts and their challenges. The report will present in-dept analysis of EU policy framework and institutional practices.

In the second stage of WP1, GAP analysis will be implemented (DEV 1.2). It will represent a continuation of the previously done Needs analysis in the field of MEP&M in Montenegro and Albania. The results of a GAP analysis will show additional sub-areas that should be included for developing teaching, research and practical skills in new regional joint interdisciplinary master program in Maritime Environmental Protection and Management (MEP&M) in English language.

Based on the DEV 1.1 and DEV 1.2 overview and analysis, guidelines (report) for delivering a new regional joint interdisciplinary master program in MEP&M in English language at Montenegrin and Albanian HEIs will be delivered (DEV 1.3).

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DEV 1.1 Overview of MSc programs in field of MEP&M at EU HEIs

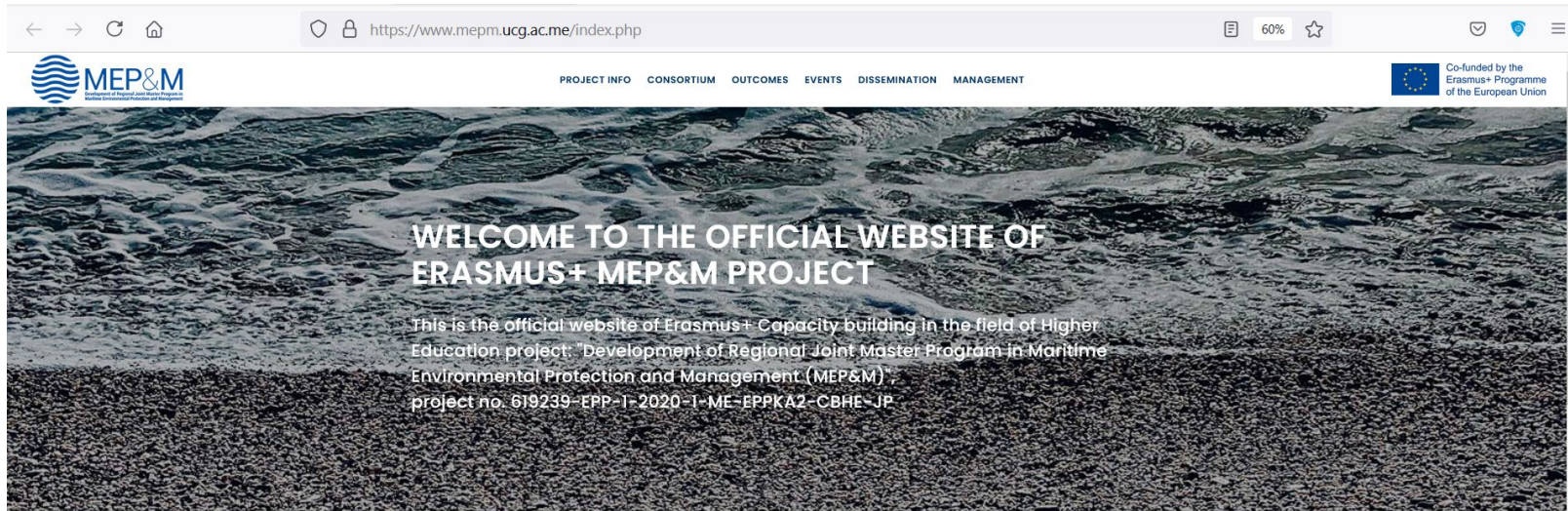
DEV 1.2 GAP analysis

DEV 1.3 Reporting on actions and model for introduction of new joint interdisciplinary MSc program in MEP&M in English language

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About

The MEP&M project aims toward solving multiple issues. First, coastal zone and marine environment protection are some of the Montenegrin and Albanian Governments' priorities. Also, this field is one of the priorities toward the EU accession process for all WBC. Lack of an adequate number of professionals in governmental institutions, and Blue economy sector enterprises dealing with issues in this field should be overcome through enhanced education and research at Montenegrin and Albanian HEIs. Secondly, strengthening international competitiveness within European Higher Education Area (EHEA) and European Research Area (ERA) are the main driving forces for Montenegrin and Albanian HEIs.

MEP&M project bases its objectives on actual needs. The PC HEIs continuously communicated in the preparation stage, deciding jointly on the priority activities that can be implemented given the timeframe, development level, and existing capacities at each institution. Having this in mind ensures that the objectives are set realistically... [more](#)

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