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ACTIVITY REPORT

TITLE	<p>1.Academic approach session - CPD accreditation standards of CPD programmes in Romania; CPD for kindergarten teachers with academic studies versus kindergarten teachers with pedagogical high school studies.</p> <p>2.Applied session I - Early education and extracurricular activities: case studies</p> <p>3.Applied session II - A case study: Mărțișor and related practices in Romanian kindergartens</p> <p>4. Interactive session III - Teaching best practice examples in Timisoara kindergartens</p> <p>5. Summary session</p> <p>6. Management session</p>
PLACE AND DATE	<p>WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA</p> <p>Vasile Parvan street, no. 4, 300223, Timisoara, Timis, Romania</p> <p>4 – 5th of March 2020</p>
HOSTED BY	WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA
PARTICIPANTS	<p>Representatives from Colleges in Novi Sad, Vršac, Sremska Mitrovica and Kruševac, representatives from the Faculty of Philosophy in Nikšić, representatives from the Faculty of Education in Maribor, representatives of the Kindergarten Ljubica Popović in Podgorica, representative of the Bureau for Education Services Podgorica, representatives of the Association of Preschool Teachers of Vojvodina and Association of Preschool Teachers of Serbia, WEBIN.</p>
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2 PREPARATION

The meeting is prepared in accordance with the foreseen agenda and planned tasks.

1. Academic approach session (Maria Niculescu, PhD, Associate Professor within Teacher Training Department, West University of Timișoara):
 - CPD accreditation standards of CPD programmes in Romania;
 - CPD for kindergarten teachers with academic studies versus kindergarten teachers with pedagogical high school studies.
2. Applied session I (Alina Negru, architect, PhD researcher, West University of Timisoara):
 - Early education and extracurricular activities: case studies
3. Applied session II (Otilia Hedeșan, PhD, Professor, local manager within KEY project):
 - A case study: Mărțișor and related practices in Romanian kindergartens
4. Interactive session III (Diana Mihut, PhD, Research Assistant at West University of Timisoara)
 - Teaching best practice examples in Timisoara kindergartens
5. Summary session (Otilia Hedeșan, PhD, Professor, local manager within KEY project)
6. Management session (lead by Jovanka Ulić, PhD, Professor, manager within KEY project)

3 REALIZATION

In the period from 4.3. until 5.3.2020. in Timisoara (Romania) within the framework of the KEY project, seminars were held on Standards for accreditation of professional development programs, extracurricular activities and educational policies in Romania.

Experiences in the work and education of teachers in preschool institutions were transferred to partners from Serbia and Montenegro by members of the consortium from Romania (Western University in Timisoara), which was followed by an exchange of opinions and experiences of all participants in the workshop.

On the second day of the meeting, after the workshops, working meetings of the project partners were held, where they discussed the legal and financial aspects of the project in the establishment of centers, especially the final steps in the procurement of equipment for the implementation of the project.

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4 LEADS/FACILITATOIRES IMPRESSIONS

SCOPE: participants strengthened their ability to participate in policy making processes as stakeholders and experts and advocate for better understanding of their policy views and positions;

GENERAL UNFORSEEN FEATURE: the last event that WUT team has organized / on which members of project team have attended in prepandemic conditions;

5 EVALUATION

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6 CONCLUSIONS & NEXT STEPS