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Dear Partners and other stakeholders in the Tools for Skills project. This is the fourth newsletter of the project. The purpose is mainly to give an overview about what has been done in the project so far and a reminder to the project partners what has to be done in the nearest future. It can also be used to inform other stakeholders, for example a steering committee, about the progress of the project.

The code in brackets, for example (M3) refers to the activity in the action plan

1) The Teacher training was successfully held in April 2- 7 2017 in Muenchehof, Germany, (C1). 19 teachers were gathered. The people attending this course were the ones that would be responsible for the teachers training in the home countries. All the partners were represented and different parts of the teacher manual were demonstrated, in theoretical lessons as well as in practical demonstrations.

2) The mobility actions (C2 and C3) of the project has continued with some changes. See the updated table below 2 Finnish students and 2 Spanish students has spent 4-6 weeks in Sweden in November-December and have successfully improved their knowledge about forest machines and forestry English. 3 Swedish students and 3 Bulgarian students are scheduled to go to Spain in early February.

The further planned mobilities are

Host	Theme	Time	Students
Sweden	harvester	November 2016	2ES, 2 FIN
Spain	environment	February 2017	3 BG, 3 SE
Sweden	environment	June 2017	3 BG, 4 DE
Spain	environment	September 2017	1 FIN
Germany	environment	October 2017	2 ES, 2 SE, 2 BG
Finland	environment	October 2017	4 BG, 3 ES
Sweden	Forwarder	October 2017	3 ES
Sweden	Harvester	November 2017	3 FIN
Finland	Forwarder	November 2017	3 SE

The project was presented in the Elmia Wood 7-1 June show where it evoke great interest among the some 50 000 visitors from most parts of the world

3) The fourth partner meeting (M4) was successfully held in Reftele, Sweden, 10-11 June 2017 with participation of all partners.

4) The webpages www.toolsforskills.eu and cd.diction.net have been updated as well as the glossary. (A11)

5) Several Multiplier events has been hold throughout the partner countries and in some case, neighbouring countries (E1-E7)

6) The fifth partner meeting (M5) was successfully held in Cabezone de la sal Cantabria, Spain on the 28-29 September with participation of all partners. In this meeting it was decided to apply for a prolongation of the project, in order to reach the target of the number of mobilities.

A prolongation has now been approved for 6 months until 31 July 2018, which is the maximum possible prolongation. This means that the preliminary action plan that were discussed in the meeting will be sharp. The following activities were suggested.

Mobilities

Host	Theme	Time	Students
Sweden	environment	4 April – 4 May	2 BG, 2 SK, 4 ES
Spain	environment	4 April – 4 May	2 FIN, 2 SE
Finland	forwarder	19 Feb – 18 Mar	2 SE
Finland	environment	14 May- 15 June	2 BG, 2 SK
Sweden	Harvester	28 May -8 July	3 Fin

Meetings

Slovakia Banska Stiavnica 3-4 May or 11-12 May

No meeting in Finland

Study these dates and give your feedback as soon as possible if you want to make changes

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