

Vocational Training Center for Undergraduate University Students and Teachers in Jordan

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- VTC is a three years project funded by European Union through Erasmus+ Project, that concentrates on providing Jordanian students with competencies and skills needed by the market.
- The project aims at institutionalizing vocational training within the Jordanian universities so that it becomes main component of students' life at the university.
- The EU experience is a major component in the success of the VTC project.



Project Identity

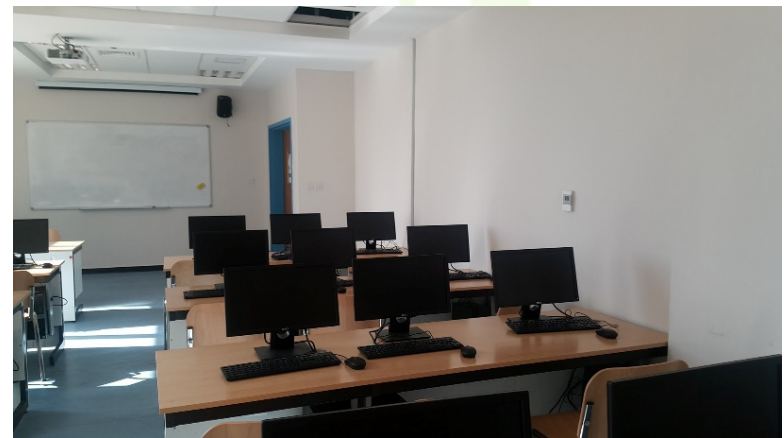
Application Reference Number	561708-EPP-1-2015-1- DE-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP
Country of applicant organization	Germany
Applicant Organization Name	Hochschule für Technik, Wirtschaft und Kultur Leipzig
Project Coordinator at GJU	Dr. Ziad Abuelrub
Application Title	Vocational training center for undergraduate university students and teachers
Countries involved	Germany, Slovakia, Portugal, Jordan, and Spain
Maximum EU Grant	689.938,00 Euro
Duration	Oct. 2015- Oct. 2018

Objectives

- Construct a vocational training center for graduate and undergraduate students in partners universities
- Apply a vocational training for the students to enhance and to develop their abilities and to build bridges between their theoretical study and vocational training skills
- Develop a vocational training program in order to create and publish common methodology and legal documentation for the lifelong Learning, E-learning and Distant Education, practical training for all universities in Jordan in accordance with European standard.
- Develop and enhance the staff abilities who will lead the vocational training



- Improving the quality and relevance of higher education
- Strengthening quality through visits and cooperation with the EU
- Linking higher education, research and business for excellence and regional development



Jordanian



1. Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST)
2. The University of Jordan (UJ)
3. German Jordanian University (GJU)
4. Al-Balqa' Applied University (BAU)
5. Al Albayt University (AABU)
6. Mutah University (MU)
7. Almotahida Education Group (MEG)

European



1. Leipzig University for Applied Sciences (HTWK, Germany)
2. Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra (SUA, Slovakia)
3. Instituto Superior de Paços de Brandão (ISPAB, Portugal)
4. Paulo & Beatriz – Consultores Associados (P&B, Portugal)
5. AGORA Institute For Knowledge Management (Spain)

Work packages

WP Type	Title	Delivery Date
Preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Review, State of the art and Network between partner •Assessment studies for the needs of students •Employment sector database collection 	Oct-Nov, 2015
Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Purchase of teaching equipment and bibliographic material •Make vocational skill competency development an integrated part in Teaching •Career guidance and counselling programs for the career sector 	Oct, 2016-Jun, 2017 Dec, 2016-Sep, 2017 Oct, 2016-Jun,2017
Quality	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Quality control and monitoring 	Oct, 2015-Jul, 2017
Dissemination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Project Dissemination •Exploitation of results and sustainability 	Mar, 2018
Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Project Management 	Oct, 2015-Oct, 2018

Some Achievements

- Vocational Training Workshop at GJU by Trainers from ISPAB/Portugal, 11 Nov. 2017
- Vocational Training Workshop at GJU by Trainers from Slovakia, 21 Oct. 2017
- Microsoft Excel course, 16-27 July 2017
- GJU staff participated in TOT in Slovakia, 1-5 May 2017
- SAP driving license course, 12 training hours on 20/04/2017 and 22/04/2017
- GJU staff participated in TOT in Portugal, 17 – 21 Apr. 2017.
- Official opening of its Vocational Training Center, 12 April 2017
- 3D Models Design as co-curricula workshop for GJU students, 22 March 2017



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