

Added Value of Networking



Seminar on Participatory Processes

Basic information	
NRN:	Greek NRN
Theme:	Good practices
Coordinator:	Tzika Ioanna
Partners:	Expert consultant scientist /instructor Mr. Bolonasis
Beneficiaries:	Representatives of members of the Greek NRN - mostly from LAGs
Resources:	Technical Assistance of RDP 2007-2013
Period:	October 2012
Main element of networking:	Capacity building and training
Other elements of networking:	Exchange of relevant experience and know-how

Background

On Tuesday October 16 2012 a workshop was designed and delivered to improve participatory processes among members of our network.

Main activities

The purpose of the seminar was to enable participants to feel confident about their ability to influence and consciously promote positive performance within the groups which they operate. The seminar was an eight hour experiential and interactive session.

Main results/benefits

The seminar formed a framework for the organization and operation of a series of such sessions. Representatives from members of the NRN who participated in this seminar expressed their desire for the NSU to organise and host more seminars.



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Success factors

An effort was made to ensure that participants would:

1. understand that success is reliant on a cooperative attitude and personal responsibility
2. understand why there are problems in creating the basic conditions that make cooperation effective, and the way to overcome these difficulties
3. learn about techniques and approaches that help overcome such difficulties
4. practice these techniques and approaches.

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The networking approach encouraged good participation with the objectives achieved as everyone acted with respect and understanding for others, and for the common purpose and plan of action.

Contribution of the NSU

The NSU took the initiative and coordinated the whole action. More specifically, the NSU chose the topic and the expert who supported the workshop, organized the meeting and was responsible for the dissemination of the information and results generated.

Contribution of the partners

The hall on the ground floor of our building was revamped (photo) which facilitated the very active participation of all those who attended our live and constructive 'workshop'. There was a substantial contribution from the participants during the workshop as well as positive comments and evaluations after its completion.

Additional information

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Pictures



Seminar Participatory Processes 1



Seminar Participatory Processes 2

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