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What's going on in EASTEM?



Dear EASTEM project members and friends,

The purpose of this internal newsletter is to keep all of us updated on what other groups in the project are doing and inform colleagues about relevant events at our universities.

Has your university recently conducted or plans to conduct an activity that is relevant to the EASTEM project? You can email miriam.tardell@uadm.uu.se with any updates you wish to share with everyone.



Recent project meetings and activities

WP 5 Quality: The Quality Team had a meeting on 24 September to prepare QA of the upcoming virtual project meetings. You can find the meeting minutes and presentation in the Google Drive under WP 5 Quality - Quality Team Meetings or by [this link](#).

WP 6 Dissemination: The Dissemination Team had a meeting on 22 September to discuss opportunities for dissemination including publications and conferences. You will find the meeting minutes in the Google Drive under WP 6 Dissemination - Dissemination Team meetings, or [here](#).

WP 7 Management: The Management Team met on 21 September and

discussed project management issues, including the current situation in partner countries and how to ensure the sustainability of our collaboration after the project ends. Meeting minutes/recap of the meeting can be found in the Google Drive under WP 7 Management - Management Team Meetings, or [here](#).

Upcoming project meetings and activities

WP 4 Virtual Brest meeting 12-14 October (8:00-11:00 CET times all meeting days): At this meeting, our project will dig deeper into our best practices and needs in university-industry collaboration and discuss how EASTEM could develop a common model for this. We will also get the opportunity to meet with senior representatives both of IMTA (where our colleagues in Brest work) and of the whole IMT Group of technical universities across France, as well as with a number of major companies and start-ups including THALES, NAVAL, NOKIA, ORNESS, ARTAL, SOCIETE GENERALE and BOOKBEO. The tentative meeting programme can be consulted in the EASTEM Google Drive or by [this link](#).

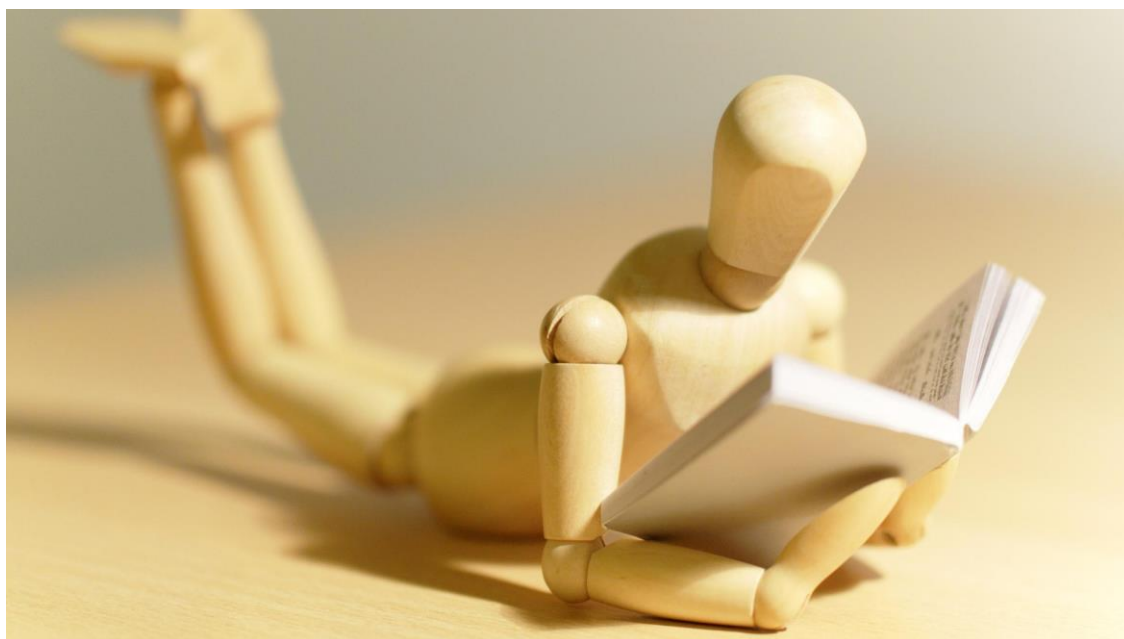
If you are working with WP 4 in EASTEM, please sign up **by 2 October** to join this virtual meeting! You will find a link to the registration here:

<https://forms.gle/8SFPzLLNXYTzcCdx8>

WP 2 Planning meeting 12 October (9:00-11:00 CET): The WP 2 group will meet again after summer vacation to check in informally with everyone on the lessons learnt and next steps for the ToT courses (both online and offline). Email Jake with any questions (jake.reardon@uadm.uu.se).

Dissemination/General Meeting (virtual) 30 November - 2 December: UGM

will host a virtual meeting with the aim to showcase our results and achievements to stakeholders within and outside our universities.



Other activities

5 Oct: Deadline for papers for HCMUTE's special issue of its Journal of Science and Technology

This special issue will be focused on Education 4.0. and compiled by Erasmus+ project EMVITET (<http://emvitet.org/>). HCMUTE has kindly invited us all as EASTEM partners to publish papers about our project activities (such as online teaching/learning for STEM, ToT courses etc) in this journal issue. For more information, please contact Dr. Nguyen Vu Lan, lannv@hcmute.edu.vn.

8 October: Webinar with Swedish and Japanese researchers on COVID-19

The MIRAI consortium, of which Uppsala University is a member along with 18 other universities in Sweden and Japan, is organising a webinar on COVID-19 in which researchers give their perspectives on both medical and wider society aspects of the pandemic. The webinar is open to the public, and possibly interesting also for some EASTEM colleagues. For more information and registration, please visit: <https://mirai2020sejp.wixsite.com/kickoff>



Stay tuned for more information and keep up the great work everyone!

Best regards,

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