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ENTREPRENEURIAL COOPERATIVE EXPERIENCE

FINAL MEETING
SANTANDER | 21 JUNE, 2018

PARTNERS' FINAL MEETING

The final meeting of the Entrepreneurial Cooperative Experience Project (224-G-GRO-PPA-16-9235) took place on June 21st, 2018 in Santander (Cantabria, Spain). The meeting was attended by the project coordinator and the consortium members.

During this meeting we analysed the evolution of the final steps of the implementation of ECOOPE and shared all the presentations that were going to be led by the consortium members during the international event, to present ECOOPE's outcomes. Following that, we analysed the work done regarding communications and established the last milestones for the international event and the dissemination of the results. We also prepared all the technical and financial requirements for the final report that covers from the beginning of the activities until June 30th, 2018

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ECOOPE FINAL DISSEMINATION EVENT (June, 21st - 2018 || 10:00 - 11:30h)

The ECOOPE partners' final meeting took place in CISE's facilities in Santander, June 21, in a coordinated way with the International Dissemination Event.

After a welcome by Federico Gutiérrez-Solana (Director of CISE and ECOOPE's project manager), the work started with the overview of the agenda and the presentations of the final event, aiming to share the information we were going to present to the general public during ECOOPE's seminar "Co-operative entrepreneurship: a tool for a sustainable, viable future" in Santander, June 21 and 22.

José Carlos Ceballos (Fundación UECIF), as ECOOPE's project manager, made first a summary of the activities developed and the results, highlighting the good results achieved by the consortium. After this short introduction, we made a briefing of the event agenda, consisting in:

●●● June 21 | Thursday

16:30 Registration and coffee

16:50 Official welcome

- Ángel Pazos | Rector of the University of Cantabria
- Eva Díaz Tezanos | Vicepresident of the Cantabrian Government
- Federico Gutiérrez-Solana | ECOOPE's project director

17:10 "The co-operative business model: more stable, competitive and decent work" | Andrea Dávila, International Labour Organisation, Cooperative Unit.

17:30 Introduction to ECOOPE: Project overview and goals | José C. Ceballos

17:40 Presentation of ECOOPE's Evaluation Methodology Tool | Minna Hämäläinen LUT, Finland

18:00 Round table: "Co-operative entrepreneurship: a tool for a sustainable, viable future for European youth"

- María Ubarretxena | Arrasate/Mondragón Mayor
- Cynthia Lynn Giagnocavo | ICA Research Board
- Laura Ferri | IES Massamagrell
- Elena Badeanschi | Fed. Cooperazione Trentina
- Moderator: Sarah Alldred | Co-operative College UK



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FROM LEFT TO RIGHT some of the participants in the partners' final meeting in Santander: Cristina Soutinho (PEEP), Nuno Soares (UPorto), João José Pinto Ferreira (UPorto), Javier Vallina (Valnalón), José Carlos Ceballos (Fundación UCEIF), Sarah Aldred (Co-operative College), Ilana Gotz (Euricse), Riccardo Bodini (Euricse), Minna Hämäläinen (LUT), and Laura Argüeso (Fundación UCEIF).

●●● June 22 | Friday

09:00 Introduction to agenda

09:05 Presentation of ECOOPE's Good Practice Guide | Dana T. Redford (PEEP)

09:35 Good practice expert panel and ECOOPE Awards

- Adoración Mozas | CIRIEC Spain
- Richard Hull | Goldsmiths College, University of London
- Martin Strauss | Schülergenossenschaften
- Moderator: Ilana Gotz | EURICSE

10:20 Coffee & Networking

10:40 Workshop: Lean start-up as a tool to solve co-operative challenges | Néstor Guerra, Aday Guerra and Lucía Montes

12:40 Presentation of ECOOPE's Secondary education Pilot programme | Javier Vallina (Valnalón) and Cristina Soutinho (PEEP), with the participation of



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13:10 Higher Education Pilot programme presentation | J. C. Ceballos (CISE) and Joao J. Pinto Ferreira (UPORTO), with the participation of José Pérez (Fundación Espriu coop.) and Participants in the pilot

13:40 Closing

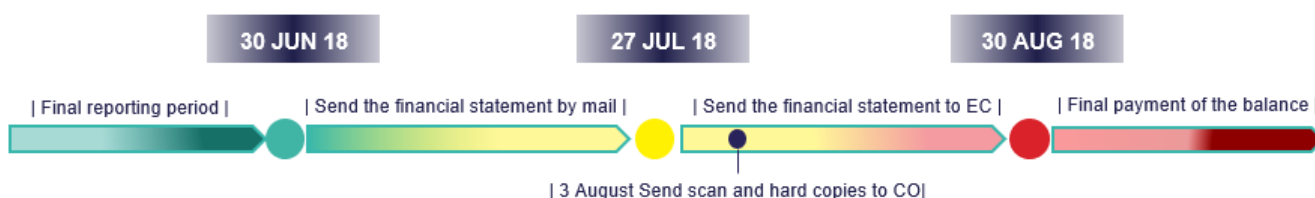
- Dolores Gorostiaga | President of the Cantabrian Parliament
- Federico Gutiérrez-Solana | ECOOPE's project director

The partners shared the presentations that were going to be used to disseminate the results among the participants, and also the moderators of each round table shared their impressions about the development of each session.

ECOOPE FINAL REPORT (June, 21st - 2018 || 11:30 - 12:30h)

Taking into consideration that the implementation period is coming to an end, María Herrero, from the University of Cantabria, after talking about the overview of the project's budget, shared with the partners a presentation with all the instructions and procedures needed for the management and financial report that the consortium will present to the European Commission, from April 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018.

The consortium agreed in the proposed schedule, meaning that by August 3rd the University of Cantabria will receive the financial statement and all the documents, for reviewing and solve minor issues, if any. After compiling all the partners' information, the University of Cantabria will send the final report to the European Commission at the end of August 2018.



During the presentation, María Herrero remembered all the supporting documents needed in order to follow the European Commission regulations regarding the financial report, specifying the documents for each category.

After considering the status of budget implementation, the partners agreed with the proposed calendar and the structure of the documents that will be send to the University of Cantabria, including accounting docs, invoices, proof of payments and others. All the information was based in the Grant Agreement signed and, as mentioned before, in the European Union regulations, and was received by the ECOOPE consortium partners after the meeting.

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COMMUNICATION OUTPUTS (June, 21st - 2018 || 12:30 - 13:30h)

Paula Capparelli and Laura Argüeso, from the communication team, exposed to the partners the results and outputs achieved until the moment, and the strategy to be followed in order to increase even more the dissemination of ECOOPE's outcomes.

All the parameters designed in the proposal have been achieved, with even an increase specially regarding the webpage visits and social media insights.

ECOOPE's webpage and social media channels will remain online in the future, even once the implementation period is finished so any institution, organisation or individual interested will be able to download all the resources and multiply the impacts and beneficiaries of our project.

The communication team also shared with the partners the strategy designed for the seminar "Co-operative entrepreneurship: a tool for a sustainable, viable future", where we expect more than 50 participants to attend, coming from different sectors and countries, and when the results will be publicly presented.

All the attendants will receive a welcoming pack that will include also one edited copy of WP4's Good Practice Guide.



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