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**Minutes of the 3nd Bi-monthly Skype Meeting**

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4. **Participants:**

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1. **Meeting Themes to be discussed**

* Progress of WP.1.1 and 1.2 and final reports of their deliverable.
* Dissemination plan and project website
* Exploitation plan
* Agenda for the next management meeting in Kavala, Greece

1. **Proceeding**

In context of the WaSec project activities, the third bi-monthly meeting was conducted through a skype group call, where the following discussion was exchanged between the partner participants, and moderated by Saed Khayat (PTUK).

1. The WP. 1.1 was discussed in detail because of the deadlines in regard to its deliverables. Reports will be sent by the University of Jordan as soon as possible in order to start with master courses development based on the reports results.
2. The upcoming management meeting was discussed. The working agenda for the 3 days meeting will be prepared by George Zaimes (EMaTTech/IHU). Ben Sonneveld (VU) suggested that the type of curricula that need to be developed according to proposal need to be discussed during this meeting since this will be time-consuming but an important component of the project. Thanasis Hadzilacos (OUC) explained that the plan for the next meeting should not be a detailed discussion about the type and shape of the master courses but should focus on structuring the working groups whom should provide preliminary results two weeks after the management meeting in Kavala. George Zaimes suggested to provide a longer period for the working groups for their final decision about the names and nature of the courses material and finalize the curricula outline before the next management meeting in Madrid (December 2019). This would be optimal in order to also start with the teaching methodology part accordingly.
3. Ruba Hassan (JUST) explained the progress of the dissemination plan, the website and the first newsletter. Ruba Hassan sent the newsletter to all partners that provided comments on its improvements. The newsletters which will be published biannually. The participants agreed on the necessity of updating website with the new events and the deliverables from the project activities. Ruba Hassan promised to act interactively according to the participants’ suggestions and help improve the website.
4. Arrangement for the next meeting in September, in Kavala, Greece were discussed. George Zaimes requested the names and information from each participant, meanwhile he has sent information about the location of the meeting and potenrial hotels that participants could stay at. In addition, George Zaimes said that he would send the final agenda by the end of the week.
5. At this point the meeting was adjourned.

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